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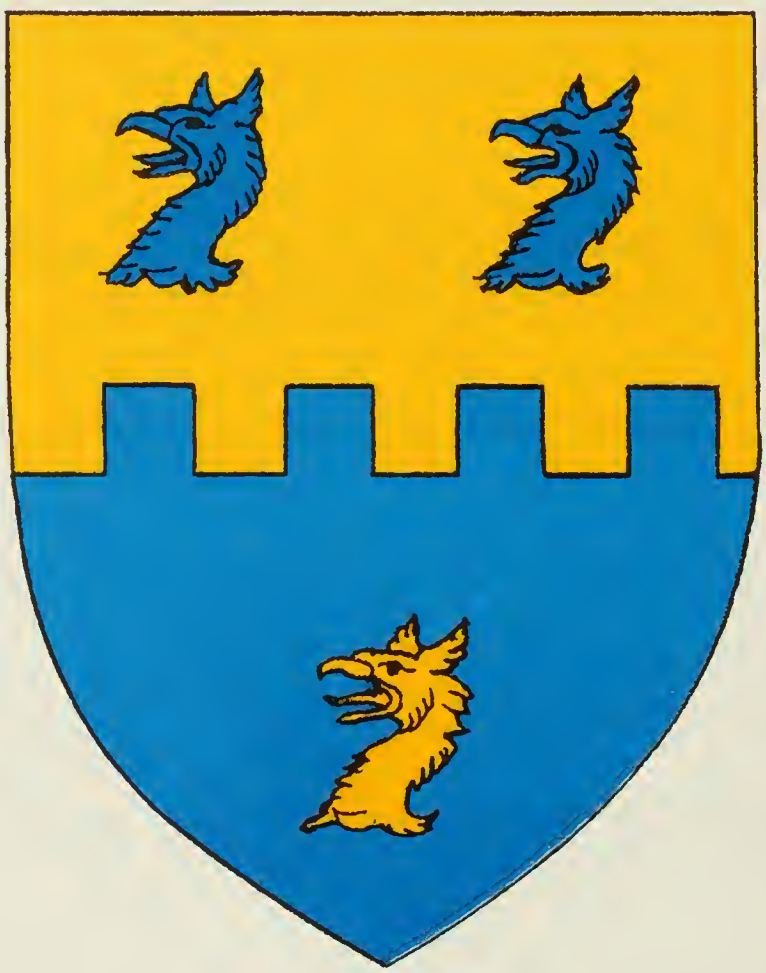

The family motto: "Hope for the Best".

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Errata

Cross-referencing may be in error from mid-generation [4] through generation [5], by one to sixteen pages. The Index is correct.

Page 41, line 13 remove: 1766 Ruth Shrieve(1746-)

Page 62, line 2: Ruth(Shrieve) should read Mary (Shearman).

Page 90, line 34: page 327 should read page 344.

Page 120, lines 43 and 46: the date 1749 should be 1747.

Page 302, line 4: page 177 should read page 159.

Page 303, line 18: page 177 should read page 159.

Page 425, line 8: Alice (S) Gibson should read Alice (G) Snell.

Page 433, line 41: page 541 should read page 366.

Introduction

In the 1960's Dad (Lloyd Henry Sisson, b. 1907) was looking over the entries in the old family Bible (printed 1838), and began to wonder who was the father of "our" John, born 1769. This began our hobby of researching the family, before genealogy became so popular. After all, we reasoned, it shouldn't be too difficult to find John, since "Sisson" is not a common name (we thought!).

During the following years we found both leads and misinformation. A book we researched attributed all information in a certain town to two John's, when in fact there were five, thereby assigning our John to a different father (he was a nephew). By the 1980's we had amassed over 5,000 names with their information, hand printed on index cards, filed alphabetically in five index boxes, plus a box of "spouse" names. (This before owning a computer.)

Correspondence with others gave us encouragement in starting a family newsletter to share information and correctly connect lines where possible. In 1986 we began the *Sisson Newsletter*, sending four or five issues a year, about 18 pages per issue. During the following 13 years we grew to upwards of 60 subscribers. It follows, then, that we should put this data into a book, something that can be handed down to grandchildren.

The *Sisson Newsletter* reported on more than the descendants of Richard and Mary Sisson. We included Sisson families immigrating to Virginia; families who probably descend from other immigrants; and names of individuals not yet connected to an immigrant (our subscribers helped make some connections, and have expanded much of the data presented here). There is still a wealth of information for another Sisson book.

We wanted this book to be hardcover for durability, yet we also wanted it to lay open for easier reading. We expect there will be persons who find their own family line and want to copy a few pages for personal use. A thick hardcover book can be difficult to handle and use. While allowing pages to be copied, we do not give permission for copying large portions or copy for sale. It would be cheaper and far easier to buy a volume!

Other Sisson immigrants, both to Virginia and other points of entry have been established, but their descendants are not discussed here. Our intention is to discuss only those family members whom we believe to be descendants of Richard and Mary Sisson of Rhode Island.

The format of this volume is different from most genealogical works. We have found charts and narrative more clearly show family groups. Connections between these groups are shown with page numbers. The ancestral line is given at the top of each sketch; numbers in [ ] indicate generations from Richard [1]. Daughters are discussed when introduced in their father's sketch. Siblings whose

offspring carry the Sisson name are discussed in subsequent generations, and yes, some of these are female. We have omitted the use of surnames except on the introduction of a family or with cross-references.

It has been our intention to have the material as correct and current as possible, including changes less than a week before publication. However, complete accuracy is unlikely. Even descendants are not always in agreement with records or among themselves. Memories vary or become dim. While gravestones are often a valuable source of data, their accuracy is only as good as the information given to the stonecutter *and* his understanding and ability. The same is true of census records!

Variations in spelling of names, both people and places, are shown here as reported to us or as found: i.e, Swansea, Swansey. We have left them as reported for authenticity. Also, geographic names frequently change over the course of time; some places may no longer exist under that name; and early counties were divided geographically as their populations grew. The terms township and town were often used interchangeably.

Dates reported vary for many reasons. Records may be worn or aged. A poorly written 4 or 9 can be misinterpreted. When handwritten, 3, 6, 8 and 9 often can be interchanged. The European-style crossed 7 can be interpreted as a 4, 7 or 9. Dates written 2/9 may be read as either the second of September (European or military) or the ninth of February (American). Variations in dates were further complicated by changes in the calendar and differences as to when the new year began. [For a more detailed account of calendars see *"Marlborough, His Life and Times" by Winston S. Churchill, Charles Scribner's Sons, NY, 1968.]*

As used in this work "circa" means give or take one year, based on some known information, such as a census. "About" is used to indicate a guess based on the best information available, and could vary as much as 15 years.

Abbreviations are few, primarily for clarity. The primary abbreviations used are for state names, using the present federally accepted postal style: two letters, all caps, no period(s).

The format changes somewhat in the ninth and tenth generations, where all tenth generation children are discussed under the father's sketch and *their* children's information is less detailed. This is done for three reasons: Some people, still living, don't want their birthdates or other personal information published; recent data is much easier to obtain; we stop at generation [10] since 800 pages are enough!

The cut-off at generation [10] varies greatly in years according to one's placement in a family. After 300 years the oldest child of the oldest child can be 70 years older than the youngest child of the youngest child.

Pictures, too, we would like to have included. Not only would that have increased the size and cost, we were also faced with the problem of *which to include,* and more difficult, *which to exclude!*

Genealogy is an on-going story and some parts of the story may never be known. We hope the reader will view this work more as a story of the Sisson family and their allied kin than a collection of facts about people.

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Early in our searches we became acquainted with Geraldine "Gerry" (Morris) Sisson, wife of Sidney K. Sisson of Milan, IL. Gerry was a great help to us, and we were saddened by her death in 1982. Sidney generously sent us most of the information Gerry had accumulated, so we could continue.

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And many others!

And of course Dad (Lloyd), who started us on this quest. He enjoyed many journeys searching for family from California to New England and all points between, and gave us additional excuse for three trips to England. We wish he could be here to enjoy the fruition of this book.

Exploring the Origin of the Sisson Surname

There are several theories about the origin of the Sisson surname. All are quite plausible and any one or all may be true origins; none, to the best of our knowledge, has been authenticated.

The most popular theory is that the surname is derived from the town of Soissons in Normandy. This is the origin proposed by Burke (1). "The Roll of Battle Abbey" (2), which is a list of the men-at-arms who accompanied William the Conqueror, does not list any individual from Soissons (this is not conclusive). We do not find any form of the Sisson surname in Indexes of the "Domesday Book", a systematic survey of the landed wealth of William's England in 1086 (again inconclusive). Burke also states that Richard Sisson came from Penrith, Wales. Penrith is now in the county of Cumbria in northwest England, but may well have been at one time a part of Wales. William I did not invade or occupy the areas which are now Wales and Cumbria.

Another theory is that the surname is derived from "the son of Cecil", a common custom in Scandinavia and England. Both Wales and Cumbria were settled by pre-Roman, Anglo Saxon settlers who were forced from Scotland to Ireland and then to northwest England.

A third theory coins the name as "the son of Cis", referring to Lady Cis (Cecilia) the daughter of William I. The sons of a noble lady and a less noble mate could quite acceptably be named in this manner, but it seems that the sons of such a "princess" would be well documented. To our knowledge, no such records exist.

Apparently the Sisson surname existed in Glouchestershire by 1172 and lent the name to the town of Syston in Leicestershire.

A more extensive coverage of the origin of the Sisson name and their immigration to the New World can be found in a work by Cass (3), complete with references. However, we have also seen altered, typewritten copies of this work.

A brief examination of English records led to at least 35 Sisson couples who could have been the parents of Richard (1608). A George Sisson has been reported in Massachusetts in 1620. As far as we know, no connection has been made between any of these persons and Richard and Mary Sisson, immigrants to Rhode Island.

Records of a Richard Sisson in the town of Greystoke, Cumbria, England were found in the early 17th century, among other Sissons in the Penrith area. A Richard Sisson of Elmeshall married Mary Atkinson of Heck in the town of Snaith February 14, 1632. This Richard and Mary of Heck had five children, recorded in the Baptism Register of Snaith Priory Church: Richard, May 15, 1634; George, July 17, 1636; Marie, June 24, 1639; Thomas, August 22, 1641; and Alice, March 24, 1642. The Parish Register of Snaith also states that son Richard was buried October 15, 1637; son Thomas was buried November 26, 1641.

The Towns of Penrith and Snaith

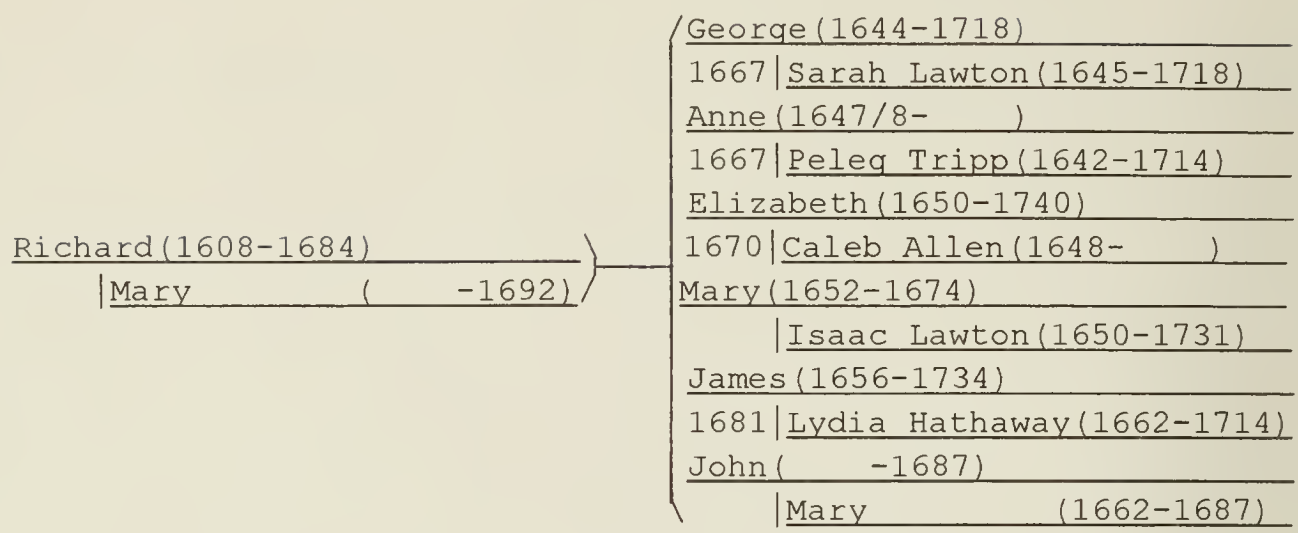
Having found records of Richards from these two towns, we wanted to stop at both during our trip to England in 1986, and envision what these towns might have been for Richard and Mary.

Penrith is a pretty little town of perhaps five- to ten-thousand, with a castle ruins. It is located in the "lake district" on the west side of the Pennines, a ridge of mountains, the highest 3,210 feet, that divides the northern part of England. Snaith, south of York, is a quaint little town on the east side of the Pennines, smaller than Penrith (though it now has a new school and an area of newly constructed homes). A similarity between the towns is that they both have churches called "St. Andrew's" (that might further confuse our Sisson research). Both churches are large stone buildings with Norman towers and both are still in use. The interior of St. Andrew's in Penrith has been remodeled and is similar to early New England churches with walls of white and blue, and the pews boxed in clusters for warmth. It was here we found the notation "G. Sisson, churchwarden, 1687". Sisson is a name present in Cumbria throughout its recorded history.

We were unable to go inside the church at Snaith. The massive cemetery surrounding the building was overgrown with brambles on its outer half. Many of the gravestones were unreadable. Some are obviously old and are now worn smooth; only those from the later 1700's and after were partially or fully readable. Although Sissons may have been married and christened there, we could not find any readable stones to indicate that any Sissons were buried there.

GENERATIONS [1] THROUGH [3]

RICHARD [1] AFTER IMMIGRATION



There are two schools of thought on the immigration of Richard to New England. The first is that he immigrated to Dartmouth, MA, in 1639 and later to Rhode Island. The second is that he immigrated directly to Rhode Island before 1653. In either case Richard was admitted as a freeman in Dartmouth May 17, 1653 ("age 45") and in Portsmouth, RI, in 1655. Whether he arrived from Massachusetts or England is not stated in the record. If Richard immigrated in 1639, then probably his marriage and the birth of all his children occurred in New England. To the best of our knowledge, no records exist indicating Richard's presence in New England prior to 1651. This seems unusual in view of the many records that exist after 1653. If on the other hand, the family immigrated in 1653, his marriage and the birth of his first three children would have occurred in England.

Records show that in August, 1653 Richard served as a juror. On July 6, 1658 he bought of William Hall 1/300th of Quonaquett Island and 1/300th of Dutch Island. In 1660 he sold both and two additional 1/300ths to Peleg Sanford. June 5, 1667 he served on the Dartmouth Grand Jury. In 1671 he became Surveyor of Highways. His will, written October 18, 1683 named his son James as executor. In politics he was reported as Huguenot. He was a member of the Society of Friends (Quakers). We have never found any indication of a formal occupation. Richard married Mary ( ). No record has yet been found of Mary's birth date or parents. Some sources have called her Mary Freeman, born in 1619. We have found no documentation of this. Richard and Mary had six known children:

George, born about 1644 is discussed on page 4.

Anne was born in 1647/8. In 1667 she married Peleg Tripp, son of John and Mary (Paine) Tripp. Peleg was born in 1642. He was a deputy at Portsmouth. Anne and Peleg's son Job is reported as an ancestor of Warren Gamaliel Harding (1865-1923). Ref: (604). They had ten or eleven children: John; Priscilla; Sarah; Job; Peleg; Mary; Anne about 1679 in Newport, married Thomas Rogers; Mehitable; Richard; another Job; and perhaps Thurston [this may be Thomas Thurston, husband of Mehitable]. Peleg died January 13, 1714; Anne died after 1718. Ref: (5) p.246.

Elizabeth was born April 8, 1650. On April 8, 1670 in Dartmouth, she married Caleb Allen, son of George and Hannah ( ) Allen. Caleb was born June 24, 1648. They had seven children: Richard, October 8, 1673, married Hannah Butler, died 1731; Mary, February 29, 1676; George, May 19, 1678; Hannah, November 5, 1680; Caleb, March 20, 1683; Elizabeth, December 3, 1685; and James, June 17, 1689. Mother Elizabeth died in 1740. Ref: (5) pp.6, 53.

Mary is reported to have been born in 1652. Mary married Isaac Lawton, son of Thomas and Grace (Parsons) Bailey Lawton. They lived in Portsmouth. Isaac was born December 11, 1650. A daughter Isabel has been reported. Mary died before 1674. Isaac married second on March 3, 1674 Elizabeth Tallman and third on October 11, 1701 Naomi (Hunt) Lawton (see reference under Anne above). Isaac died January 25, 1732.

James, born circa 1656 is discussed on page 6.

John, born about 1658 is discussed on page 8.

Richard's will, written October 18, 1683 and proved February 26, 1684 names son James as executor and states: to wife Mary, the house, stock and furnishings plus £12 per year; to James, house and land in Dartmouth; to Ann Tripp, land at Pogansett, and sheep; to John, house and land in Portsmouth; to George, £5 [George probably already had received his inheritance since he was the eldest]; to Elizabeth Allen £5; to Indian servant Samuel, a mare; to granddaughter Mary [Lawton], three cows, a bed, etc., on her marriage [the usual dowry]. Richard died in February, 1684; his inventory at that time was: £600-19s, Dartmouth real estate £240, Rhode Island real estate £60, cattle and horses £113-15s, swine £30, sheep £14-10s, furnishings £50, cloth, hemp and flax £13, Negro servant £28, Indian servant £10, cash money £12. Mary died in September, 1692. Her will written April 15, 1690 and proved December 1, 1692 names son James as executor, leaves to George £35 plus the Bible; to her grandchildren John and Mary £35; the remainder equally to Elizabeth Allen, Ann Tripp and granddaughter Mary. The house Mary lived in probably already had been transferred to James. Mary's inventory was £190: £120 in money, plus 29 cheeses, etc.

More useful information for Richard and his descendants may be found in References (4); (5), pp.120, 208-12; (6) through (9); (10), p.181; and (11), Vol. I, pp.1-4, 7, 17; (392) pp.68, 71, 76, 80, 88, 93, 105.

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George(1644-1718)
1667|Sarah Lawton(1645-1718)

- Elizabeth(1669-1752)
  - |Jeremiah Clarke(1668-1752)
- Mary(1670-1698)
- Ann(1672-1749)
  - |Philip Weeden(-1727)
- Hope(1674-1752)
  - 1700|William Sanford(1676-1760)
- Richard(1676-1752)
  - 1701|Ann Card(1678-1739)
  - 1740|Elizabeth Woodmn(1678-1752)
- Ruth(1680-)
  - 1709|Richard Tew(1684-)
- George, Jr.(1683-1775)
  - |Mercy Ann Warren(-)
  - 1721|Lydia Cole(1691-1766)
- Abigail(1685-1723)
  - 1708|William Tew(1683-1718)
- Thomas Lawton(1686-1775)
  - 1714|Jane Freeman(1690-1758)
- John(1688-1784)
  - |Jane Peabody(1691-1714)
  - |Rebecca Lawton(-)
- James(1690-1776)
  - 1712|Deborah Cook(1692-)

George Sisson was born about 1644 either in England or in Portsmouth, RI. He married August 1, 1667 Sarah F. Lawton, daughter of Thomas and his first wife Elizabeth (Salsberry) or his second wife Grace (Parsons) Bailey. They were married in Portsmouth by William Baulston, Asst. Sarah was born in April, 1645 in Portsmouth. George was admitted as a freeman at Portsmouth on November 28, 1673. George and Sarah are mentioned in her father's will dated 1674; he and William Wodell were "overseers"; Sarah was bequeathed £50 and half of the remaining estate. On April 7, 1677 he traded property in Portsmouth for 3/8 share of property in Dartmouth, MA. On May 19, 1683 he sold 1/4 share of property in Dartmouth to Isaac Lawton for £100. He became administrator of his brother John's estate on June 24, 1687. He was a farmer, a constable in 1687, served on a Grand Jury in 1671 and 1688, was a deputy to the Colonial Assembly in 1690, 1702, 1705 & 1707, and was a Justice of the Peace in 1703. In 1704 he purchased 30 acres from Henry and Joan Brightman for £280. George and Sarah had eleven children:

Elizabeth was born August 18, 1669 in Portsmouth. She married Jeremiah Clarke, Jr. son of "Hon." Jeremiah and Ann (Audley) Clarke. Jeremiah was born in 1668. They lived in Newport and South

Kingston, RI, and had eight children: Sarah, Jeremiah, Walter, Latham, Weston, Mary, Peleg, and Katherine. Both Elizabeth and Jeremiah died in Portsmouth in 1752; Elizabeth died before Jeremiah. Ref: (4) Vol VII, 1920, pp.277 and 513.

Mary was born October 18, 1670 and died June 18, 1698. She is probably the "granddaughter Mary Sisson" mentioned in Richard's will. She has been confused with her aunt Mary (above) who married Isaac Lawton. This Mary was probably not married. She has also been confused with a Mary Sisson of Virginia who married Nathaniel Pope and others. Reference (605) reports a Mary who died in 1718.

Ann(e) was born December 17, 1672. She is reported to have married on June 18, 1698. Since this is the date her sister died, the date is in question. She did marry Philip Weeden, son of William Weeden. Anne and Philip had two children: Sarah and Philip. Father Philip died in 1727; Anne died March 19, 1749/50.

Hope was born in Portsmouth December 24, 1674. She was married January 26, 1699/1700 in Portsmouth to William Sanford, the son of Samuel and Sarah (Wodel) Sanford. William was born May 21, 1676 in Portsmouth. They were Quakers and farmers. The first school and townhouse in Portsmouth was built on a quarter acre donated by William. They had eight children: Richard, March 17, 1701, married Elizabeth Coggeshall; Sarah, October 12, 1702, married Elisha Smith and died February 6, 1739; Mary B., January 16, 1704, married Thomas Sherman, died February 6, 1739; Ruth, April 27, 1706 to May 16, 1709; Elizabeth, August 2, 1707, married Mr. Smith; William, August 4, 1709, married first Rebecca Howland, second Hannah Woodman; George, November 28, 1711 to April 22, 1734; and Joseph, September 2, 1715. William was town clerk in Portsmouth 1717-1751 and justice of the peace 1718-1750. In 1751 they moved to Dartmouth where Hope died January 21, 1752 and William died June 9, 1760. Refs: (18); (19); (20) Vol. CXIV.

Richard, born September 10, 1676 is discussed on page 9.

Ruth was born in Portsmouth May 5, 1680. On December 1, 1709 she married Richard Tew, son of Henry and Dorcas ( ) Tew. Richard was born in 1684. They had seven sons and others: Richard, August 25, 1710; child, March 5, 1712; Henry, June 21, 1713; Elisha, March 23, 1715; child, August 9, 1716; George, November 9, 1717; William, April 18, 1720; John, December 24, 1721; and Azariah, May 26, 1723. Ref: (5) p.237.

George, Jr., born March 23, 1683 is discussed on page 11.

Abigail was born March 23, 1685 in Portsmouth. She married William Tew March 16, 1708. William was born May 11, 1683, son of Henry and Dorcas ( ) Tew. They had five children: Dorcas, December 9, 1709 to May 16, 1740; Sarah, December 18, 1711; William, September 8, 1713 to August 15, 1723; Abigail, November 10, 1715 to August 17, 1718; and Edward, October 18, 1717 to August 22, 1718. William Tew died April 5, 1718; Abigail died August 30, 1723. Ref: (5) p.237.

Thomas, born September 10, 1686 is discussed on page 13.

John, born June 26, 1688 is discussed on page 14.

James, born July 26, 1690 is discussed on page 16.

Sarah died July 5, 1718. George died September 7, 1718. His estate was valued at £441-18s-8d, clothes £8-11s, armor £2, plate

£8-12s-2d, silver £13-12s-6d, credit £69-8s-6d, plus stock, furnishings etc. His will proved September 20, 1718 named son Richard executor and gave him 97 acres plus land in Warwick; to George the farm at Touisset Neck, Swansey; to Thomas land at Newport; to John land at Tiverton in exchange for £70 to be divided between George's sisters and niece Jane; remaining lands, etc. in Portsmouth (except graveyard), servant & wife to James; grindstone to Richard and James; moveables and money to daughters and granddaughter Sarah Clarke.

References: Sisson Wills; Cole Genealogy; Lawton Genealogy; (5) pp.73, 164-5, 209-12, 255; (7) 4:40, 48, 95, 106, 107; (10) p.181; (11) Vol. I, pp.5-7, 18-19, 22; (12) p.95; (13) 1:52,53; (14) Vol. 10, pp.305-6; (15); (16); (17); (392) pp.79, 182, 184, 224, 234-5, 241-3, 245, 248, 251, 253, 255.

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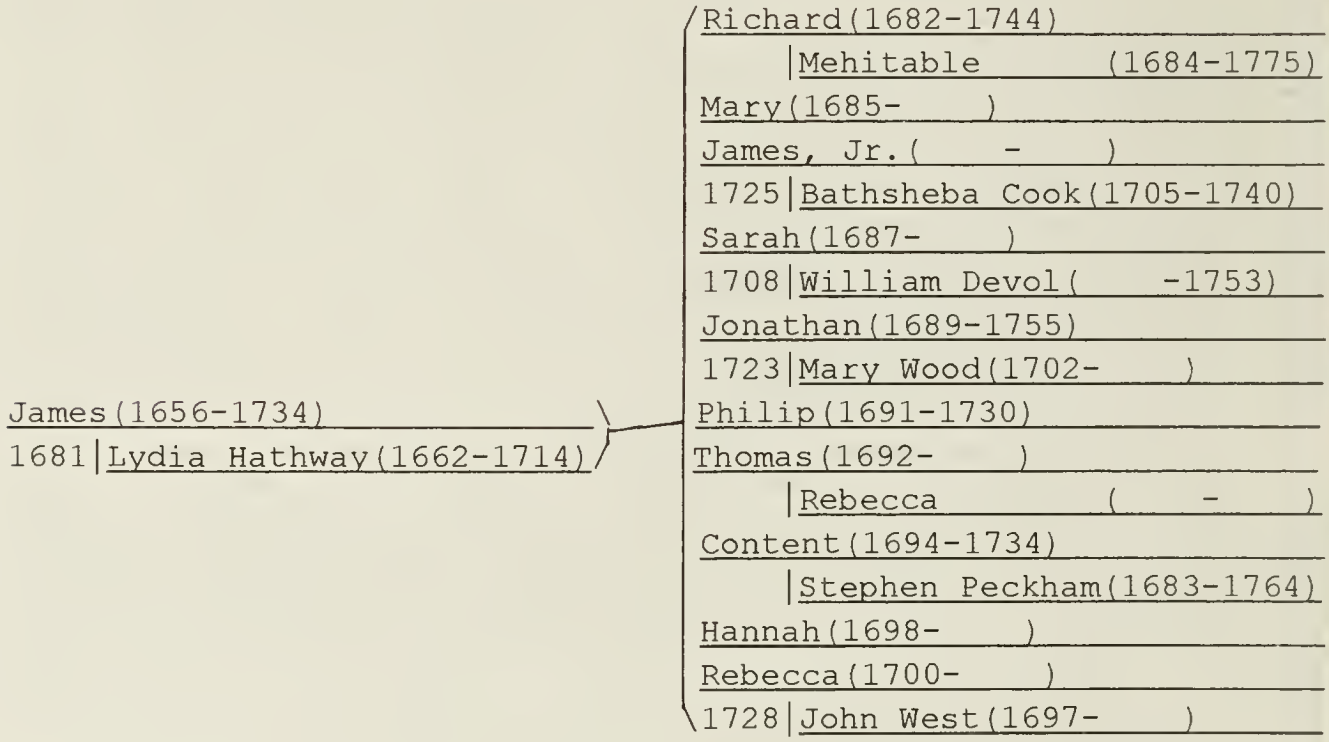
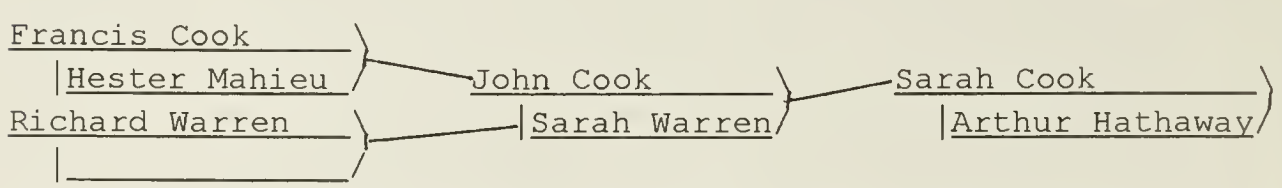


James Sisson was born November 20, 1656 in Dartmouth, MA. He inherited the homestead in Dartmouth. In 1681 James married Lydia Hathaway, daughter of Arthur and Sarah (Cook) Hathaway. Sarah was a Mayflower descendent:



Francis Cook, his son John and Richard Warren arrived on the Mayflower. Both wives and other children joined the families later.

Lydia was born in 1662. James was admitted as a freeman in Dartmouth in 1684. He was a farmer, constable in 1686, surveyor of highways 1685 and a selectman in 1689. James had a Confirmatory Deed in Dartmouth handed down from William Bradford, dated November 13, 1694. Rhode Island vital records, page 540 states James and Lydia had 12 children, we know of only 10:

Richard, born February 19, 1682/3 is discussed on page 17.

Mary was born February 26, 1685 in Dartmouth.

James, Jr., born about 1686 is discussed on page 18. (Perhaps a first James died young).

Sarah was born circa 1687. She was married in Dartmouth May 30, 1708 to William Devol, son of Jonathan Devol, a Mayflower descendent. William is named in his father's will (17_4). Sarah and William had seven children, probably all born in Dartmouth: Lydia, June 30, 1709, married David Stafford; Hannah, March 13, 1712, married John Mosher, died November 5, 1776; William, September 18, 1716, married Abigail Hicks; Sarah, February 25, 1719, married Mr. Wood; David, September 12, 1722, perhaps married Hannah Tripp; Joshua, June 1, 1725, perhaps married Peace Devol; and Phebe, February 6, 1728, intent to marry Richard Merrihew. William died September 6, 1753. His will dated 1753 was proved in 1772 in Dartmouth.

Jonathan, born in 1689 is discussed on page 20.

Philip was born in 1691 in Dartmouth. Philip was not married and died in 1730 leaving his estate, by will, to his brother Thomas.

Thomas was born circa 1692. He married Rebecca ( ). On June 8, 1727 he received land in Dartmouth from his father. Thomas received the southern half of the tract while the northern half was deeded to his brother Philip, February 27 of that year.

Content was born circa 1694. She married Stephen Peckham, son of Stephen and Mary ( ) Peckham. Stephen, Jr. was born February 23, 1683. Content and Stephen had five children: James, October 4, 1716 married Deborah Hammond; Stephen, September 4, 1718 married Sarah Boss and Elizabeth White; Seth November 29, 1723 died young; Content, February 16, 1729 died young; and George, October 25, 1732 died young. They had a child born October 4, 1716 who may have been the daughter mentioned in James' will. Content died in 1734; Stephen married second January 8, 1739 Keturah Arthur; he died in 1764. Stephen's will mentions sons James, Stephen (and Richard). Ref: "Peckham Genealogy".

Hannah was born circa 1698 probably in Dartmouth.

Rebecca was born circa 1700. On January 24, 1728 she married John West, son of Stephen and Mercy (Cook) West. John was born April 27, 1697. Rebecca and John had: Katherine, May 22, 1730; and Marcy, February 19, 1732. Ref: West Family records.

On February 9, 1710 Lydia received a legacy of 5s from the will of her father. Lydia died June 23, 1714. She is buried in the Newport Cemetery. James died December, 1734 in Dartmouth. His will is dated June 15 and was proved December 17, 1734. At that time his inventory was £172 18s 1d. Son Jonathan was executor of his will which names "sons Richard, James, Thomas & Jonathan and daughters Sarah, Rebecca, Content, Mary & Hannah".

References: (5) p.208; (10) p.181; (11) Vol. I, pp.7-15, 39, 41-43; (19); (21) pp 40 & 96; (22) 4-48; (14) Vol. 11, p.367; (23); (24); (25); (392).

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John [2]

Richard [1] page 2

John(-1687) — Mary (1662-1687) — 1703 — John, Jr.(-1759) / Mary(-)

John Sisson was born about 1658 and married Mary ( ). Mary was born in 1662. John was taxed 18s in 1680, he served on a jury in 1680 and on a grand jury in 1682. John and Mary had two children:

John, Jr. is discussed on page 21.

Mary was born about 1685 in Newport and is possibly the Mary who died January 13, 1714.

John was mentioned in his father's will of 1683. John died 1687 in Newport, RI. Mary died in 1687, after John. Her estate was worth £187-11s-6d. Her will was administered by brother-in-law George Sisson. The children are mentioned in grandmother Mary's will.

References: (5) pp.209,211; (11) Vol. I, p.16.

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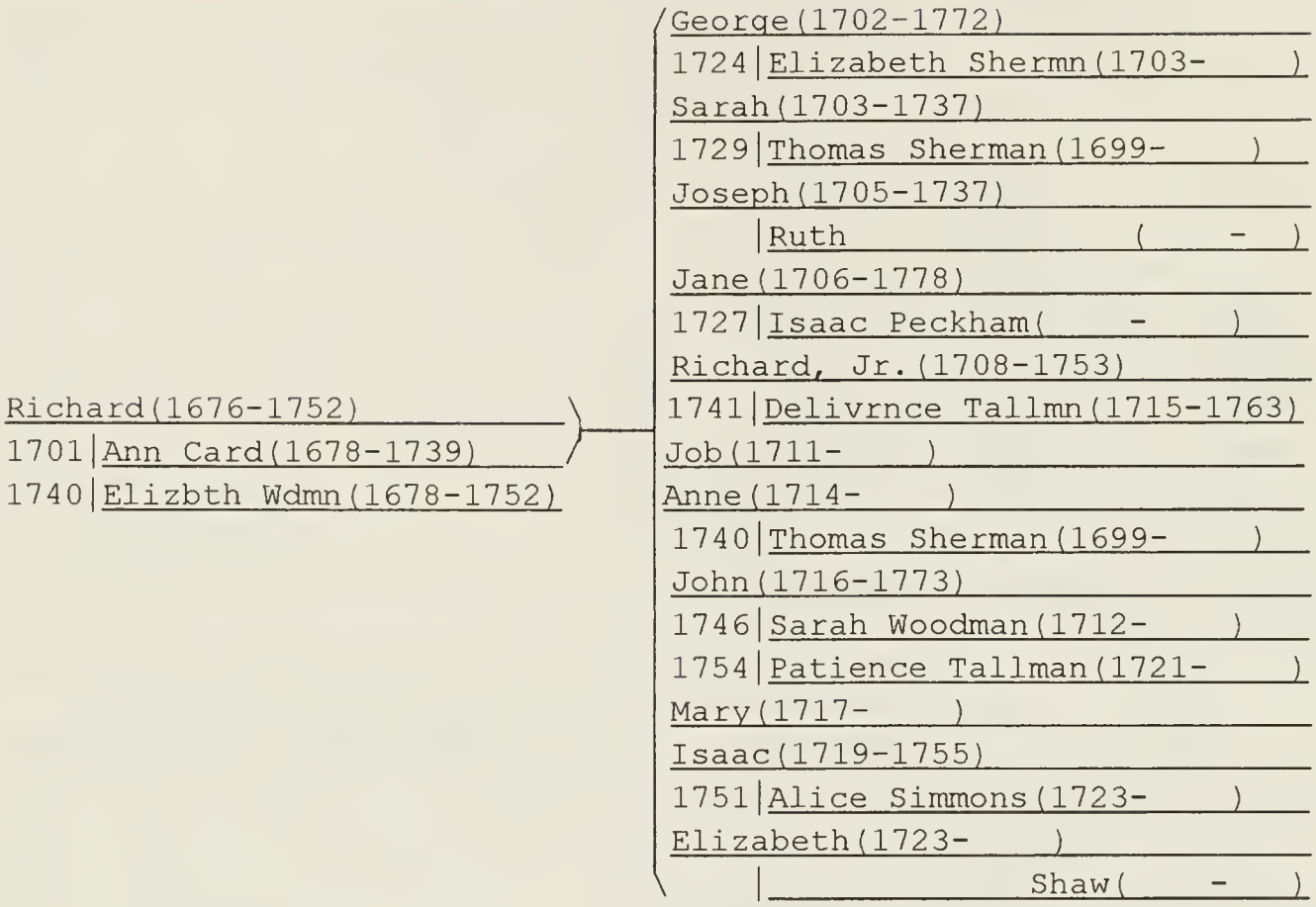

Richard Sisson was born September 10, 1676 in Portsmouth, RI. He married Ann(a) Card July 17, 1701. Ann was born in 1678, daughter of Joseph and Jane ( ) Card. *Card genealogy: Richard [1], Joseph [2], Ann [3].* They were married by Joseph Sheffield, Asst. Richard was a Quaker and a farmer. He inherited the homestead in Portsmouth from his father and a sheep's earmark from his grandfather Richard "hind gad on each ear and half-penny under left ear". He was declared a freeman May 4, 1703. Richard and Ann had 11 children, probably all born in Portsmouth:

George, born March 30, 1702 is discussed on page 24.

Sarah was born October 1, 1703. On June 19, 1729 there she married Thomas Sherman, as his first wife. Thomas was the son of Peleg and Alice (Fish) Sherman. Thomas was born in April, 1699. *Sherman genealogy: Henry [1], [2], Samuel [3], Philip [4], Peleg [5], [6], Thomas [7].* Sarah and Thomas had five children: Christopher, August 1, 1730 [fourth gr-grandfather of Peter Sherman, Maynard, MA]; Ezbon; Thomas, Jr., January 14, 1733; John; and Isaac, born January 28, 1737, died October 3, 1817. Sarah died February 11, 1737. Thomas married second October 19, 1737 Mary Sanford. Ref: Diary of William Sanford of Portsmouth [Mary's father]. After her death in 1739 Thomas married third Anne Sisson, Sarah's sister. Note - Thomas's sister Elizabeth Sherman married Sarah's brother George Sisson.

Joseph was born January 27, 1705. He married Ruth? ( ) and had a daughter Ruth. Joseph died September 20, 1737 in Portsmouth. Ref: Diary of William Sanford (uncle).

Jane was born July 5, 1706. She married Isaac Peckham, son of John and Sarah ( ) Peckham in 1727 as his second wife. He had eight children by his first marriage to Barbara Phillips. Isaac was born April 11, 1688. *Peckham genealogy: John [1], John [2], Isaac [3].* Isaac was a freeman in 1714 in Newport and in 1757 in Middletown. Jane and Isaac had ten children: William, October 11, 1727, died unmarried before 1763; Barbara, November 19, 1729 to 1814, unmarried; Anne, August 13, 1731 to April 17, 1797, married James Barker; Mary, August 16, 1733; Elizabeth, October 26, 1735; Joseph, May 2, 1738 to July 12, 1812, married Sarah Weeden; Jane, March 23, 1740 to December 10, 1823, married John Bucklin; Rachel, November 13, 1742, died young; Abigail, December 29, 1743, died young; and Richard, October 8, 1745, died young. Isaac's will was written May 14, 1763 and proved February 22, 1765 with an inventory of £7770- 17s-15d. Isaac died February 10, 1765 in Middletown and is buried in the Peckham burial ground. Jane died September 25, 1778 at the home of James Barker in Lanesboro, MA. Ref: (5) pp.28, 194-8.

Richard, Jr. born February 25, 1708 is discussed on page 25.

Job was born October 28, 1711 and died young.

Anne was born March 26, 1714. On November 30, 1740 she married Thomas Sherman, her sister's widower, as his third wife. Anne and Thomas had nine children, all born Portsmouth: Sarah, May 4, 1742/3; Peleg, February 4, 1744; Job, September 3, 1746; Jane, September 7, 1748; Ann, October 28, 1750; Levi, October 2, 1752; Richard, July 2, 1754, died September 8, 1835; Elizabeth, June 2, 1756; and Job, September 25, 1758. Ref: (87)

John, born January 5, 1716 is discussed on page 26.

Mary was born September 10, 1717 and died young.

Isaac, born October 25, 1719 is discussed on page 26.

Elizabeth was born February 19, 1723. She has been confused with Elizabeth, daughter of Thomas and Phebe (Cook) who married Joseph Sherman, see page 44. Elizabeth married Mr. Shaw. Her will, dated January 26, 1795, proved August 2, 1796, mentions brother George, deceased; his children and grandchildren. It also mentions cousin Lydia (Sisson) Taylor, wife of James Taylor. Ref: (26) p.254.

"Mr. Sisson and Ann Card" are mentioned in her father Joseph Card's will dated 1717, this will also mentions "daughter Ann Sisson" and "granddaughter Jane Sisson". Ann died in 1739, probably of smallpox; in Richard's household "ten persons were sick and two died of smallpox" that year. Richard published intent May 31, then married second, June 27, 1740, Elizabeth Cornell Woodman, daughter of John and Hannah (Timberlake) Woodman of Little Compton. They were married by William Sanford, Justice. Elizabeth was born in 1678. She has also been reported as the daughter of Stephen Cornell and Elizabeth (Briggs) Woodman. Both Elizabeth and Richard died in 1752. His will dated April 16, 1750 proved July 13, 1752 mentions son George, executor, wife Elizabeth, sons Richard, John & Isaac,

daughters Jane, Anne, & Elizabeth, granddaughter Ruth [of Joseph], three grandsons, Christopher, Thomas, & Isaac Sherman.

References: (5) pp.55-6,194-8,210,212; (7) 4:40, 58, 95; (11) Vol. I, pp.19-21, 48-50, 53; (14) Vol. 10, p.307; (27) Vol. 5; (28) p.9; (29) p.601; (30); (31); (32); (33) p. 2; (392) p.279.

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George, Jr. [3]

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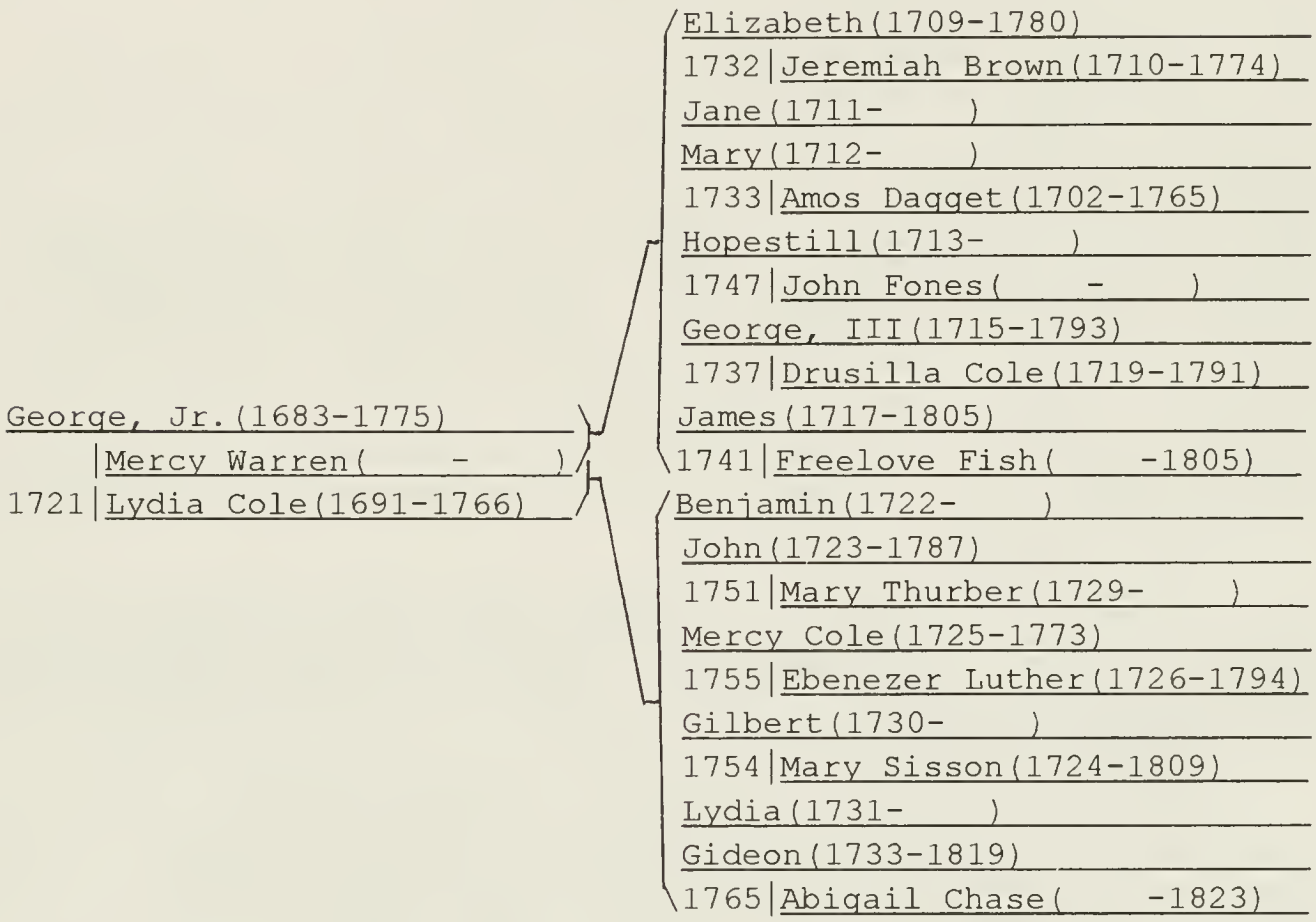

George Sisson, Jr. was born March 23, 1682 in Portsmouth, RI. He was named deputy for the town of Portsmouth February 25, 1706 and October 29, 1707. He married first Mercy Ann Warren. The family lived on a large farm on Touisett Neck inherited by George from his father by will in 1718. Mercy was born about 1687. George and Mercy had five or six children:

Elizabeth was born July 23, 1709 in Portsmouth. On January 10, 1731/2 in Swansea, MA, she married Jeremiah Brown, son of Capt. John and Abigail (Cole) Brown. Jeremiah was born June 26, 1710 in Swansea. Elizabeth and Jeremiah had two children baptized at St. Michael's Church, Bristol: Jarvis baptized April 10, 1733; and Rebecca baptized November 11, 1739. Jeremiah died March 1, 1774; Elizabeth died March 24, 1780. Both are buried in Touisett.

A child Jane may have been born about 1711 in Portsmouth. OR this may be a cousin Jane born about 1714 to John and Jane (Peabody) Sisson, and placed with this family when her mother died, see page 14. That Jane later married Hugh Cole.

Mary was born about 1712 in Portsmouth or Swansea. On July 3, 1733 in Swansea she married Amos Dagget, son of Nathaniel Dagget. Amos was born in 1702. Mary and Amos had three children all born in Swansea: Mary, April 2, 1734/5; Elizabeth, April 24, 1740, married William Salisbury; Job, March 2, 1746, married in Swansea Phebe Sisson daughter of John and Mary (Thurber) Sisson, see page 29. Amos died August 26, 1765.

Hopestill [for a son?] was born June 13, 1713 in Portsmouth. She married John Fones December 6, 1747 in Middletown. They had a daughter Jane who married her first cousin Richard Sisson, son of George, III see page 28.

George III, born October 1, 1715 is discussed on page 27.

James, was born September 4, 1717 in Portsmouth. On November 12, 1741 in Newport, he married Freelove Fish. They were married by Rev. Nicholas Eyres. James and Freelove are mentioned in her brother William Fish's will dated 1742, Newport. ["Fish" was misinterpreted as "Tosh".] On April 7 and 8, 1791 James sold and received land from "Richard Sisson of Swansea, yeoman". Ref: Records from Fall River Registery. Both James and Freelove are reported as having died November 3, 1805. His will was dated July 10, 1799; it does not mention a wife or children. It was proved December 3, 1805 and names "Richard Sisson son of my brother George" as executor. Since Richard died in 1804, Royal Chase was appointed administrator. As of March 4, 1806 the inventory of James's estate in Swansea was $48.21.

George married second, in Swansea October 11, 1721 Lydia Cole, daughter of Hugh, Jr., and Deborah (Buckland) Cole. Lydia was born October 7, 1691. George and Lydia had six children probably all born in Swansea:

Benjamin was born August 22, 1722.

John, born in 1723 is discussed on page 29.

Mercy Cole was born February 12, 1725. On March 21, 1755 (also reported March 25, 1756) she married Ebenezer Luther as his second wife. Ebenezer was born April 3, 1726 in Swansea, son of Ebenezer and Bethiah (Cole) Luther. *Luther genealogy: John [1], Samuel [2], Ebenezer [3], [4].* Ebenezer married first Joanna Abell and brought a daughter Deborah, born June 14, 1753 to the marriage. Mercy and Ebenezer had six children, probably all born in Warren, RI: Gideon, May 26, 1756; Nehemiah, September 16, 1758, not married; Amos, April 19, 1761; Ebenezer, February 12, 1763; Benjamin Sisson, December 9, 1764; and Mercy, December 22, 1767. Mother Mercy died October 23, 1773 in Warren. Ebenezer served in the Revolutionary War. Ebenezer married third Mrs. Jemima (Easterbrook) Toogood; he died in Swansea in 1794. Ref: (34) p.140.

Gilbert, born August 15, 1730 is discussed on page 30.

Lydia was born July 1, 1731.

Gideon, born June 21, 1733 is discussed on page 32.

George sold land to Hezekiah Kingsley of Swansea on January 26, 1742; registered in Fall River April 5, 1746, Book 7-220. George's will dated April 13, 1764 mentions wife Lydia, daughters Mary Dagget, Hope Fones, Mercy Luther and Elizabeth, and sons George, James, Benjamin (a weaver), Gilbert, John and Gideon. A

codicil was added April 8, 1766 following Lydia's death. George died in 1775.

References: (5) p.209; (7) 4:16, 64, 95; (11) Vol. I, pp.22-24, 56-57, 60, 63; (14) Vol. 10, p306; (35) pp.5,6; (36) p282; (37) p568 (38) Vol. IV, 1706-1740.

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Thomas Lawton [3]

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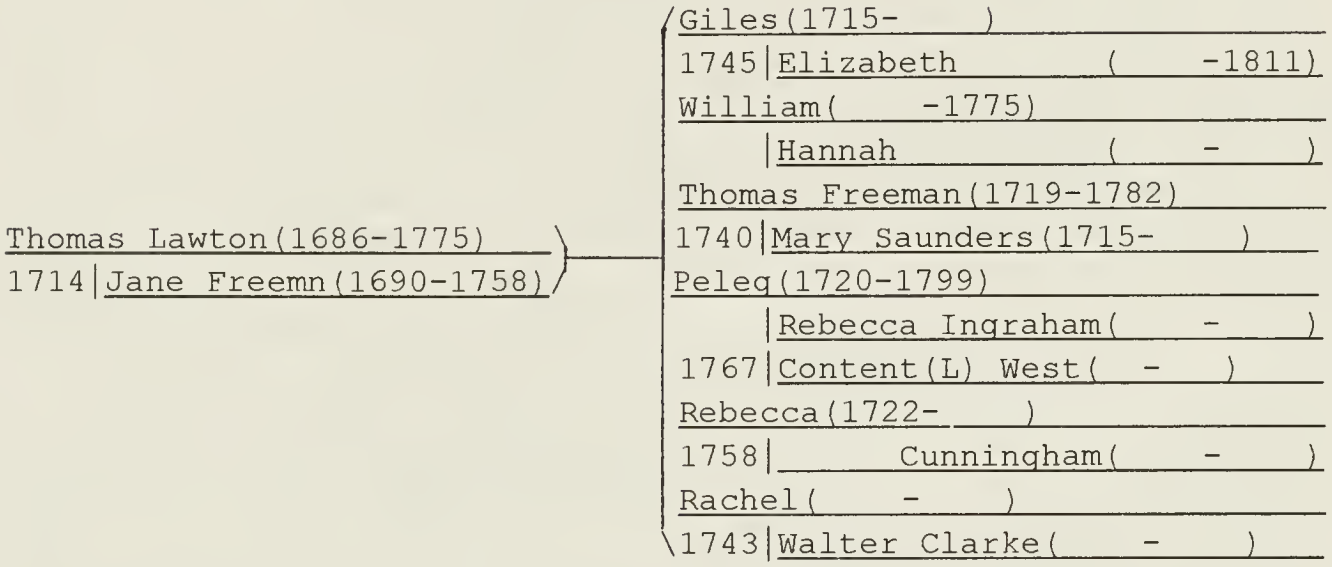

Thomas Lawton Sisson was born September 10, 1686 in Portsmouth, RI. He was admitted as a freeman in Newport April 5, 1714. He was married to Jane Freeman, daughter of William Freeman, in 1714 in Portsmouth. Jane was born in 1690. The family lived on land received by Thomas in his father's will of August 20, 1718. Thomas and Jane had six children:

Giles, born in 1715 is discussed on page 33.

William, born circa 1717 is discussed on page 34.

Thomas Freeman, born June 6, 1719 is discussed on page 35.

Peleg, born in 1720 is discussed on page 37.

Rebecca was born in 1722 and married Mr. Cunningham in 1758. They are mentioned in a will dated that year [Westerly Probate 5A:270].

Rachel was born about 1724. On March 19, 1743/4 she married Walter Clarke of Charlestown, RI. The marriage was performed by William Hern, Justice, at Westerly. She may have died before 1758 (she is not in her father's will). Refs: (36) p.282; Vol. V, p.59.

Jane died May 3, 1758. Thomas died in July, 1775 in Westerly; his will, written May 3, 1758 proved August 1, 1775, recorded in Book 6, p.272 Westerly, mentions wife Jane and five children. His inventory was £16-18s-5d.

References: Rhode Island Records (admission as freeman); (5) p.209; (7) 4:95; (11) Vol. I, p.25; (35); (39); (40) p.288.

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John [3]

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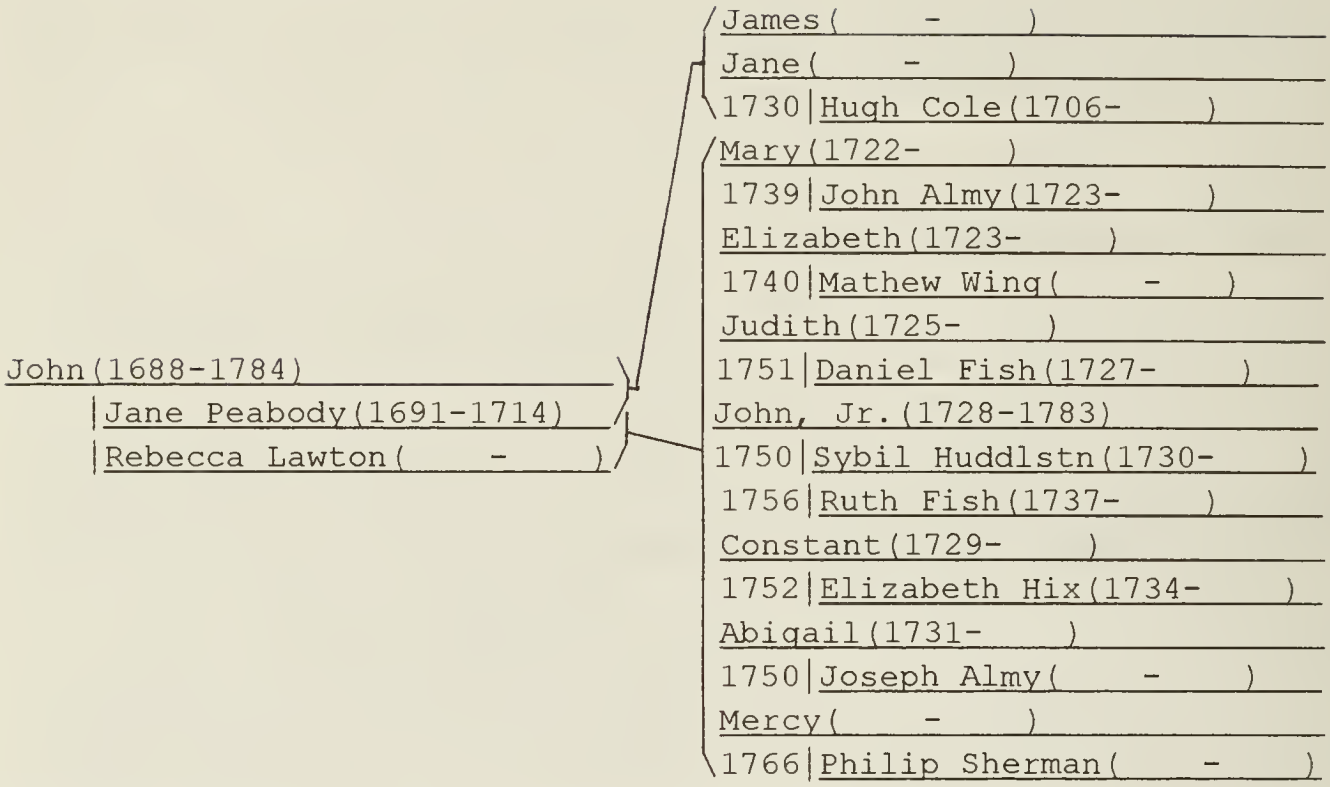

John Sisson was born in Portsmouth, RI June 26, 1688. He married first Jane Peabody. Jane was born in 1691. He inherited land and a house at Tiverton from his father in August, 1718. He was a selectman and tax assessor and was imprisoned in Bristol in 1722 for protesting taxes. John and Jane may have had two children:

James, born in Tiverton probably died young.

Jane may have been born about 1714 in Tiverton. She is mentioned in grandfather George's will of August 20, 1718 as "daughter of John". On August 13, 1730 she married Hugh Cole, son of Hugh, III and Martha (Luther) Cole. He was born September 19, 1706 in Swansea. *Cole genealogy: James [1], Hugh [2], [3], [4], [5]. Luther genealogy: John [1], Samuel [2], Martha (Luther) Cole [3], Hugh Cole [4].* In 1750 they moved to Scituate. They had ten children, the first seven born in Swansea: Sarah, February 18, 1731, married James Seaman; Martha, February 13, 1734, married Ephraim Salisbury; Samuel, May 31, 1737, died 1785-7; Lillis, March 17, 1736, married Hugh Pray; Amy, June 13, 1739, married Mr. Hunter; Peabody, October 26, 1743, married Mary Davis; Sisson, June 20, 1746, married Elizabeth Hunter; Richard, 1750, married Abigail Walker; James, October 31, 1751; and Hugh, 1757, married Dorothy Joslin, died February 25, 1819. Father Hugh died in Foster, RI. Note - This Jane has been confused with Jane, 1711, possible daughter of George and Mercy Ann (Warren), see page 11. Ref: (34) p.1264.

Mother Jane's gravestone states that "Jane Sisson, wife of John" died May 1, 1714, age 23 years. She is buried in the Peabody Burying Ground, Newport. John married second, circa 1721, Rebecca

Lawton. Rebecca was born about 1700, the daughter of John and Mary ( ) Lawton. In 1722 and 1723 John and Rebecca had land dealings with Richard and Ann Sisson. John and Rebecca had seven children, all born in Tiverton:

Mary was born April 22, 1722. On December 6, 1739 she married John Almy. John was born November 11, 1723. Mary and John may have had sons John and Austin.

Elizabeth was born December 2, 1723. On July 24, 1740 she married Mathew Wing, son of Joseph and Catherine ( ) Wing. Mathew was born in Dartmouth March 23, 1721. *Wing genealogy: Mathew [1], Rev. John [2], Stephen [3], Mathew [4], Joseph [5], Mathew [6].* They moved to Dutchess County, NY then to Rutland County, VT in 1775. Ref: "Wing Genealogy". Elizabeth and Mathew had five children: Giles; Mathew; Ruth; Elizabeth; and Mary.

Judith, sometimes called Judah, was born July 3, 1725. She was married in Dartmouth, MA, October 17, 1751, to Daniel Fish of Dartmouth. Daniel was born December 8, 1727. Judith probably died before 1759 without issue as neither she nor any children are mentioned in her mother's will.

John, Jr., born January 25, 1728 is discussed on page 38.

Constant, born May 30, 1729 is discussed on page 38.

Abigail, born July 29, 1731. She married in Dartmouth November 10, 1750 Joseph Almy, son of Job and Lydia (Tillinghast) Almy of Dartmouth. Joseph was born November 21, 1727. Abigail and Joseph had nine children, all born in Dartmouth: Nancy, June 2, 1751, married Gideon Tallman; Ruth, March 17, 1753; Anthony, March 30, 1755, married Prudence Hicks; Marcy, March 6, 1758; Patience, March 13, 1760; Benjamin, December 13, 1761; Eunice, October 29, 1763, married George Gifford; Abigail, July 9, 1765, married Perry Gifford; and Hope, December 12, 1768.

Mercy was born about 1733. She married February 19, 1766 Philip Sherman of Dartmouth as his second wife.

According to New Bedford Records #6-349 on April 24, 1751 John Sisson purchased two pieces of property in Dartmouth from William and Joseph Macomber. Book #6-351 records a property purchase from Job Gifford on July 6, 1751. The will of Mary Lawton (Rebecca's mother) dated January 15, 1759 mentions grandsons John and Constant Sisson; and granddaughters Mary Almy, Elizabeth Wing, Abigail Almy and Mary [Mercy?] Sisson. John's will dated August 30, 1768, proved October 6, 1784 recorded in Bristol County, Book 28, p.167, mentions sons John and Constant; children of daughter Jane Cole; daughters Mary Almy, Elizabeth Wing, Judith Fish, Abigail Almy and Mercy Sherman.

References: (5) p.209; (7) 4:95, 106; (11) Vol. I, pp.26-30, 72-73, 77; (41); (42); (43); (134) 1774.

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James [3]

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James (1690-1776)
1712 | Deborah Cook (1692-)

- Barnet (1713-)
  - 1737 | Katherine Briggs (1717-)
- Joseph (1714-1757)
  - 1737 | Bathsheba Cook (1712-1799)
- George (1716-1775)
  - 1742 | Abigail Cook (1725-1811)
- James, Jr. (1720-)
- Lydia (-)
  - 1744 | Samuel Denton (-)
- Mary (1724-1809)
  - 1754 | Gilbert Sisson (1730-)
- James, Jr. (1729-)
- 1752 | Mary Cook (1724-1785)

James Sisson was born July 26, 1690 in Portsmouth, RI. He also lived in Richmond and Tiverton. On April 17, 1712 he married Deborah Cook of Tiverton, daughter of Joseph and Susanna (Briggs) Cook. They were married in Portsmouth by George Cornell, Asst. Deborah was born May 5, 1692. James was admitted as a freeman by the Rhode Island General Assembly in May, 1714. James inherited land at Portsmouth (near "Solentary Hole" in the southern part of his father's homestead) and was given responsibility for the family cemetery, his father's aged Negro Abraham and wife Lucy. He inherited land from his brother Richard. He was appointed guardian of John, Joseph, and James, the minor children of his son Joseph in 1757. James and Deborah had seven children, all born in Portsmouth:

Barnet, born January 24, 1713 is discussed on page 39.

Joseph, born June 22, 1714 is discussed on page 40.

George, born April 6, 1716 is discussed on page 41.

James, Jr. (the first) was born December 4, 1720 and apparently died young.

Lydia was born circa 1722. She married November 6, 1744 Samuel (or Daniel) Denton in Portsmouth. This data has also been attributed to a daughter Avis born May 6, 1730. Neither are mentioned in their father's will of 1775.

Mary was born May 26, 1724. On September 22, 1754 she married Gilbert Sisson, page 30, son of George and Lydia (Cole) Sisson. Gilbert was born August 15, 1730. They had three children, Isaac, Susannah Cook, and Mary; discussed under Gilbert. Mary died May 13, 1809, a widow. [Rhode Island Vital Records indicate Gilbert married Mary, daughter of Robert and Margaret (Howland) Sisson.]

James, Jr. (the second), born June/July 24, 1729 is discussed on page 42.

"Mr. Sisson and Deborah Cook" are mentioned in her father's will dated 1742. On March 20, 1747, recorded 1748, James purchased property from John Mumford of Charlestown; this property was later

given to grandson Rodman. James died October, 1776; his will was dated March 23, 1775 and proved in Portsmouth October 14, 1776; Book 6, p.256. The will mentions grandson Rodman; Catherine widow of son Barnet; grandsons John, Joseph and James of son Joseph; and their mother Beershaba; grandsons Henry, Nicholas, Cook and George of son George; granddaughter Lydia of son James; son James; granddaughter Hannah of son George; and daughter Mary Sisson. His inventory on October 14 was £103-12s-7d. It has been reported that James died in 1748; this could be Deborah's death year.

References:(5) p.210; (7) 4:40, 95; (11) Vol. I, pp.31-2; (14) Vol. 10, p.308.

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Richard [3]

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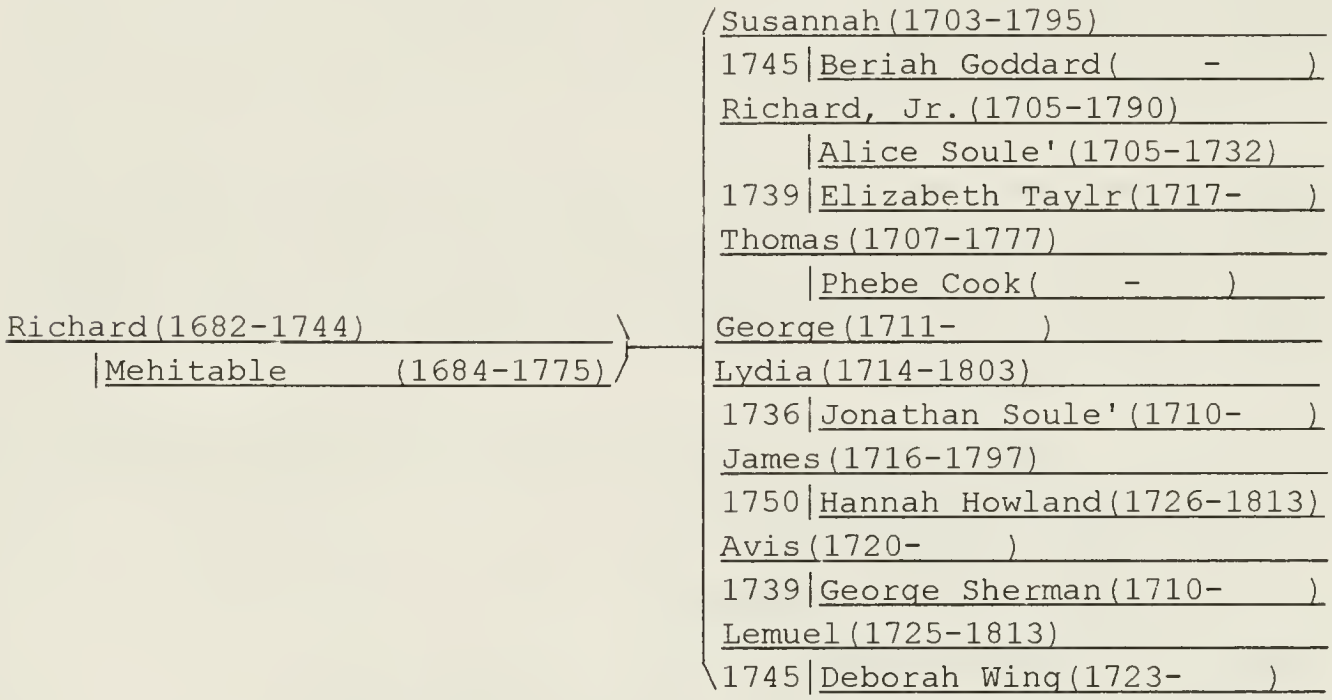

Richard Sisson was born February 19, 1682 in Dartmouth, MA. He was a Quaker and lived in Swansea and Bristol County. In 1702 he married Mehitable ( ). Mehitable was also born in Dartmouth July 26, 1684. Richard and Mehitable had eight children, all born in Dartmouth:

Susannah was born October 24, 1703. On June 1, 1745 she married Beriah Goddard of Dartmouth as his third wife. Under the old calendar their marriage month was called August. Their marriage date has also been quoted as May 6; this is perhaps their posted "intent" date. Susannah died February 15, 1795. Ref: (44) p.153.

Richard, Jr., born July 17, 1705 is discussed on page 42.

Thomas, born April 22, 1707 is discussed on page 43.

George was born March 26, 1711. He was a mariner. On August 9, 1748 (New Bedford Registry 11-452) George wrote a document to clarify and settle land boundary disputes over land received from grandfather Richard. The document was witnessed by Jonathan Soule' and Beriah Goddard.

Lydia was born September 8, 1714. She married February 12, 1736 Jonathan Soule', son of William and Hannah (Brewster) Soule'. Jonathan was born December 15, 1710. They lived in Westport, MA, and had nine children: Jonathan, married Bathsheba Russell; Joseph, married Content Wood; James, August 12, 1742, married Mary White; David, 1754, married Hannah White; Jethro, married Sylvia Ricketson; Susanna, married David Russell; Thankful, married Abner Kirby; Mary, married Preserved Tripp; and Earl. Jonathan's will was written 1779.

James, born July 11, 1716 is discussed on page 44.

Avis was born May 6, 1720. She married October 11, 1739 George Sherman, son of Peleg, Jr. and Alice (Fish) Sherman. George was born in October, 1710. Their marriage is listed in Portmouth marriages, p. 92. Avis and George had nine children: Lemuel, February 4, 1743; Barnett, October 11, 1745; Grizzelle, February 17, 1747; Susanna, April 20, 1748; Daniel, May 6, 1750; Elizabeth, March 21, 1752; Mary, January 7, 1755; Noe, November 6, 1759; and James, June 20, 1762. Ref: (87).

Lemuel, born September 21, 1725 is discussed on page 45.

Land transfers to sons James and Richard were recorded in New Bedford dated September 29, 1744, Book 5 pp.20-1. Richard died October 9, 1744 in Dartmouth. Also his will is recorded in Book 10, p.506, proved November 12, 1744 and named his wife, sons Richard, Thomas, George, James and Lemuel and daughters Susannah Goddard, Lydia Soule', and Avis Sherman. Mehitable died in Dartmouth December 24, 1775.

References: Goddard family Bible (Mehitable's birth); (7) 4:96, 7-32, 10-71; (10) pp.181, 122-3; (11) Vol. I, pp.33-5, 90-1, 97; (45) 14:364-7; (46) vol.20, pp.338-9.

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James, Jr. [3]

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James, Jr.(-)
1725 | Bthshba Cook(1705-1740)

- Elizabeth(1726-1774)
- Gideon(1726-1807)
- 1757 | Mary Reed(1736-1760)
- 1762 | Mary Hart(-1785)
- Robert(1727-1795)
- James III(-)
  - | Deborah (1729-1790)
- John(-)
- Lewis(1738-1810)
  - | Patience (-1810)

James Sisson, Jr. was born in Dartmouth about 1686. He published intent May 5, and on July 15, 1725 in Tiverton he married Bathsheba Cook, daughter of Thomas and Elizabeth (Pearce) Cook. Bathsheba was born November 5, 1705 in Tiverton. James was a Quaker and his family is listed in the 1774 census as seven males over 16,

and three females over 16. James and Bathsheba had six children, all born in Dartmouth:

Elizabeth was born in 1726, a twin to Gideon. She died August 24, 1774 and is buried in the Newport Cemetery.

Gideon, born in 1726 is discussed on page 46.

Robert, born 1727, died 1795.

James, III, was born about 1730. He married Deborah ( ) who was born in 1729; she died December 13, 1790. James was a sea captain and died after 1790 in Providence.

John was born about 1732. John is reported as having married Mary Sisson, born 1743, daughter of Richard and Deliverance (Tallman) Sisson, see page 25.

Lewis, born 1738 is discussed on page 47.

Bathsheba died November 15, 1740 in Newport. They are mentioned in her father's will dated 1750. On December 5, 1749 (New Bedford Registry, Book 6-346) James Sisson innholder, conveyed two tracts of land in Dartmouth to his son Gideon. James died after 1774. His mother, wife and daughter are buried in the Newport Cemetery.

References: (7) 4:48; (11) Vol. I, pp.36-7; (14) Vol. 10, p.308, Vol. 11, p.367; (47) vault A, p186; (48) 5:1141 7:1602; (134) 1774, 1790.

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Jonathan [3]

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Jonathan(1689-1755)
1723|Mary Wood(1702-)

William(1723-1763)
1748|Lydia Potter(1727-1790)
|Mary Potter(-)
Jonathan, Jr.(1725-1805)
1746|Hannah Howland(1715-)
1766|Hannah Howland(1728-1811)
Content(1726-)
James(-)
1758|Elizabeth Howlnd(-)
Mary(-1775)
1751|Nicholas Howland(1725-)
John(-1788)
1752|Naomi Smith(-)
Lydia(-1774)
1754|Wesson Tallman(-)
Desire(-)
1758|James Anthony(-)
Stephen(1745-1774)
1766|Phebe Barker(1745-1824)
Hannah(-)
1780|Charles Wilber(1732-1810)

Jonathan Sisson was born in Dartmouth in 1689. Jonathan was a Quaker. On February 7, 1723 in Little Compton, RI, he married Mary Wood, daughter of Thomas and Content ( ) Wood, of Dartmouth. [Mary has been reported as a Mayflower descendent. This was a statement made in records given to us with no confirmation. We are assuming that the statement was meant to apply to Mary rather than to Jonathan himself. Jonathan is a Mayflower descendant thru his mother, Lydia (Hathaway) Sisson. No members of the Wood family are recorded on the Mayflower. We do not know Mary Wood's mother's maiden name, therefore we do not know the basis of the assumption that Mary was a Mayflower descendant.] They were married by Thomas Church, Justice. Mary was born in Little Compton February 6, 1702. Jonathan and Mary had ten children, all born Dartmouth:

William, born November 9, 1723 is discussed on page 48.

Jonathan, Jr., born January 4, 1725 is discussed on page 49.

Content was born October 6, 1726; she is not mentioned in her father's will.

James was born about 1728. On September 17, 1758 in Dartmouth he published his intent to marry Elizabeth Howland.

Mary was born circa 1730 and married on November 4, 1751 in Dartmouth, Nicholas Howland, son of Samuel and Sarah (Soule') Howland. Nicholas was born January 1, 1725. They had eight children: Mary, who married Calvin Skinner; Alice, who married Jerathmeel White; Anne, who married Jirch Sherman; Jonathan, who moved to Canada; Joseph, who moved to Saratoga; William, born February 2, 1772, died February 12, 1832; Reuben, born November 11, 1774, married Margaret Spooner; and Benjamin. Mary died circa 1775. Refs: (23); (44) p. 205; (49) p.119. [note: "Howland Genealogy", p.98 assigns a set of children, but the data and dates given do not fit this couple.]

John, born about 1732 is discussed on page 51.

Lydia was born about 1735. On October 5, 1754 she published her intent to marry Wesson (Weston) Tallman of Dartmouth; they were married October 24 in Tiverton. She died in 1774.

Desire was born about 1738. She posted intent October 7, 1758 to marry James Anthony. Ref: (23).

Stephen, born circa 1745 is discussed on page 52.

Hannah was born about 1747. On November 23, 1780 in Westport, she married Charles Wilber as his second wife. Charles was born August 22, 1732 in Little Compton, son of William and Esther (Burgess) Wilber. Hannah and Charles had a daughter Mary, September 8, 1781. Charles died November 2, 1810.

Mary died before 1751 in Dartmouth. Jonathan's will was dated March 14, 1755; it was proved May 6, 1755 in Dartmouth (Book 14, p.346). The will mentions wife Mary, sons William and wife Lydia (Potter), Jonathan and wife Hannah (Howland), John, James and Stephen, daughters Lydia Tallman, Desire Sisson and Hannah Sisson; executor William Wood. His inventory May 2, 1759 was £129-6s-10d. Jonathan is buried in Westport in Friends Meeting House Yard.

References: (7) 4:48, 58; 7-32; 10:71; (11) Vol. I, pp.38, 115; (24); (45) 14:364-7; (50) p.1819; Friends Marriage Records (birth of daughter Mary).

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John, Jr. [3]

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John, Jr.(-1759)
1703 Abgail Hffrlnd(-1766)

- John III(1704-)
  - Esther Richmnd(1704-)
- Robert(1706-1792)
  - Margart Howlnd(1711-1775)
- Abigail(1709-)
  - 1733 George Cornell(1676-1752)
- Sarah(1712-)
  - 1729 Thomas Sherman(-)
- Mary(1721-)
  - 1746 John Brightman(1717-)

John Sisson, Jr. was born in Newport, RI, about 1682. He is mentioned in the will of his grandmother Mary Sisson in 1690. He was a tailor and lived in Portsmouth. In 1703 he married Abigail Hefferland of Newport, daughter of John and Abigail (Mott) Hefferland. John and Abigail had five children, all born in Portsmouth:

John, III, born October 14, 1704 is discussed on page 52.

Robert, born October 23, 1706 is discussed on page 53.

Abigail was born July 21, 1709. She married in Portsmouth, March 8, 1733 George Cornell as his third wife. George was born in 1676 in Portsmouth, son of Thomas and Susanna (Lawton) Cornell. He became a freeman May 5, 1696. He was assistant to the governor of Rhode Island, 1707-1716. Ref: (604). Abigail and George had four or five children, all born in Portsmouth: Benjamin, December 15, 1733 married Elizabeth Bennett; Deliverence, January 25, 1738, died May 25, 1740; Sarah, June 7, 1742 married Mr. Manchester; and Job, February 28, 1747. They may have had a daughter Abigail in 1750. George died May 11, 1752 in Newport. Abigail is not mentioned in either her father's will of 1759 or her mother's will of 1766. Ref: (66).

Sarah was born March 29, 1712. She married June 19, 1729 Thomas Sherman in Portsmouth. It has also been reported that she died young. She is not mentioned in her father's will of 1759.

Mary was born March 30, 1721. She married September 4, 1746 John Brightman of Portsmouth, son of William and Mercy (Spurr) Brightman. John was born March 19, 1717. Mary and John had six children, all born in Portsmouth: Elizabeth, September 4, 1748; Abigail, October 11/17, 1750; Patience, May 28, 1753; Isaac, June 2, 1756; David, November 18, 1759; and Mary, May 21, 1763. Ref: (7) 1-62.

John's will recorded in Portsmouth Book 5, p.192 dated February 3, 1759 proved December 10, 1759 mentions his wife, sons John and Robert, daughter Mary Brightman, and grandson Benjamin Cornell. His inventory was £1589-7s-4d. Wife Abigail's will dated January 14, 1760, recorded in Book 6, p.41, proved June 9, 1766 names kinsman Jacob Mott executor and mentions John, Robert and Mary and grandchildren Abigail, Mary, Ruth and Bathsheba Sisson, Benjamin

and Sarah Cornell, Elizabeth, Abigail and Patience Brightman, and Caleb and Lavis Sisson.

References: (7) 4:40, 96; (14) Vol. 10, p.307; (11) Vol. I, pp.44-5, 133-4.

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GENERATION [4]

George [4]

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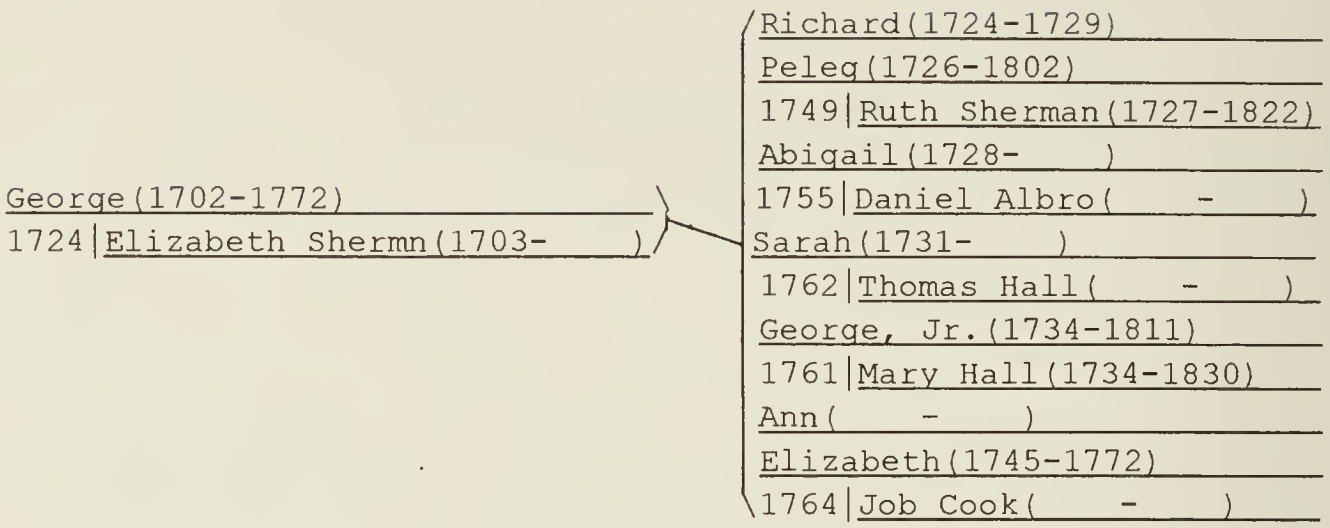

George Sisson was born March 30, 1702 in Portsmouth, RI. On March 5, 1724 he married Elizabeth Sherman, daughter of Peleg and Alice (Fish) Sherman. They were married in Portsmouth by William Sanford, Justice. Elizabeth was born September 5, 1703. [The Sherman, Lawton, and Fish genealogies are given in the Martin reference.] George was admitted as a freeman by the Newport, RI, General Assembly on February 3, 1723. He and his brother Richard dug a well for the schoolhouse in 1732. George and Sarah had seven children, probably all born in Portsmouth:

Richard was born December 27, 1724 and died October 18, 1729 in Portsmouth.

Peleg, born May 31, 1726 is discussed on page 57.

Abigail was born September 30, 1728. On September 23, 1755 in Portsmouth she married Daniel Albro, son of Samuel and Ruth (Lawton) Albro.

Sarah was born June 15, 1731. On November 25, 1762 she married Thomas Hall, son of Parker Hall. Sarah and Thomas had six children, all born in Portsmouth: Abigail, April 4, 1763; Parker, August 30, 1764; Elizabeth, May 14, 1767; Thomas, January (or June) 22, 1769; Sarah, April 1, 1770; and Peleg, July 1, 1772.

George, Jr., born November 20, 1734 is discussed on page 58.

Ann was probably born about 1737. She is not recorded in Portsmouth but is mentioned in her father's will.

Elizabeth was born September 23, 1745. On October 10, 1764 in Portsmouth she married Job Cook of Tiverton, RI. They were married by Rev. Gardner Thurston. [These are the ancestors of Stephen Nowotarski, Massapequa Park, NY.] Elizabeth died in 1772. Ref: (7) 7:364.

George and Elizabeth are mentioned in her father's will dated 1752. George's will, recorded in Portsmouth (Book 6, p.178) written March 2, 1772 proved April 13, 1772 mentions wife Elizabeth, sons Peleg and George, daughters Sarah Hall, Ann Sisson and Elizabeth Sisson, grandchildren John and Ann Albro of daughter Abigail. His

inventory was £6,410, 12s, 0d. Elizabeth died after George who died March 17, 1772.

References: (5) pp.55 and 210; (7) 4:40, 95, 96; (11) Vol. I, pp.46-7, Vol. II, p.2; (14) Vol. 10, pp.305, 8; (31) p.167; (51) p.522.

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Richard, Jr. [4]

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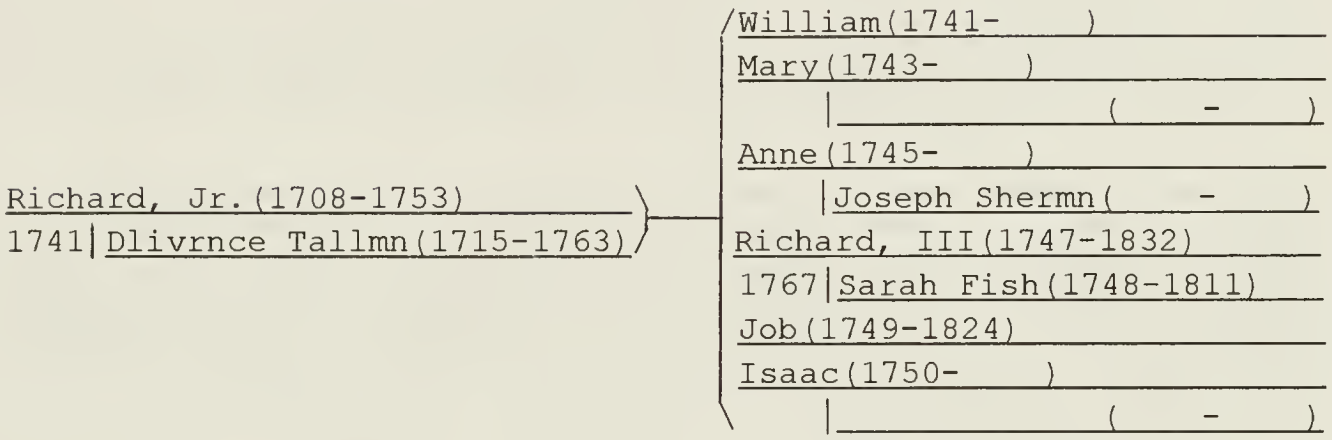

Richard Sisson, Jr. was born February 25, 1708 in Portsmouth, Newport County, RI. He was a farmer and inherited the homestead from his father. On August 2, 1741 Richard married Deliverance Tallman, daughter of Benjamin and Patience (Durfee) Tallman. They were married in Portsmouth by John Gardiner, Justice. Deliverance was born February 4, 1715. Richard and Deliverance had six children all born in Portsmouth:

William was born November 7, 1741. William died at sea. He may be the William Sisson mentioned in "Rhode Island Soldiers and Sailors of the French and Indian Wars" as having enlisted at Newport for the campaign of 1762.

Mary was born September 10, 1743. Her son Lemuel was raised by his mother and took the surname Sisson; Mary is discussed on page 60. On December 9, 1786 a Mary Sisson and Seth Devol published their intent to marry. Ref: (23) p.59.

Anne was born May 10, 1745. She married Joseph Sherman and had seven children: Mary, who was not married and died at exactly 100 years; Oliver, who went west; Job, who moved to western New York; Ruth, who married Mr. Sherman; Ann, who married Mr. Ormsbee; Peleg, who went west; and James, who married Miss Cornell.

Richard, III, born May 11, 1747 is discussed on page 59.

Job was born April 5, 1749. He was not married and died September 2, 1824, in Little Compton, age 75 years. His estate was settled by his nephew Lemuel Sisson. References: (7) 13:27; 14:274; 19:126; 21:558.

Isaac, born June 20, 1750 (not mentioned in his father's will) is discussed on page 61.

Richard died May 30, 1753. His will is recorded in Portsmouth, Book 4, p.429, dated May 28, 1753, proved June 18 of that

year. The will mentions wife Deliverance, sons William, Richard, Job, daughters Mary and Anne Sisson. Deliverance died in 1763.

References: (5) p.210; (7) 4:40, 96; (11) Vol. I, pp.51-2; (27) Vol. 5.

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John [4]

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John(1716-1773)
1746|Sarah Woodman(1712-)
1754|Patience Tallman(1721-)

Job(1747-1747)
Joseph(1749-1785)

John Sisson was born January 5, 1716 in Portsmouth, RI. He inherited land in Coventry by his father's will. He was admitted as a "voting freeman" of Portsmouth by the Assembly in February, 1739. On January 1, 1746 he married first Sarah Woodman of Little Compton, daughter of John and Elizabeth (Briggs) Woodman. They were married in Portsmouth by William Sanford, Justice. Sarah was born April 3, 1712. John and Sarah had two children born in Portsmouth:

Job was born January 2, 1747 and died August 29 of that same year in Portsmouth.

Joseph was born August 14, 1749. He was probably not married. His will is dated September 30, 1775; he died November 21, 1785. His will, proved December 19, 1785 (recorded in Book 7-100) gives his property to his "mother-in-law" [step-mother?] "all property given him by his late father". On September 30, 1785 Patience Fish was given administration of Joseph's estate.

John married second Patience Tallman June 6, 1754 in Portsmouth. They were married by William Anthony, Jr, Justice. Patience was born April 6, 1721 the daughter of Benjamin and Patience (Durfee) Tallman. She is the sister of Deliverance, wife of John's brother Richard. John died in May of 1773 in Portsmouth. John's will recorded May 10, 1773 in Portsmouth, (Book 6-200) dated March 10, 1772 mentions wife Patience and son Joseph. His inventory was £397, 0s, 10½d. Patience had no issue and married second April 3, 1776 Benjamin Fish, as his second wife.

References: (5) p.210; (7) 4:40, 96; (11) Vol. I, p.54; (30).

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Isaac [4]

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Isaac(1719-1755)
1751|Alice Simmons(1723-)

Lydia(1752-)
1768|James Taylor(1739-)
Abel(1754-)

Isaac Sisson was born October 25, 1719 in Portsmouth, RI. He inherited land in Coventry by his father's will. On November 3,

1751 he married Alice Simmons, daughter of William and Mary (Pierce) Simmons. They were married in Little Compton by Joseph Wood, Justice. Alice was born March 13, 1723. Isaac and Alice had two children, both born in Portsmouth:

Lydia was born August 20, 1752. She married in Little Compton July 7/9, 1768 James Taylor, son of Robert and Rebecca (Rouse) Taylor. James was born January 21, 1739. They lived at Little Compton, and had nine children: Isaac, January 29, 1772; Rebecca, September 1, 1774; Abigail, November 25, 1776, died August, 1778; Sisson, September 30, 1778; Betsey, November 25, 1780; William, March 27, 1783; Lydia, July 3, 1785; Anne, May 6, 1787; and Deborah, September 10, 1789. Lydia (Sisson) Taylor is mentioned in the will of her aunt Elizabeth (Sisson) Taylor see page 10.

Abel was born August 6, 1754.

Isaac died March 11, 1755. His will dated February 28, 1755 recorded March 18 in Portsmouth Book 4-463 mentions wife, daughter Lydia Sisson and son Abel Sisson. His father-in-law, William Simmons was named as executor and guardian of the children. His inventory was £1145-15s-11d.

References: (5) p.210; (7) 4:58, 96; (11) Vol. I, p.55; (26) p.354.

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George, III [4]

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George, III (1715-1793)
1737 | Drslla Cole (1719-1791)

- Sarah (1738-)
- 1760 | Elisha Chase (1732-1784)
- Lydia (1739-)
- Ruth (1741-)
  - | Thomas Borden (-)
- Richard (1743-1804)
- 1773 | Jane Fones (1748-1780)
  - | Mary (C) McDonald (1748-1829)
- Abigail (1745-)
- 1767 | Reuben Hudson (-)
- Jonathan (1747-1778)
- Elizabeth (1749-1750)
- Elizabeth (1751-)
- Anne (1753-)
- George, IV (1754-)
- 1781 | Hannah (Wall) Smith (-)
- James (1756-1834)
- 1780 | Sarah Mason (1759-1814)
- 1829 | Olive Bowen (-1829)

George Sisson was born October 1, 1715 in Swansea, MA. He inherited land from his father at Touisset Neck, Swansea. Either they moved or the boundry moved so that they were living in Warren

after about 1745. On January 22, 1737 he married Drusilla Cole. Drusilla was born circa 1719 in Portsmouth, RI. George and Drusilla had eleven children, the first four in Swansea, the others born in Warren, RI:

Sarah was born March 28, 1738. On March 20, 1760 in Warren (or Swansea) she married Elisha Chase, son of Elisha and Elizabeth (Wheaton) Chase. *Chase genealogy: William [1], [2], Samuel [3], Elisha [4], [5].* Elisha was born in 1732. Sarah and Elisha had six children: Royal, October 11, 1760, married Patience Luther; Lydia, September 2, 1762, married John Sherman; Bethany, May 23, 1768, married Deacon Benjamin Luther; Richard, June 7, 1774, married Bathsheba Hathaway and Nancy Philips, died May 22, 1846; Sarah, May 15, 1778; and Reuben, married Rachel Wilson Peck. Elisha died in 1784. Sarah is named in her father's will as "Sarah Chase, widow of Elisha Chase".

Lydia "Lidda" was born July 1, 1739. She is not named in her father's will.

Ruth was born May 10, 1741. Ruth married Thomas Borden/Burden, son of Benjamin and Elizabeth (Mason) Borden. Thomas married second Sarah Easterbrooks (born 1765). Ref: (34) p.1285.

Richard was born July 16, 1743. On December 6, 1773 he married Jane Fones, [Swansea records give Joan Jones] daughter of John and Hopestill (Sisson) Fones. Jane (name on her gravestone) died in 1780, age 32. She is buried in the private Sisson ground, Touisset Neck. He later married Mary (Cole) McDonald, a widow, daughter of Ebenezer and Prudence (Miller) Cole. Mary was born January 9, 1748. Cole family records state that Mary married first John Easterbrook, second Levi Perry, third Richard Sisson and fourth Paul McDonald. Richard died September 10, 1804 with no issue. Richard's will dated March 22, 1799 proved November 6, 1804 in Swansea named wife Mary and various relatives but no children. Mary died May 21, 1829 in Warren. Both are buried on Touisset Neck beside Jane. Refs: (7) 13:27; 19:126; 21:559; (11) Vol. II, pp.9-12.

Abigail was born August 18, 1745. On November 1, 1767 she married Reuben Hudson. They lived in Swansea and Warren. Abigail and Reuben had four children: Ruth, February 22, 1768; George, February 16, 1770; Abigail (mentioned in grandfather George's will); and Jane (mentioned in will of her uncle Richard). Mother Abigail is mentioned in her father's will of 1791 but not in her brother's will of 1799.

Jonathan was born October 20, 1747 and died February 6 or 26, 1778.

The first Elizabeth was born April 19, 1749 and died September 27, 1750 according to the Sisson Bible. The second Elizabeth was born April 27, 1751.

Anne was born August 23, 1753.

George, IV, was born October 22, 1754. This may be the George who married April 15, 1781 in East Greenwich, RI, Hannah (Wall) Smith, a widow and daughter of William and Hannah ( ) Wall. They were married by H. Cooke, Justice. George and Hannah are mentioned in a will dated 1801. Refs: (52) 2:60, 5:110-11; (14) Vol. 7, p.316.

James, born February 22, 1756 is discussed on page 61.

The family probably lived in Warren, RI, in 1774. Drusilla died September 20, 1791. George died May 21, 1793 in Swansea. His will dated December 17, 1791 proved June 2, 1793 is recorded in Warren Book 2-78. It mentions sons Richard, George and James, daughters Sarah Chase, Ruth "Burden", Abigail Hudson, Elizabeth and Anna Sisson and grandchildren Haile Mason Sisson and Abigail Hudson.

References: Sisson Bible; (5) pp.208-12; (7) 6:37 & 89; (11) Vol. IV, p.53.

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John [4]

Richard [1], George [2], George, Jr. [3] page 11

John(1723-1787)
1751|Mary Thurber(1729-)

- Phebe(1751-)
  - 1778|Job Daggett(1746-)
- George(1753-1831)
  - 1781|Bethany Luther(1759-1811)
- Jarvis(1756-)
- John,Jr.(1758-1839)
  - 1797|Susanna H. (1775-)
- Caleb(1760-)
- Esek(1762-1832)
  - 1790|Sabra Luther(1767-1854)
- Jane(1764-1842)
  - 1790|Aaron Luther(1762-1846)
- Gardiner(1767-1849)
  - 1790|Esther Woodmnsee(1767-1820)
  - |Charlotte Barton(1785-1868)
- Fones(1769-)
- Mary(1771-)
- Lydia(1774-)

John Sisson was born in 1723 probably in Portsmouth, RI. On July 21, 1751 he married Mary Thurber in Swansey, MA. Mary was born March 1, 1729 daughter of John and Mary (Brown) Thurber. They had eleven children, the first three born in Swansea, the rest in Warren, RI.:

Phebe was born November 12, 1751. On June 11, 1778 in Swansea she married Job Daggett, son of Amos and Mary (Sisson) Daggett, see page 12. Job was born March 2, 1746 in Swansea. Phebe and Job had two children both born in Swansea: Caleb, March 29, 1779; and Abigail, August 17, 1781.

George, born December 1, 1753 is discussed on page 62.

Jarvis was born February 8, 1756.

John, Jr., born February 17, 1758 is discussed on page 63.

Caleb was born April 14, 1760. His birth was reported in North Kingstown and/or West Greenwich, RI.

Esek, born August 11, 1762 is discussed on page 64.

Jane was born September 27, 1764. She married Aaron Luther on February 14, 1790 in Swansea. He was born November 29, 1762 in Swansea, the son of Calvin and Sarah ( ) Luther. *Luther genealogy: John [1], Hezekiah [2], [3], Calvin [4].* An Aaron Luther is on the roll of pensioners, 1840 as age 77, living with Mason G. Brown. She is reported in the reference below as "Jane, daughter of Gardner"; Gardiner is her brother. Jane and Aaron had five children: Abby, January 7, 1794; Levi, January 7, 1794; Hale, February 1, 1800; Rhodolphus, June 3, 1803; and Calvin, April 16, 1806. Possible other children: Keziah, April 9, 1821 and Lucinda, February 12, 1823 to February 23, 1877. Jane died March 20, 1842; Aaron died March 24, 1846, both in Swansea. Ref: (34) p.244.

Gardiner, born March 7, 1767 is discussed on page 65.

Fones was born June 7, 1769.

Mary was born November 13, 1771.

Lydia was born July 13, 1774.

Some of these sons were Revolutionary War pensioners. The will of John Sisson, recorded in Warren Book 1, p.513, dated December 17, 1786 proved May 7, 1787 mentions wife Mary, sons Fones, George, John, Esek, and Gardiner, daughters Phebe Daggett, Jane, Mary and Lydia Sisson. His inventory was £23-12s. Documents recorded in Fall River Book 14, pp.177, 233 show land transfers, when in 1789 "Mary Sisson a widow" sold land and in 1790 "Mary Sisson a widow and John Sisson, yeoman" [son] sold land.

References: (5) p.208-212; (7) 1:65, 6:89, 17:393; (11) Vol. I, p.55; Vol. II, p.17; (53) p.196; (54).

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Gilbert [4]

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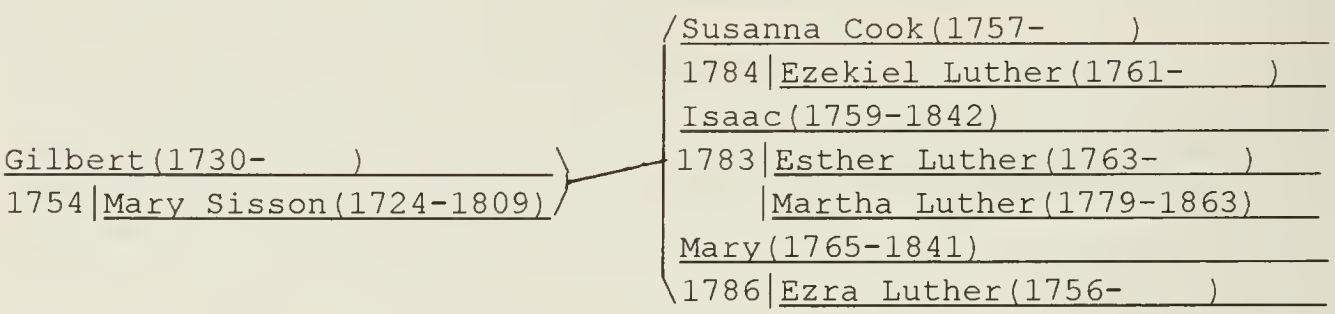

Gilbert Sisson was born August 15, 1730 in Swansey, MA. He was a cordwainer. On September 22, 1754 he married Mary Sisson, daughter of James and Deborah (Cook) Sisson, see page 16. They were married in Portsmouth, RI, by Robert Lawton, Asst. Mary was born May 26, 1724 in Portsmouth, RI. Gilbert and Mary had three children:

Susanna Cook was born October 27, 1757. On November 1, 1784 in Swansea she married Ezekiel Luther, son of Levi and Sarah ( ) Luther. *Luther genealogy: John [1], Hezekiah [2], [3], Levi [4], [5], Ezekiel [6].* Ezekiel was born May 21, 1761. They were Quakers and farmers. Susanna and Ezekiel had a daughter: Mary, probably

married Preserved Richmond, died in Greenbush, MI, in 1854. Susanna and Ezekiel are mentioned in the will of Susannah C. Luther dated 1839. They are probably buried in Fairfield, NY. Refs: (14) Vol. 10, p.307; (34) pp.351-2.

Isaac, born January 21, 1759 is discussed on page 66.

Mary was born May 29, 1765. On October 29, 1786 in Swansea she married Capt. Ezra Luther, son of Thomas and Mary (Little) Luther. *Luther genealogy: John [1], Hezekiah [2], Robert [3], [4], Thomas [5].* Ezra was born October 21, 1756 in Swansea; he was a mariner and listed November 10, 1780 on the ship "G. Pickering". He was captured by the British on his way to the West Indies. Mary and Ezra had three children all born Swansea: Deborah Cole, February 8, 1787, married Haile Mason Sisson, p. 135; Susannah Sisson, August 7, 1788; and Thomas, May 24, 1790. Ezra's will was dated March 7, 1780 in Swansea. Mary died a widow in Warren April 3, 1841 and is buried in Warren. Refs: (53) p.298; (93).

During the Revolutionary War Gilbert was the master of the 16-ton schooner "Barton" with ten cannon and 25 men. He had orders from the governor to "prey upon British shipping on the high seas wheresoever you see fit". Gilbert's will was dated February 26, 1806 but was not proved until July 4, 1817, well after his death. It mentions wife Mary, daughters Susanna Luther and Mary Luther, son Isaac and grandchildren Lydia and Gilbert Sisson, children of son Isaac. Mary died May 13, 1809 a widow in Sommerset, MA.

References: "Providence Gazette" death records (Mary); (5) p.208-12; (7) 4:40; 12:63 (Gilbert called Gideon); 14:274; (11) Vol. I, pp.32, 64; (55) Vol II (1901).

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Gideon [4]

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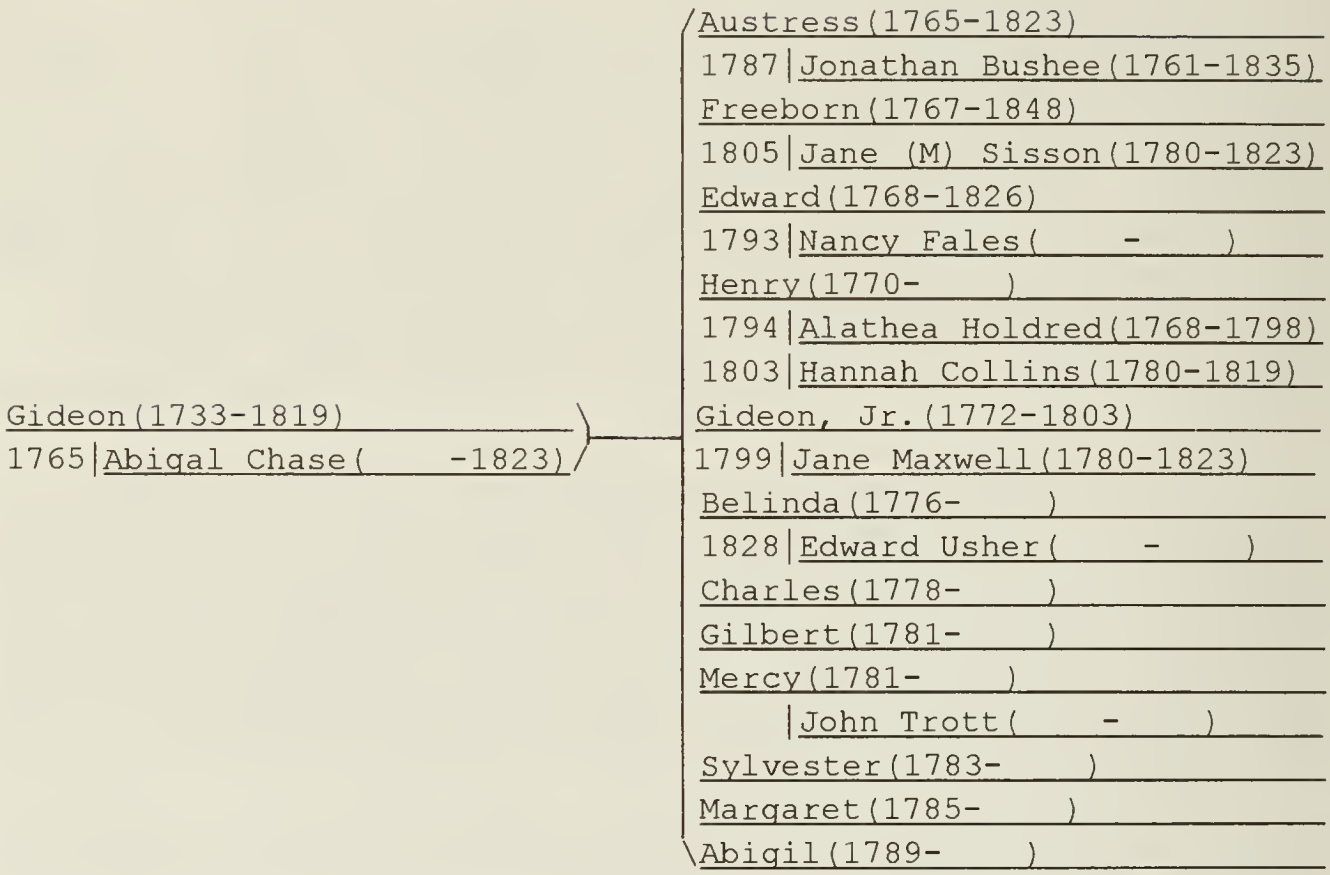

Gideon Sisson was born June 21, 1733 in Swansea, MA, or Portsmouth, RI. On March 5, 1765 he married Abigail Chase in Freetown, MA, daughter of Charles and Abigail (Strange) Chase. They lived in Warren, RI, in 1774 and 1790. Some sources do not give children after 1780. Gideon and Abigail probably had twelve children, all but Edward born in Warren:

Austress was born May 11, 1765. Her name has also been reported as Anstress. In 1787 in Barrington, RI, she married Jonathan Bushee. Jonathan was born February 5, 1761. He was a private from Rhode Island during the Revolution and applied for a pension. Austress and Jonathan had a daughter Nancy July 1, 1788. Austress died May 6, 1823; Jonathan died June 9, 1835. Ref: (56) Vol. III, Patriot Spouses.

Freeborn, Esq., born January 16, 1767, married his brother Gideon's widow. He is discussed on page 69.

Edward, born October 14, 1768 in Dedham, MA, is discussed on page 68.

Henry, born October 12, 1770 is discussed on page 69.

Gideon, Jr., born October 10, 1772 is discussed on page 70.

Belinda was born January 11, 1776. On April 20, 1828 she married Edward Usher; "Elder Wright's Publishments" shows May 20. Belinda is also called Linda and has been confused with Melinda (ca.1799) page 124.

Charles was born March 9, 1778. From handwritten documents his name has been misinterpreted "Marvel". This may be the Charles

Sisson of Bedford who died February, 1807 near Windham, CT, when he was thrown from a sleigh, "the horse taking fright". He was on his way to Poughkeepsie, NY. Ref: "Providence, RI Gazette", February 10, 1807.

Gilbert and Mercy, twins, were born January 16, 1781. Mercy married Capt. John Trott.

Sylvester was born February 19, 1783.

Margaret was born July 17, 1785.

Abigail was born February 26, 1789.

Gideon was involved in a land deal March 29, 1781 registered in Fall River, MA, June 13, 1782, Book 12, p.96. Gideon died April 12, 1819 in Swansey, MA. Abigail died "at an advanced age, suddenly" December 25, 1823 in Warren. Both are buried in the Sisson Ground at Touissett.

References: (81) 1800 census, p.402, with 4 f 10-26, no m; (5) p.208-12; (7) 6:17 & 89 & 90, 8:317 & 349, 13:27, 14:274, 19:126, 21:558; (11) Vol. I, p.65; (57) Vol. V, 1859.

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Giles [4]

Richard [1], George [2], Thomas Lawton [3] page 13

Giles(1715-1811)
1745|Elizabeth (-1811)

- Samuel(1747-)
  - 1768|Lucy (-)
  - |(-)
- John(1749-1818)
  - 1770|Alcha Crandall(1755-1832)
- Jane(1751-)
- Content(1753-)
- Sarah(1755-)
  - |George(-)
- Esther(1757-)
  - |Buck (-)
- Ann(1759-)
  - |Eastwood(-)
- Ruth(1761-)
  - |Morgan(-)
- Sylvester(-)
- Arnold(1770-1852)
  - |Lucy Wyland(1780-)
  - |Prudence Wyborn(1770-)

Giles Sisson was born in 1715 in Newport, RI. In 1745/6 he married Elizabeth ( ) of Newbury Port, RI. The family moved to Westerly, RI, and then to New York state after 1761. Giles and Elizabeth had ten children, the first eight born in Westerly:

Samuel, born December 4, 1747 is discussed on page 70.

John, born April 10, 1749 is discussed on page 72.

Jane was born April 27, 1751.

Content was born May 20, 1753.

Sarah was born March/May 28, 1755 and married Mr. George.

Esther was born August 5/6, 1757 and married a man whose first name was Buck.

Ann was born September 5, 1759. She married Mr. Eastwood and moved to Lake Erie.

Ruth was born December 23 (or 27), 1761 and married Mr. Morgan.

Sylvester was born in New York, date unknown. He was blind and not married. He lived with his brother John and died in Unadilla.

Arnold, born in 1770 in Livonia, NY, is discussed on page 73.

The family lived on the River Road above Unadilla before 1808. Giles died in Herkimer County, NY. Giles's will, written February 6, 1811, proved July 23, 1811, leaves his property equally to his children, in care of his wife. Elizabeth's grave marker in Abraham, IN, says, "Elizabeth, wife of Giles, died July 23, 1811".

References: Stephentown, Albany County, NY 1790 census; (7) 5:133; (58); (59) 022,335; (60); (61) Book B, p.210.

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William [4]

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William(-1775)
Hannah (-)

1762 Oliver(1738-1809) | Mary Park(1740-)
1763 Nathan(1740-1814) | Hannah Burdick(-1814)
1766 Hannah(1742-) | William,Jr.(1744-1798) | Mercy Noyes(1748-1824)
1770 Benejah(1746-) | Elizabeth Main(1750-)
1780 James(1748-1827) | Thankful Fuller(-)
1780 Abigail(1750-1828) | Hannah Thompsn(1758-1821)
1768 Jonathan(1753-1833) | Levi Kimbal(1745-1827)
1776 Hannah(1755-) | Elizabeth Blivn(1755-1842)
1772 Thomas(1758-1841) | Thomas Maxson(1750-)
1783 Abigail Cottrll(1761-1831)

William Sisson was born about 1717. He was admitted as a freeman in Westerly, RI, in November, 1737. He inherited land from

his father and was a farmer in Stonington, CT. Westerly Book 2, p.76 registers William's earmark 1744/5. He married Hannah ( ). William and Hannah had ten children, all born in Westerly:

Oliver, born March 30, 1738 is discussed on page 74.

Nathan, born April 14, 1740 is discussed on page 75.

The first Hannah was born January 17, 1742 and died young. She possibly died after 1750 after the birth of Abigail.

William, Jr., born July 12, 1744 is discussed on page 76.

Benejah, born September 2, 1746 is discussed on page 77.

James, born August 25, 1748 is discussed on page 78.

Abigail was born October 24, 1750. On December 1, 1768 in Westerly she married Levi Kimball, son of Jacob and Mary (Parke) Kimball. Levi was born April 22, 1745. He was a farmer from Preston, CT. Some records show his name as Levi Russell. They had at least one child, a descendant of whom was Lindsey S. Reeks of Pleasant Hill, CA. Levi died August 27, 1827 and Abigail died March 20, 1828, both in Rockland, NY. Both are buried in the Westfield Flats Cemetery, Roscoe, NY. Ref: Washington County, RI Marriage Records.

Jonathan, born May 2, 1753 is discussed on page 79.

The second Hannah was born June 7, 1755. On December 17, 1772 in Westerly, she married Thomas Maxson, son of Mathew and Martha (Potter) Maxson. Thomas was born January 7, 1750. They had two children: Hannah, born October 4, 1773; and Thomas, born August 17, 1775.

Thomas, born April 4, 1758 is discussed on page 81.

The family lived in Westerly in 1774. William died there in September, 1775; his will dated August 16 was proved September 25 [Westerly Probate 5A:275,316]. It mentions his wife Hannah and the nine surviving children. He left two-thirds of his household goods, the east part of his home including the "great room chamber garret" and cellar plus one cow and sidesaddle to his wife, his sons to provide firewood, etc. Abigail Kimball and Hannah Maxson were left the remaining household goods. His inventory was £197-3s-11½d.

References: (7) 5:59, 133; (11) Vol. I, pp.67-8; (37) p.568; (39) vol. 2, p.252-8; (40) p.288; (57); (62) p.191-5.

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Thomas Freeman [4]

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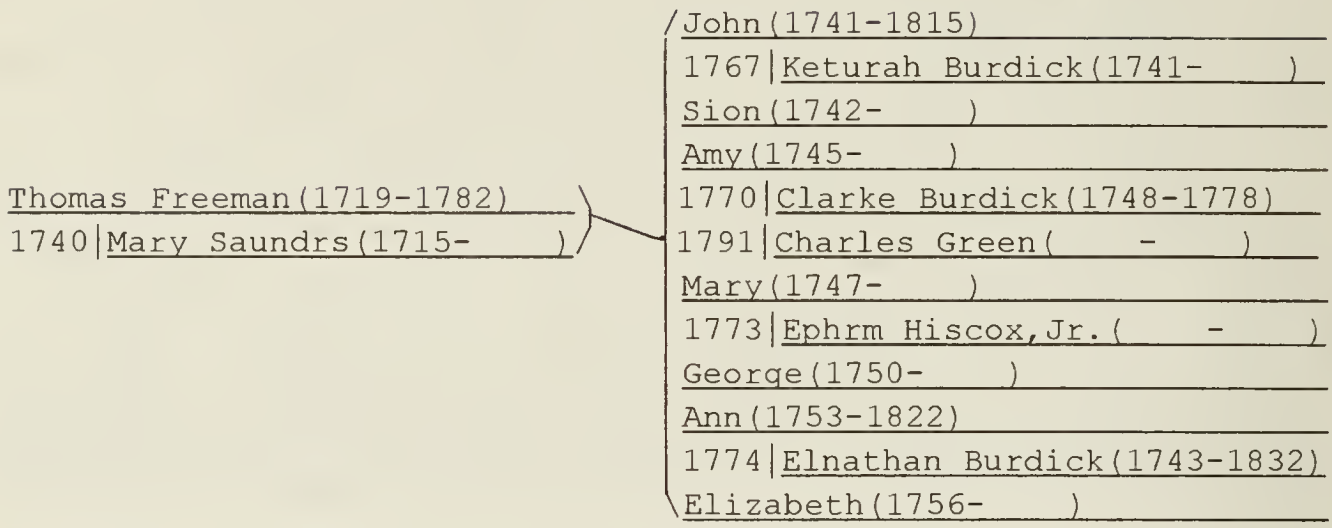

Thomas Freeman Sisson was born June 6, 1719 in Westerly, RI. He inherited land from his father and was probably admitted as a freeman to Westerly in November, 1737 with his brother William. On October 10, 1740 in Westerly, he married Mary Saunders, daughter of Edward and Sarah ( ) Saunders. They were married by Elder John Maxson. Mary was born July 23, 1715. Thomas and Mary had seven children, all born in Westerly:

John, born March 3, 1741 is discussed on page 82.

Sion (Sihon) was born September 3, 1742.

Amy (Amey) was born May 10, 1745. On December 12, 1770 in Westerly, she married Clarke Burdick, son of David and Mary (Thompson) Burdick. Clarke was born February 25, 1748. He was a shoemaker in Boston and substituted for a disabled soldier in Sullivan's retreat from Newport, where he was killed August 29, 1778. Fifteen pounds was voted to his widow by the Rhode Island Assembly. On November 19, 1791 Amy married second Capt. Charles Green. Amy and Clarke had four children: Mary, July 28, 1771, married Russell Saunders; David, October 8, 1773, married Miss Wicks; Amy, August 23, 1776, married Mr. Spencer; and Clark, April 5, 1779, married Abigail Hiscox. Ref: (56) Vol. III. It has also been reported that Amy married Thompson Burdick May 28, 1796, see Amy daughter of John and Keturah (Burdick) Sisson page 82.

Mary was born June 23, 1747. She is reported as married to Ephraim Hiscox, Jr, October 21, 1773 in Westerly; [however, her father's will of 1782 lists her as Mary Sisson]. They had eight children: Amy, February 26 to March 5, 1774; Abigail and Mary, twins, November 10, 1775; Ephraim, April 7, 1778; Amy, December 19, 1780; Pardon, April 5, 1783; John, January 31, 1786; and Summer, May 11, 1789.

George was born February 5, 1750. He was a private from Rhode Island and received a Revolutionary War pension. According to Arnold 12:390, he was unmarried in 1840, age 89. He is reported as possibly the George granted parcel #230 in Charlotte Precinct, Nine

Partners Patent, New York, March 9, 1785. In 1804 George lived in Madison, NY, and in 1840 lived at Portsmouth, RI.

Ann(e) was born July 19, 1753. On January 9, 1774 in Hopkinton, she married Elnathan Burdick, son of Peter and Desire (Reynolds) Burdick. Elnathan was born April 11, 1743. They moved to Hopkinton, RI. Elnathan provided "patriot services" during the Revolution. Ann and Elnathan had nine children: Meribah, September 25, 1774, married a Burdick; Clement, May 1, 1776, died September 21, 1778; Clement Peckham, January 9, 1779, married a Burdick; Nancy (or Anne), January 4, 1781 to 1863; Barton D., April 26, 1783, married a Burdick, and his daughter (Maria?) married William Sisson; Olive, August 27, 1786, married a Wheeler; Rachel, August 15, 1789, died young; Elizabeth, September 4, 1791 to January 2, 1847; and Mary, May 23, 1799 to July 14, 1881. Ref: (56) Vol. III. Ann died February 23, 1822; Elnathan died July 25, 1832; he died in Stonington.

Elizabeth was born April 9, 1756. She possibly married William Cundall (b. 1752, d. 1824), and died September 2, 1813 in Brooklyn, CT. William was a Quaker at Newport, went to Connecticut and joined the Episcopal Church.

The family moved to Stonington, CT after 1756. Thomas was a Revolutionary War soldier over a two-year period. His will written February 13 and proved August 26, 1782 [Westerly 5A:448] mentions his wife Mary and all children except Sion. His inventory was £80-14s-9d. The will of Amy Clarke, a widow in 1769 also mentions Mary and all children but Sion.

References: (7) 5:24, 59, 133; (11) Vol. I, pp.69-70, Vol. II, 33-4; (38) June, 1762; (40) p.288; (63) p. 133, Book 2:10; (64) p. 311; (134) 1774.

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Peleg [4]

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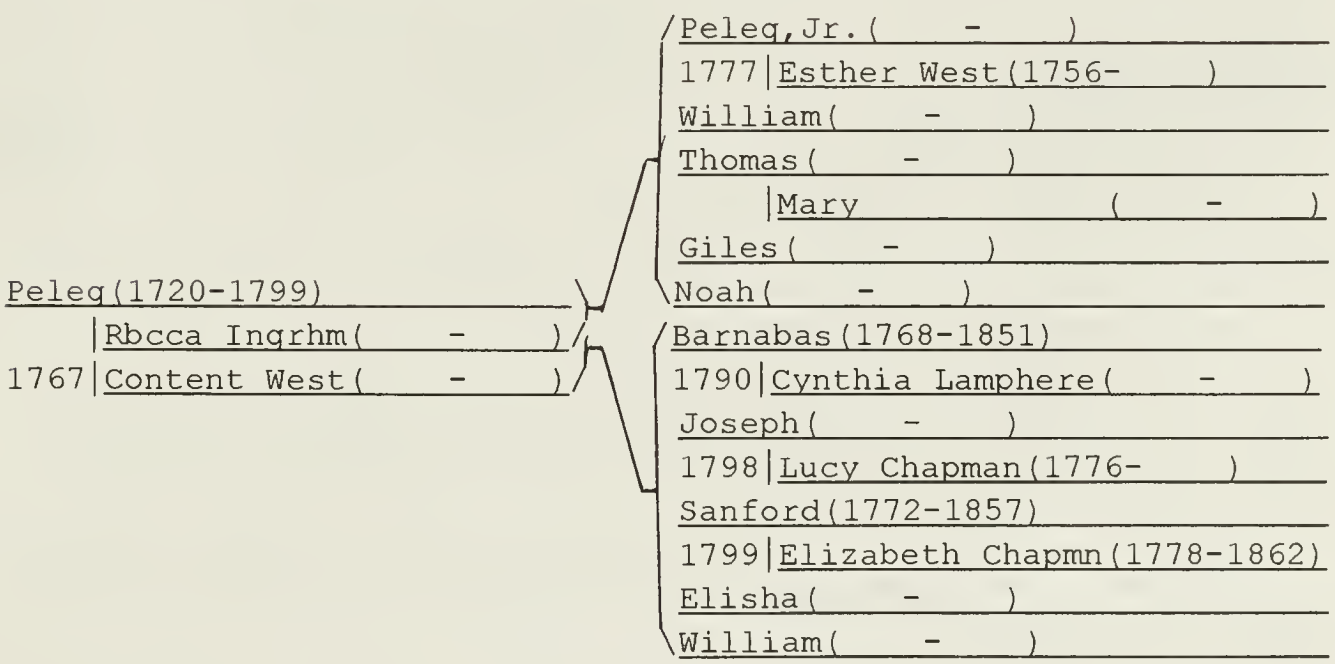

Peleg Sisson was born in 1720 in Portsmouth, RI. He may be the Peleg Sisson admitted as a freeman of Westerly in May, 1759. About 1742 at Brightman's Pond, Westerly, RI, he married Rebecca Ingraham. This couple probably had:

Peleg, Jr., born about 1751 is discussed on page 83.
William, who drowned at the age of twenty.
Thomas, married a woman named Mary.
Giles and Noah, reported as going to Virginia.
Possibly other children.

On February 26, 1767 Peleg married Content (Lamphere) West, daughter of Daniel and Catherine (Prosser) Lam(n)pher, widow of Timothy West. They were married by Joseph Crandall, Justice, at Brightman's Pond. Peleg and Content probably had five children, we do not know the order in which they were born:

Barnabas, born March 29, 1768 is discussed on page 84.
Joseph is discussed on page 86.
Sanford, probably born in 1772 is discussed on page 87.
Elisha was named in his father's will.
William, died a young man. [Perhaps the same William above?]

Other children Esther, Lucy, Rebecca, and Catherine also have been reported as children of Peleg; these are children of his son Peleg, Jr.

Peleg and Content are mentioned in Westerly Probate records in 1789 [6A:32, 51]. Peleg died in December, 1799. His will dated November 27, 1798, proved December 30, 1799 named his wife Content and sons Elisha, Sanford, Barney, Joseph and Peleg.

References: (7) 5:59, 60, 133, 134; (11) Vol. I, p.71; (14) Vol. 5, p.312; (37) pp. 632-3; (40) p.288.

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John, Jr. [4]

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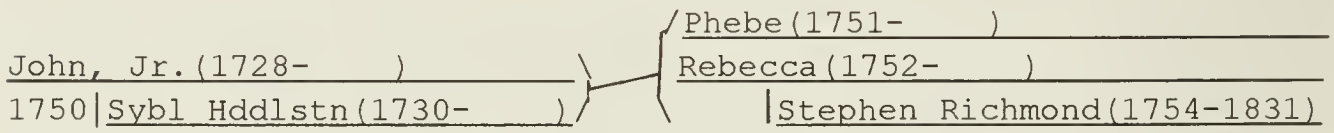

John Sisson, Jr. was born January 25, 1728 in Tiverton, RI. In Dartmouth, MA, on November 8, 1750 he married Sybil Huddleston, daughter of Peleg and Mary (Quitchel) Huddleston. Sybil was born February 4, 1730 in Dartmouth. John and Sybil had two daughters:

Phebe was born on November 12, 1751.

Rebecca "Roby" was born on October 13, 1752. She married Stephen Richmond as his first wife. Stephen was born January 7, 1754. He served as a soldier from New York during the Revolution. He married second Rachel Sisson [parents?]. Stephen died July 11, 1831. Ref: (56) Vol. III.

A son George has also been reported, who has been confused with the son of John and Mary (Thurber) Sisson, who married Bethany Luther. See page 62.

A second wife, Ruth Fish, has also been reported with children Mary, Preserved, Allen, John, Matthew, George, Ann, Pardon and Lavis. This family belongs to John [5] on page 124.

References: (44) p.204; (65) reel 12 p.134.

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Constant [4]

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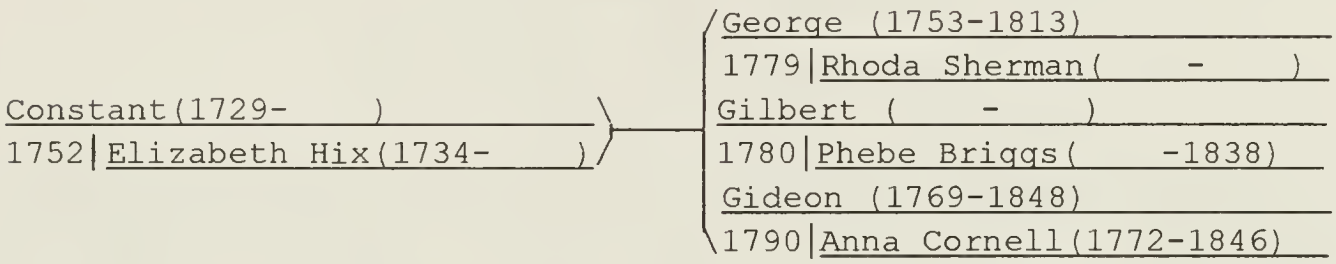

Constant Sisson was born May 30, 1729 in Tiverton, RI. He was a farmer and a puritan. On February 27, 1751/2 he married Elizabeth Hix of Dartmouth, MA, daughter of Gabriel Hix. They were married in Tiverton by Restcome Sanford, Justice. Elizabeth was born July 1, 1734. Constant and Elizabeth had three sons:

George, born September 30, 1753 is discussed on page 88.

Gilbert was born about 1758. On November 2, 1780 in Tiverton he married Phebe Briggs, known as Mary, daughter of Mary ( ) Briggs of Tiverton. Phebe died November 16, 1838 age 74 years, and is buried in the Newport Cemetery. Refs: Dartmouth marriage records; (14) Vol. 11, p.367.

Gideon, born 1769 in Westport, RI, is discussed on page 90.

Constant was given the homestead farm in Dartmouth by his father's will dated August 30, 1768, proved October 6, 1784. He sold portions of this homestead in 1780, 1782 and 1784. Gabriel Hix's will dated 1786 mentions daughter Elizabeth, her husband Constant and their son George. Constant and Elizabeth lived in Tiverton in 1790, but apparently moved after 1790 to Hoosic, NY.

References: (7) 4:48, 106; (11) Vol. I, pp.75-6; (23); (190) 1790.

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Barnet [4]

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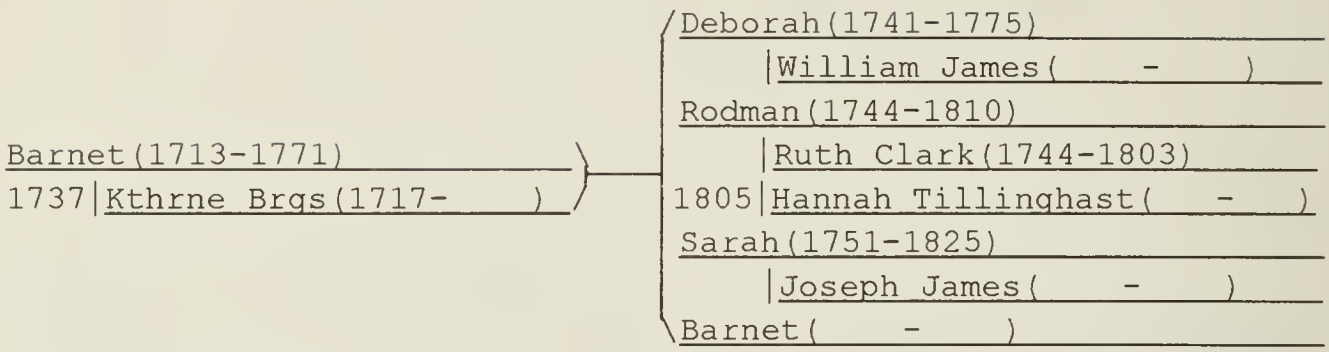

Barnet Sisson was born in Portsmouth, RI, January 24, 1713. He was admitted as a freeman from Portsmouth on April 30, 1734. He published intent December 10, 1736/7 and on January 8, 1737/8 he married Katherine Briggs of Little Compton, RI, daughter of William and Elizabeth (Forbes) Briggs. They were married by William Brown, Justice. Katherine was born March 17, 1717. She was the great-great-granddaughter of John and Priscilla Alden. (John and Priscilla's daughter Elizabeth married William Pabodie; Martha Pabodie married William Forbes; Elizabeth Forbes married William Briggs.) The boundary line of Barnet's property in 1753 was near the dividing line between Westerly and Exeter, RI. From May, 1758 to 1760 he was a lieutenant in the Richmond, Kings County, RI, militia under Capt. Larkin. Barnet and Katherine apparently had four children, born in Richmond:

Deborah was born April 1, 1741 and married William James. They had a daughter: Deborah, named in the will of her great-grandfather James. Mother Deborah died before 1775.

Rodman, born June 2, 1744 is discussed on page 91.

Sarah was born November 20, 1751. She married Joseph James and probably raised her sister's daughter Deborah. Sarah and Joseph are mentioned in Richmond Probate records in 1771 [2:269]. Sarah is named in her grandfather's will. Sarah died January 18, 1825 in Exeter.

Barnet was probably born after 1755. He was named in his grandfather's will which gives him a legacy "when he arrives at 21 years of age".

Barnet and Catherine are mentioned in her father's will dated 1750 and in the will of Forbes Briggs dated 1752. Barnet was admitted as a freeman of Richmond in May, 1756. The farm on which the family lived belonged to his father James. Barnet's will written November 24, 1766 proved December 18, 1771 mentions Catherine and children Rodman and Sarah. After Barnet died his father willed the farm to Rodman, son of Barnet. The will of James Sisson (grandfather), dated 1775 mentions daughter "Deborah, deceased, of Barnet, deceased, and Mr. James" and "Sarah, of Barnet, deceased, and Mr. James". On May 8, 1794 Sarah James acknowledged receipt from Rodman for "my mother's things".

References: (5) pp 208-12; (7) 4:40, 96, 57, 5:33; (10); (11) Vol. I, pp.78-9; (14) vol. IV & V & Vol. 10, p.305; (27) Vol. VI; (40) p.287; (55); (57) Vol. V.

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Joseph [4]

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Joseph(1714-1757)
1737|Bthshba Cook(1712-1799)

- John(1738-1780)
  - 1759|Elizabeth Briggs(1735-)
- Joseph,Jr(1739-1787)
  - 1762|Mary Sherman(-)
  - 1766|Ruth Shrieve(1746-)
- James(1741-1815)
  - 1768|Sophia Sherman(1747-1843)
- Job(1744-)
  - 1782|Ann Albro(-)
- Jabez(1753-1847)
  - 1777|Ann Sanford(-)
  - 1816|Patty (-)

Joseph Sisson was born June 22, 1714 in Tiverton, RI. In Portsmouth on December 23, 1737 he married Bathsheba Cook, daughter of John and Alice (Southworth) Cook. They were married by William Brown, Justice. Bathsheba was born March 30, 1712. Joseph and Bathsheba had five sons; the first three were taken under guardianship, after Joseph's death: John by his grandfather James, and Joseph and James by their mother Bathsheba. Those three are named in James' will recorded in Portsmouth.

John, born April 10, 1738 is discussed on page 92.
Joseph, Jr., born April 19, 1739 is discussed on page 93.
James, born December 29, 1741 is discussed on page 94.
Job, born August 4, 1744 is discussed on page 96.
Jabez, or Jabish, born May 28, 1753 is discussed on page 96.

Joseph died May 19, 1757. On June 20, 1757 in Portsmouth Bathsheba applied for administration of her husband's estate. Inventory: £3840-16s. Bathsheba was named in her father's will of 1748; she is also mentioned in Joseph's father's will dated March 23, 1775 as "Bathsheba Sisson, wife of my son Joseph, deceased". On November 23, 1795, at the age of 83, Bathsheba released her sons from financial support. On March 11, 1799 James was granted administration of the estate of his mother, Bathsheba Sisson, deceased. Inventory: $66.

References: Easton, MA, Friends records; New York Federal Census, 1800; (5) pp 208-12; (7) 4:40, 41, 96; (11) Vol. I, pp.80-1; (66) p 93.

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George [4]

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George(1716-1775)
1742|Abigail Cook(1725-1811)

- Hannah(1744-1835)
  1800|Isaac Sherman(-)
- Henry(1746-)
- Nichols(1747-)
- Cook(1749-1828)
- George, Jr(1750-1840)
  1773|Anna Sherman(1752-1849)
- Abigail(1754-1844)

George Sisson was born April 6, 1716 (also reported as January 20) in Portsmouth, RI. On December 22, 1742 in Tiverton he married Abigail Cook, daughter of Thomas and Susannah ( ) Cook of Tiverton. They were married by Job Almy, Justice. Abigail was born March 21, 1725. George and Abigail had six children, all born in Portsmouth, but the family later moved to Tiverton:

Hannah was born September 2, 1744. On November 5, 1800 in Portsmouth, she married Isaac Sherman as his second wife. Isaac was the son of Thomas and Sarah ( ) Sherman. Hannah died August 23, 1835. Isaac died in Portsmouth.

Henry was born February or September 2, 1746.

Nichols was born October 4, 1747.

Cook was born February 1, 1749 and died in July, 1828.

George, Jr., born November 4, 1750 is discussed on page 98.

Abigail was born in 1754 and died in July, 1844.

Both George and Abigail are mentioned in her father's will dated September 9, 1760 recorded February 1, 1779 in Tiverton, Book 4, p.273. It mentions daughters Mary and Abigail Sisson and grandsons Henry, Nichols and Cook Sisson. George's father's will dated March 23, 1775 names the children of his son George, deceased. On April 12, 1811 son George applied for administration of his mother's estate. On February 8, 1813 Cook Sisson and Isaac and Hannah Sherman acknowledged receipt to George Sisson for their share of the estate of their mother Abigail, deceased.

References: Church records; (5) pp 208-12; (7) 4:40 & 96, 7:32, 8:475; (11) Vol. I, p.82; (14) Vol. 10, p.308; (31).

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James, Jr. [4]

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James, Jr.(1729-)
1752|Mary Cook(1724-1785)

- Pardon(1753-1841)
  |Mary Tabor(-)
- 1797|Rachel Sisson(1775-1837)
- Joshua(-)
  1777|Elizabeth Strnge(-)
- Lydia(1758-)

James Sisson, Jr. was born July 24, 1729 in Portsmouth, RI, as the second James born to James and Deborah (Cook). He was a cordwainer [shoemaker]. On October 29, 1752 he married Mary Cook, daughter of Thomas and Susannah ( ) Cook of Tiverton. They were married there by Restcome Sanford, Justice. Mary was born March 20, 1724. James and Mary had three children, born in Portsmouth:

Pardon, born August 23, 1753 is discussed on page 100.

Joshua, born about 1755 is discussed on page 101.

Lydia was born December 11, 1758 and was named in her grandfather's will.

James purchased land from his father, December 20, 1775 and is named in his father's will. In a Portsmouth census of 1774, James is listed as head of a household consisting of three males over 16, two females over 16, one female under 16, and one black slave. James and Mary are mentioned in her father's will dated 1760. Mary died in May of 1785, after James (the widow Mary's funeral is reported in Elisha Fish's journal).

References: (5) pp 208-12; (7) 4:48, 96; (14) Vol. 10, p.308; (30); (67).

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Richard, Jr. [4]

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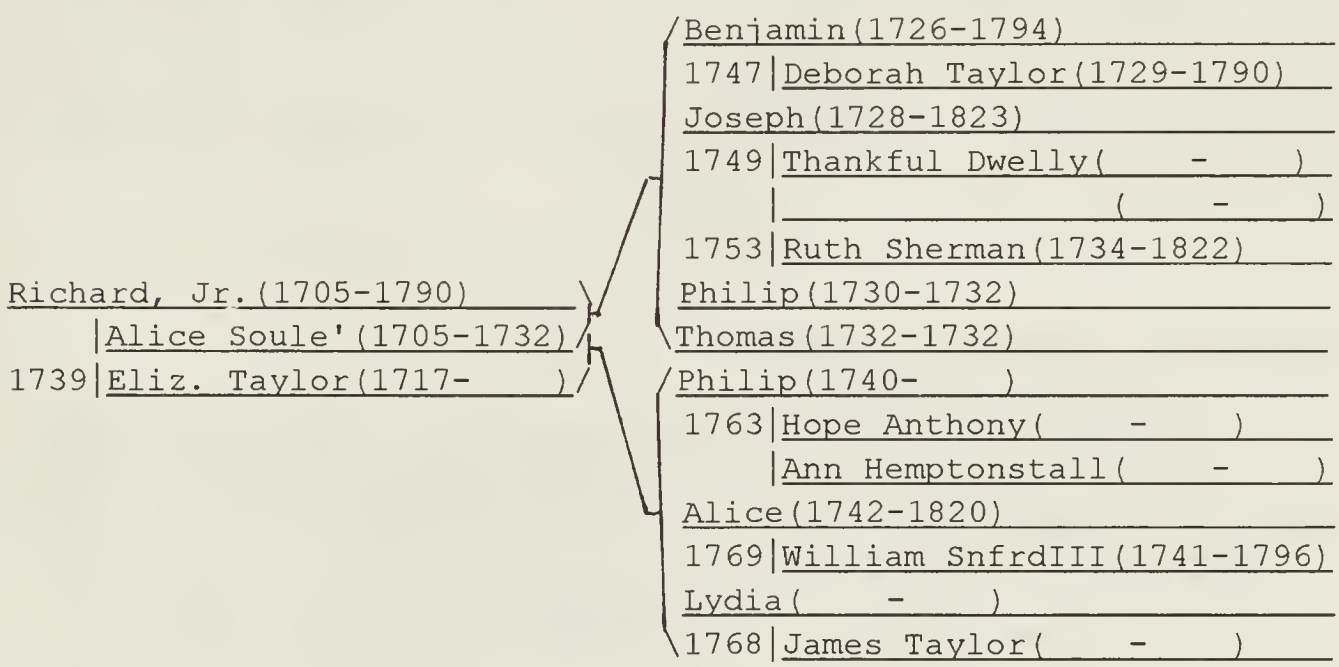

Richard Sisson, Jr. was born July 17, 1705 in Dartmouth, MA. He married first Alice Soule', the daughter of William and Hannah ( ) Soule', and a descendant of George Soule' of the Mayflower. Alice was born February 15, 1705 in Dartmouth. Richard and Alice had four children, all born in Dartmouth:

Benjamin, born February 6, 1726 is discussed on page 101.

Joseph, born December 2, 1728 is discussed on page 102.

Philip was born July 23, 1730 and died September 12, 1732.

Thomas was born February 1, 1732 and died September 8, 1732.

From 1727 to 1730 Richard and Alice sold pieces of land in Dartmouth. Alice died February 1, 1732 (also reported 1731) at the birth of Thomas. Note that the two youngest children both died later that same year. On October 13, 1739 Richard published intent and on November 15, he married Elizabeth Taylor of Little Compton, RI, daughter of John and Sarah (Horsewell) Taylor. They were married by Thomas Church, Justice. On March 27, 1741 Richard sold land to William Davol, Jr. Richard and Elizabeth had three more children, all born in Dartmouth:

Philip, born March 24, 1740 is discussed on page 104.

Alice was born in 1742. On May 14, 1769 she married William Sanford, III, of Dartmouth. William was born September 5, 1741. William was fifth-generation from the immigrant: John Sanford [1]; Samuel [2]; William [3]; [4]. Alice and William had three children: David, 1770; Elizabeth; and Isaac, March 23, 1778. William died June 16, 1796 and Alice died February 11, 1820 in New Bedford. Refs: (18) p.407; (23).

Lydia was born about 1744. On July 17, 1768 she married James Taylor of Little Compton, RI. Lydia died before 1782. Ref: (7).

In 1750 Richard conveyed to his sons Benjamin and Joseph all interest in the estate given to his wife Alice by her father William Soule'. Richard and Elizabeth are mentioned in her father's will dated 1762. Richard died May/June 20, 1790 in Dartmouth; his will written January 10, 1782 and proved October 5, 1790 names son Philip executor and mentions grandson Robert of Philip and grandchildren Rhoda, Robert, Elizabeth, & Peleg and sons Benjamin & Joseph and daughter Alice Sanford.

References: (7) 4:57, 15:552; (11) Vol. I, pp.83-6; (14) Vol. 10, p.308; (23) (all but Alice and Lydia); (68); (69) 1800; (70) 67:71, 72, 72; (71).

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Thomas [4]

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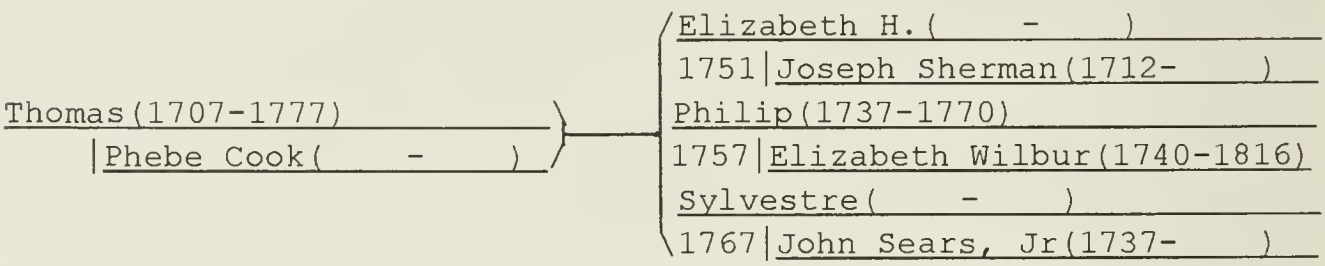

Thomas Sisson was born April 22, 1707 in Dartmouth, MA. About 1729 he married Phebe Cook(e) of Tiverton, daughter of Thomas and Elizabeth (Pearce) Cook. Phebe was born about 1709. At this time, Tiverton, RI, was a part of Dartmouth, MA, township. Thomas and Phebe had three children, all born Tiverton:

Elizabeth H. was born about 1733. She married Joseph Sherman of Newport November 24, 1751 in Tiverton. They were married by Jonathan Freeborn, Justice. Joseph was born June 1, 1712, son of

Benjamin and Mary (Lawton) Sherman. At some point the family moved to Portsmouth, RI. They had three children: Mary, May 4, 1752; Paul, 1763, married Beersheba Bowen; and Sarah, 1768, who married a Cook.

Philip, born in May, 1737 is discussed on page 105.

Sylvestre(er) was born about 1746. On May 28, 1767 in Tiverton she married John Sears, Jr. of Chatham, RI, as his second wife (his first wife was Elizabeth Sellew). They were married by Joseph Stafford, Justice. John was born June 5, 1737 at Yarmouth, MA, son of John and Grace (Paddock) Sears. *Sears genealogy: Richard [1], Paul [2], Samuel [3], John [4], [5].*

"In 1747 when Tiverton became part of Rhode Island, Thomas Sisson petitioned the General Assembly to settle a difficulty by declaring him a lawful inhabitant of that colony. His property was on the Dartmouth/Tiverton line and neither town would recognize him as a legal resident." Refs: (57); (72). Both Thomas and Phebe are mentioned in her father's will dated 1750. Thomas and Phebe sold land in Tiverton in 1748, 1755 and 1776. Thomas died in January, 1777. His will was written August 20, 1775 and proved January 20, 1777 at Tiverton (Book 4-243) and names his wife Phebe, grandchildren Paul Sherman, Philip, Abigail & Phebe Sisson, and daughters Sylvestre Sears and Elizabeth Sherman. On December 9, 1782 Phebe appointed son-in-law Joseph Sherman as her guardian; the guardianship was rescinded January 6, 1783 again at Phebe's request.

References: Thomas's will; See brother Richard's references; (7) 4:40, 48, 57; (11) Vol. I, pp.39-40, 87; Vol. II, 127-8: mixed with Richard [1], James [2], Thomas [3]; (14) Vol. 10, p.308; (22) 4:326.

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James [4]

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James (1716-1797)
1750 | Hannah Howland (1726-1813)

- Louisa (1751-1754)
- Daniel (1754-1795)
- 1784 | Rhoda A Sisson (1763-1817)
- Lovis (1757-1795)
- Sylvia (1768-1862)

James Sisson was born July 11, 1716 in Dartmouth, MA. On December 6, 1750 he married Hannah Howland of Dartmouth, daughter of Zoeth and Sarah (Devol?) Howland. *Howland genealogy: Henry [1], Zoeth [2], Henry [3], Zoeth [4], Hannah [5].* Hannah was born December 27, 1726 in Dartmouth. Another wife, Elizabeth Howland, has also been reported. James and Hannah had four children, all born in Dartmouth:

Louisa was born August 11, 1751 and died in February, 1754.

Daniel, born December 13, 1754 is discussed on page 105.

Lovis(a) was born February 14, 1757 and died October 6, 1795.

Sylvia was born July 3, 1768. She was not married but had three or four children. This family is discussed on page 106.

On August 26, 1768 James deeded a portion of his land to John Lawton. On March 28, 1792 he sold the rest of his homestead to George Brownell. James died November 28, 1797. His will, written August 15, 1797 was proved March 6, 1798 and named his wife Hannah, daughter Sylvia and her daughter Amy; grandchildren Polly, Hannah, George, Warren and Daniel Sisson; and daughter-in-law Rhoda. Hannah is named in the will of Joseph Devol, written 1782. Hannah died March 14, 1813.

References: See brother Richard's references; (313) New Bedford Registry; (11) Vol. I, pp.92, 94; (23) p 443 (all but Louisa?).

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Lemuel [4]

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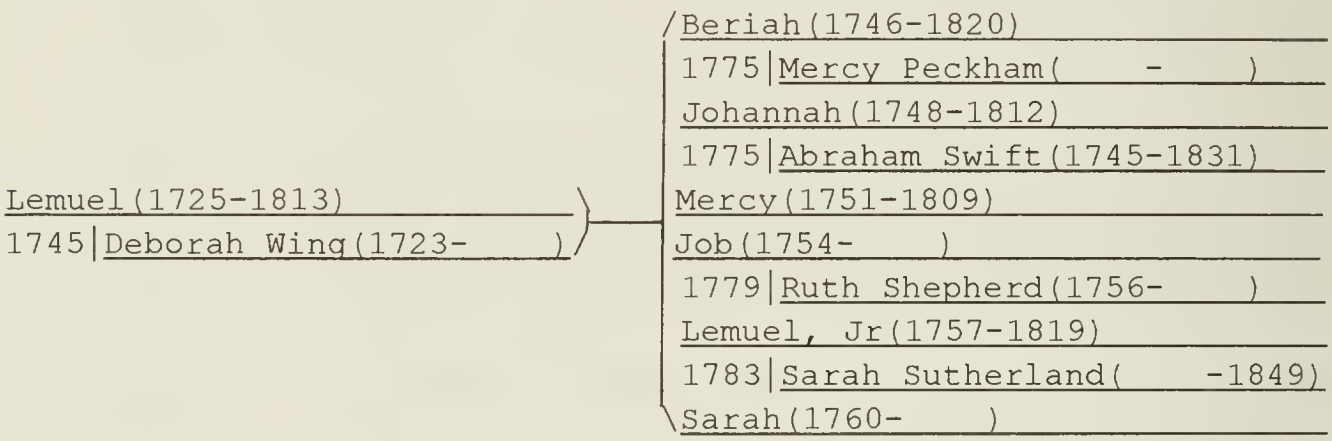

Lemuel Sisson was born September 21, 1725 in Dartmouth, MA. He was a house carpenter. On September 27, 1745 in Dartmouth he married Deborah Wing, daughter of Edward and Sarah (Tucker) Wing. Deborah was born December 20, 1723 in Dartmouth. They were Quakers. The family lived in Westport/Dartmouth where all six children were born:

Beriah, born June 20, 1746 is discussed on page 107.

Johannah was born March 20, 1748. On November 18, 1775 in Westport, she married Abraham Swift of Sandwich, MA, son of Zebulon and Rebecca (Wing) Swift. Abraham was born December 31, 1745. The family moved to Nine Partners, NY, in 1778. Johannah died August 8, 1812 in Washington County, NY. Abraham died in 1831. Ref: (7) 10:71.

Mercy was born in 1751 and died June 5, 1809.

Job, born November 17, 1754 is discussed on page 108.

Lemuel, Jr., born March 31, 1757 is discussed on page 108.

Sarah was born June 23, 1760.

Lemuel received a tract of land in Dartmouth November 21, 1752 recorded June 27, 1759 in Book 6, p.543. The family moved to Nine Partners, Dutchess County, NY. Lemuel died November 11, 1813 in New York and his will was proved December 31, 1813.

References: (11) Vol. I, pp.95-6; (23) (all but Mercy); (50) p 1562; (71); (73).

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Gideon [4]

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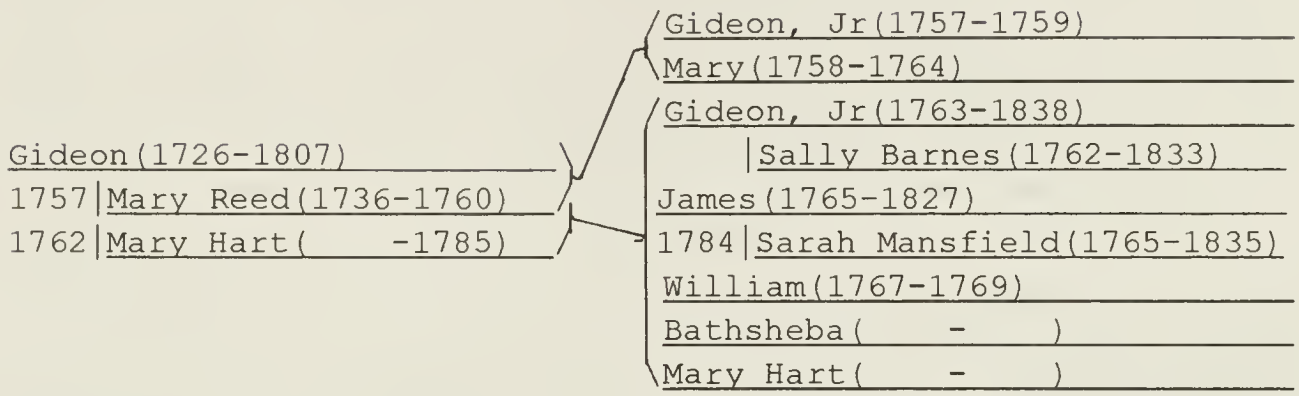

Gideon Sisson was born in 1726 in Newport, RI. He was a merchant. In 1752 Gideon was appointed with Capt. William Rogers to apportion the Long Wharf Lands. During the following years (until 1772) Gideon was on several committees dealing with the Long Wharf properties. On February 10, 1757 he married Mary Reed of Newport. They were married by Rev. Nicholas Eyres. Mary was born in 1736. Gideon was a large landholder with property in Little Compton, Newport and South Kingston. Gideon and Mary had two children in Newport:

Gideon, Jr. was born December 21, 1757 and died September 17, 1759.

Mary, who died September 7, 1764 age "6 years".

Mary (Reed) died October 9, 1760. On November 14, 1762 Gideon married second Mary Hart. She was born about 1740. Gideon and Mary (Hart) had five children in Newport:

Gideon, Jr. the second was born December 1, 1763. He married Sally Barnes, daughter of Isaac Barnes. Sally was born January 16, 1762. Gideon, Jr. was a schoolteacher from 1785-1820 in Shoreham, VT. He taught Latin, French, and mathematics. Sally died September 23, 1833; Gideon died October 5, 1838. Both are buried in Lake View Cemetery, Shoreham. Gideon and Sally had no issue.

James, born July 1, 1765 is discussed on page 110.

William Hart was born April 13, 1767 and died November 3, 1769.

Bathsheba was born about 1769. She was baptized as an adult February 11, 1787 at the Trinity Church in Newport. She was not married. In 1810 she intended to live with her brother, Gideon, Jr. Refs: Letters from Gideon, Sr. to Bathsheba and from Bathsheba to Gideon, Jr.

Mary "Molly" Hart was born about 1772. She was also baptized as an adult February 11, 1787 at the Trinity Church in Newport.

Gideon was suspected of being a British sympathizer during their occupancy in 1776-9. His land was confiscated by the state on December 1, 1777 but returned to him in February, 1780. Mary (Hart) died July 23, 1785 in Newport. Gideon, and Mary deceased, are

mentioned in the will of her mother (Martha Honeyman) dated October 10, 1786 proved September 6, 1790. Gideon lived in Newport in 1790 but moved to Shoreham, VT where he died September 11, 1807. He is buried in the Lake View Cemetery in Shoreham. Mary and children Gideon, Mary and William are buried in the Common Burial Ground in Newport.

References: Old Records in Newport City Clerk's Office; (7) 4:64, 10:526, 12:63; (11) Vol. I, pp.98-103; (14) Vol. 10, p.308, Vol. 11, p.367; (57) Vol. V; (74); (75); (76).

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Lewis [4]

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Lewis(1738-1810) ⎫ ⎧Job(1756-1821)
|Patience (-1810) ⎭ ⎩1784|Elizabeth (1762-1831)

Lewis Sisson was born in 1738 and was a sea captain. He married Patience ( ) and in 1774 was living in Newport, RI, married with one child. At some time Lewis also lived in New Bedford, MA. Lewis and Patience had at least one child:

Job, born 1756 is discussed on page 111.

Lewis died February 3, 1810 in Providence; Patience died in November of 1810 in Newport.

References: (7); 1:425-6, 2:486-7, 14:274, 19:126, 21:558; (43); (77); (78).

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William [4]

Richard [1], James [2], Jonathan [3] page 20

William(1723-1763) ⎫ ⎧Mary(-)
1748|Lydia Potter(1727-1790) ⎭ ⎪1767|Lemuel Milk(-)
|Mary Potter(-) ⎪Elizabeth(-1831)
⎪1773|Thomas Howland(1748-1823)
⎪Lydia(-)
⎪1778|Daniel Howland(1757-)
⎪1796|Stephen Russell(-)
⎪1799|Isaac Sanford(1738-)
⎪William, Jr.(-)
⎪1783|Sylvia Allen(-)
⎪Nathaniel(1756-1840)
⎪1781|Grace Gifford(1761-1843)
⎪Bathsheba(-)
⎪1777|John Tibbetts(-)
⎩Content(-)

William Sisson was born November 9, 1723 in Dartmouth, MA. He was a Quaker. On January 3, 1748 in the Aponaganset Friends Meeting House in Dartmouth, he married Lydia Potter of Dartmouth, daughter of Nathaniel and Mary (Devol) Potter; her parents signed as witnesses to the marriage. Lydia was born December 7, 1727. The Martin reference below gives an extensive genealogy of William and Lydia. Lydia is mentioned in her father's will of 1754. William later married Mary Potter who is reported as probably being Lydia's sister. William had six children all born in Dartmouth, birth order uncertain; it is assumed that their mother was Lydia:

Mary may have been born about 1750. On December 17, 1767 in Dartmouth she married (E)Lemuel Milk. A son: William Milk is mentioned in his Aunt Content's will.

Elizabeth may have been born about 1752. On October 14, 1773 in Westport, she married Thomas Howland, Jr, son of Thomas and Ruth (Wing) Howland of Dartmouth. Job, Lemuel, Jr., Lydia, Lemuel and Nathaniel Sisson were among the 26 people who signed the marriage certificate as witnesses. Thomas was born March 25, 1748 in Dartmouth. *Howland Genealogy: Thomas [6], Thomas [5], James [4], Nathaniel [3], Zoeth [2], Henry [1].* Thomas was a farmer and manufacturer of spinning wheels. They lived for a time on an old homestead east of Hicks Bridge in Westport. The family moved to Westport, MA. Thomas was imprisoned in Ft. Independence rather than fight in the Revolutionary War (he was a Quaker). Elizabeth and Thomas had six children: William, March 31, 1775, married Innocent Howland, died August 22, 1857; Eunice, September 26, 1776, married Zuriah Wood; Asa, married Phebe Russell, died 1863; Daniel, 1784, married Anna Hathaway, died December 30, 1852; Anna; and Lydia. Thomas died March 25, 1823 in Westport; Elizabeth died September 27, 1831. Ref: (49) pp.139, 140.

Lydia was born about 1754. On April 3 (or March 4), 1778 she married in Westport Daniel Howland, son of Samuel and Ruth (Devol) Howland of Dartmouth. Daniel was born February 3, 1757. On June 22, 1796 she married second Stephen Russell, son of Timothy and Roby ( ) Russell. On March 20, 1799 she married third Isaac Sanford of Dartmouth, son of William and Rebecca ( ) Sanford. Isaac was born February 2, 1737/8 and died after 1800. Lydia is reported with children Esben, born April 14, 1764; and Catherine, born November 2, 1771; these are possibly stepchildren or siblings. Ref: (7) 10:71.

William, Jr. may have been born about 1755 and is discussed on page 112.

Nathaniel, born November 11, 1756 is discussed on page 114.

Bathsheba married March 2, 1777 in Dartmouth John Tibbetts son of George and Kaziah (Brownell) Tibbetts, of Dartmouth. Ref: (23).

Content (also called Constant) was not married; she was a tailoress. Her will dated October 15, 1804 mentions sisters Mary Milk and Elizabeth Howland, nephews William Howland, William Milk and Joseph Sisson (of William), and nieces Ruth Sisson (of William), Amy White (of Holder) and Content Peck (of Nathaniel). On February 4, 1813 her inventory was $600 real estate and $733.96 personal property.

William died in 1763; Lydia was appointed guardian of his children August 2 of that year. William was intestate with an

inventory of £362-10-2d. On March 27, 1769 appraisers of William's estate gave the widow her 1/3, eldest son Nathaniel his double part and Mary Milk, Lydia, William, Content, Bathsheba and Elizabeth each their part. Lydia's will dated April 30, 1789 proved October 5, 1790 mentions sons William and Nathaniel; daughters Mary Milk, Content Sisson, Lydia Howland, "Barshby" Tibbetts and Elizabeth Howland.

References: (7) 10:71; (11); Vol. I, pp.107-9; Vol. II, pp.73-4; (18) p 406; (23); (44) p.180; (50) p 1819; (68); (79).

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Jonathan, Jr. [4]

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Jonathan, Jr.(1725-1805)
|Hannh Hwlnd(1715-)
1746|Hannh Hwlnd(1728-1811)

Silvanus(1747-1781)
1776|Meribah Potter(-1780)
Sarah(1748-)
Humphrey(1752-1754)
Mary(1754-1763)
Jonathan, III(1756-1763)
George(1759-)
1794|Ruth Case(1771-)
Benjamin(1761-)
1783|Elizabeth Shaw(-)
a child(1763-)
Jonathan, III(1764-1842)
1796|Edith Gifford(1766-1818)
Gideon(1766-1823)
1787|Phebe Allen(-)
|Susannah (1781-)
Mary(1768-)
Wilson(1770-1844)
1790|Sarah L. Millon(-)
David(1774-1840)
1801|Nancy Howland(1771-1818)
1819|Penelope Howland(-1862)

Jonathan Sisson, Jr., was born January 4, 1725 in Dartmouth, MA. [The information on his wives varies considerably.] We believe Jonathan married first Hannah Howland who was born August 1, 1715 daughter of John and Mary (Cook) Howland. Family tradition indicates that the first nine children were born to the first wife and the last four to the second. We now believe that Jonathan and the first Hannah were separated or divorced and that she was the Hannah (Howland) Sisson who married second Joseph Gifford on February 2, 1761. [Note that there is at least a third Hannah (Howland) Sisson; she married James Sisson, page 44.] On January 29, 1746/7 in Dartmouth Jonathan married second Hannah Howland of

Dartmouth, daughter of Samuel and Sarah (Soule') Howland. The two Hannahs were first cousins, since their fathers were brothers. Hannah was born April 27, 1728 in Dartmouth. We believe that this couple had all thirteen children, born in Dartmouth, MA, or Westport, RI:

Silvanus, born July 27, 1747 is discussed on page 115.

Sarah was born September 13, 1748.

Humphrey was born April 24, 1752 and died July 23, 1754.

Mary was born June 20, 1754 and died June 25, 1763.

The first Jonathan, III, was born November 5, 1756 and died June 12, 1763.

George was born January 14, 1759. He was a tanner. On February 16, 1794 in Dartmouth he married Ruth Case, daughter of John and Rachel (Allen) Case. Ruth was born in Dartmouth February 13, 1771. It has been reported that he married Rhoda Sherman (see George son of Constant page 88). No record of children from this marriage has been found. George and Ruth had land dealings with his brothers and cousins in 1798. Ref: (23) marriages.

Benjamin, born February 11, 1761 is discussed on page 115.

An unnamed child was born February 4, 1763.

The second Jonathan, III, born April 27, 1764 is discussed on page 116.

Gideon, born July 27, 1766 is discussed on page 117.

Mary was born August 27, 1768. She was not married.

Wilson, born October 25, 1770 is discussed on page 118.

David, born April 4, 1774 is discussed on page 119.

[Note: David has been reported as the son of his older brother Silvanus above, since David's birth year had been interpreted as 1779. Jonathan's will and his "Book of Deaths and Ages" both list David, 1774, as a son of Jonathan.]

Jonathan had land transactions in 1772, 1778 and 1804. Jonathan died July 23, 1805 "in his 83rd year". He is buried in the Friends yard, Center Meeting house Westport. His will written November 21, 1804 names his wife, eight children and a grandson Uriah (of Silvanus). His inventory in November, 1805 was $1800 real estate, $488.68 personal property. The second Hannah died October 24, 1811.

References: Will of Jonathan, Newport Library, Chicago; (7) 10:87; (11) Vol. I, pp.110-14; Vol. II, pp.78-9; (23); (49) p.95; (80) 8:317, 349, 390; (81) 1800 p.336 with 2f & 1m >45, 1f 26-45, 1m 16-25; (82); (83); (84); (190) 1790 with 4m >16, 2m <16 & 3f; (311).

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John [4]

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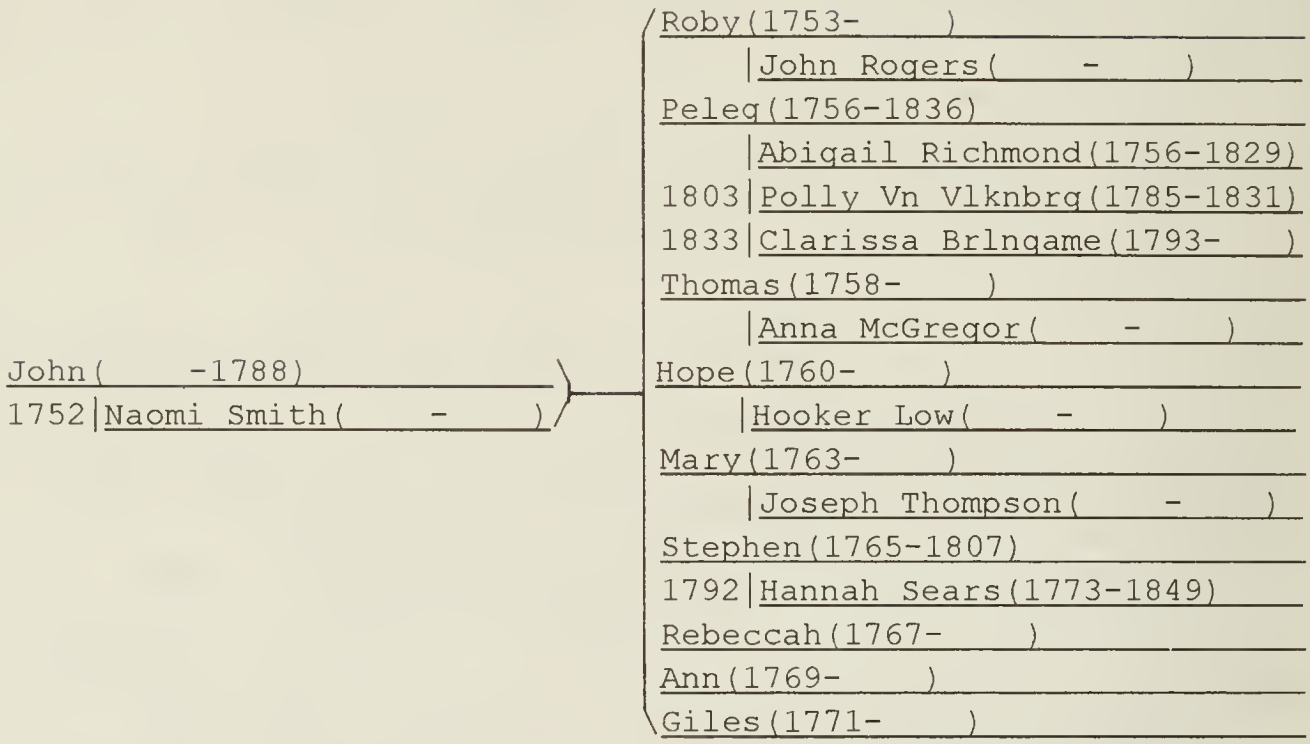

John Sisson was born about 1732, probably in Dartmouth, MA. He was a blacksmith. On November 23, 1752 (published intent October 28, 1752) in Dartmouth he married Naomi "Mary" Smith. They had nine children, all born in Dartmouth:

Roby was born October 13, 1753. She married John Rogers, son of William Rogers, probably about 1774.

Peleg, born January 18, 1756 is discussed on page 120.

Thomas was born January 31, 1758. He married Anna McGregor of Geneva, NY and had four sons and one daughter. Dartmouth vital records indicate an intent to marry published September 30, 1786 with Sarah Wilcox of Tiverton.

Hope was born July 9, 1760, married Hooker Low and moved to Bristol, NY.

Mary was born June 30, 1763, married Dr. Joseph Thompson and had five children.

Stephen, born June 8, 1765 is discussed on page 122.

Rebeccah was born May 22, 1767.

Ann was born March 12, 1769.

Giles was born December 17, 1771.

On June 1, 1763 John bought of Thomas Briggs a farm in South Dartmouth which he sold November 8, 1771 to Thomas Allen. John purchased land in Adams, MA, (formerly East Hoosik) in 1772. Also in Adams Friends Meeting Records, "Naomi Sisson was clerk of the meeting May 11, 1786". John's will dated April 8, 1779 proved May 6, 1788 mentions wife Naomi, and all nine children. Son "Peter" [Peleg] was named executor with Naomi. John probably died in 1788, in Adams. Apparently Naomi moved to Bristol following John's death.

References: (11) Vol. I, pp.116-24; (23).

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Stephen [4]

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Stephen(1745-1774)
1766|Phebe Barker(1745-1824)

- Stephen, Jr.(1767-1843)
  1791|Patience Tucker(1769-)
- Ruth(1769-)
  1786|Humphrey Lapham(-)
- Judith(1773-)
  1795|Oliver W. Cook(-)

Stephen Sisson was born circa 1745 in Dartmouth, MA. He was a cooper. He lived fourteen miles from where the Bunker Hill monument now stands. On September 21, 1766 he married Phebe Barker, daughter of Joseph and Rebecca (Smith) Barker. Phebe was born August 29, 1745 in Dartmouth. It has also been reported that he married Hopey Smith, a Quaker from England. He has also been reported as having the same children as his brother John. Stephen and Phebe had three children, all born in Dartmouth:

Stephen, Jr., born July 15, 1767 is discussed on page 122.

Ruth was born June 26, 1769. On July 27, 1786 in Dartmouth she married Humphrey Lapham.

Judith or Juda, was born March 7, 1773. With Oliver W. Cook of Tiverton she published intent to marry on May 21, 1795. Ref: (23).

On March 21, 1768 recorded 1774 Book 9, page 478, Stephen purchased 18 acres in Dartmouth. Stephen died "on the 15th of the month", in 1774. Phebe died March 21, 1824 in Dartmouth.

References: "The Leonard Papers"; (11) Vol. I, pp.125-6; (23) births.

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John, III [4]

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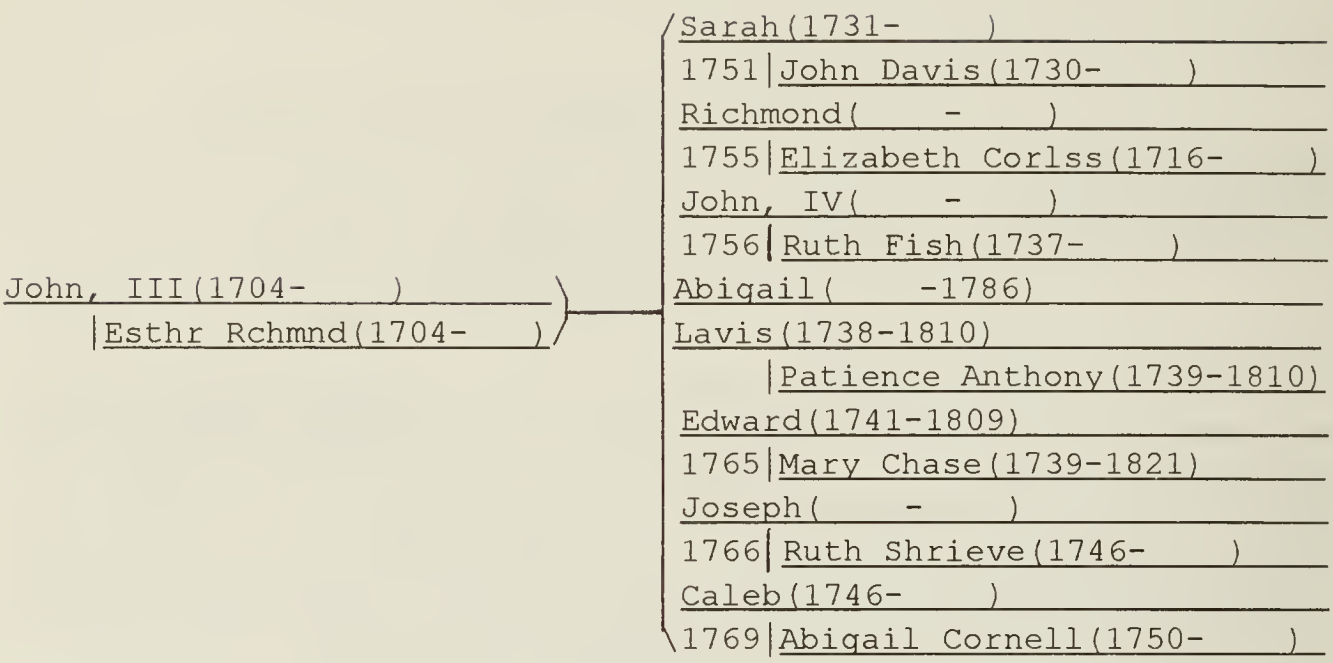

John Sisson, III, was born October 14, 1704 in Portsmouth, RI. He was a cordwainer. He married Esther Richmond of Little Compton, daughter of Edward and Sarah ( ) Richmond. Esther was born circa 1704. They were Quakers and lived at Newport and Jamestown. John and Esther had eight children:

Sarah was born in 1731; on May 16, 1751 in Newport, she married John Davis, son of James and Sarah (Lile) Davis. John was born September 19, 1730. They had one child: Ruth born in 1762, married Mr. Chase, and died May 10, 1837. Ref: (7) 4:64.

Richmond, born about 1733 is discussed on page 123.

John, IV, born before 1735 is discussed on page 124.

Abigail was born about 1735. Elisha Fish's diary reports "Abigail Sisson, daughter of John Sisson, died September, 1786 in Portsmouth".

Lavis was born in 1738. He married Patience Anthony, daughter of David and Abigail (Berrington) Anthony. Patience was born September 18, 1739. Lavis died February 3 "age 72 years"; Patience died November 24, 1810. Both died in Newport.

Edward, born June 18, 1741 in Jamestown, RI is discussed on page 125.

Joseph, born after 1739 is discussed on page 125.

Caleb, born in 1746 in Portsmouth is discussed on page 126.

John was admitted as a freeman of Newport May 6, 1740. Both John and Esther are mentioned in her father's will dated 1751. Grandmother Abigail's will dated January 14, 1760 mentions son John and grandchildren Abigail, Caleb and Lavis.

References: Wills of John and Abigail Sisson; (7) 4:96; (11) Vol. I, p.130; (14) Vol. 10, pp.305-8; (85) p 55; (86) Vol. 1; (88); (134) 1744 and 1790.

Robert [4]

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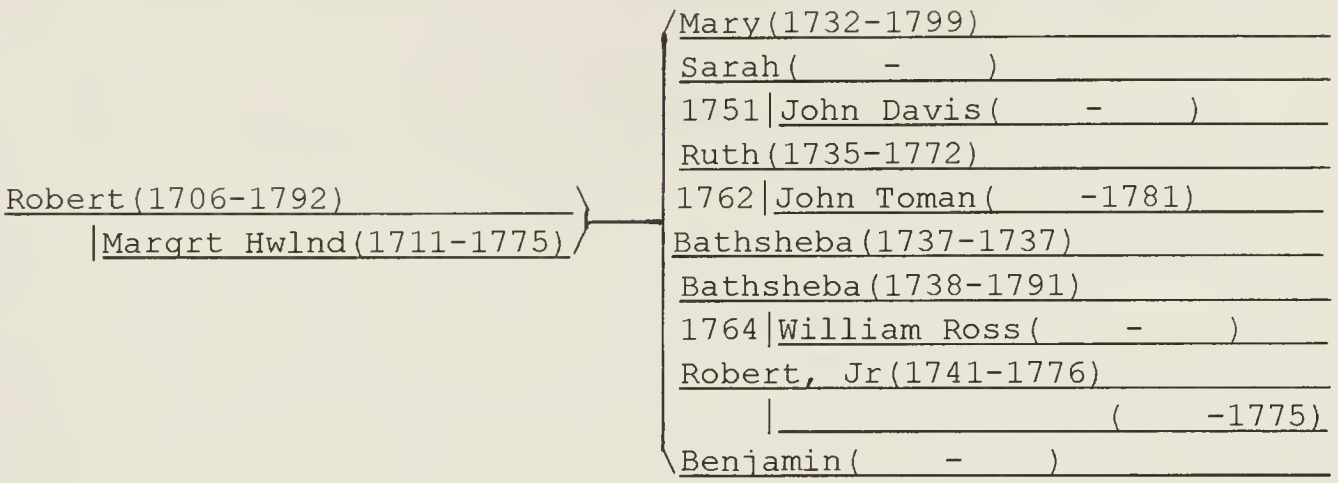

Robert Sisson was born October 23, 1706 in Portsmouth, RI. He was a carpenter and housewright, and possibly built the Sisson-Collins house overlooking the wharf in Newport. Robert was admitted as a freeman in Newport April 5, 1731. He married Margaret Howland, daughter of Daniel Howland of Tiverton. She was born in 1711. Robert and Margaret had seven children:

Mary was born in 1732. She was not married, listing herself in her will as a spinster. Her will dated August 5, 1797 proved August 25, 1799 Newport Book 3, page 178 mentions sister Sarah Davis and cousin Lavis Sisson; inventory January 7, 1800 was $330.57½.

Sarah may have been born in 1734. On May 6, 1751 in Newport she married John Davis [see Sarah daughter of John, III and Esther (Richmond) Sisson, above].

Ruth was born in 1735. On July 21, 1762 in Newport, she married John Toman/Towman. They were married in the First Congregational Church, Bristol, RI. Ruth and John had a son Thomas December 20, 1769. Ruth died May 15, 1772; John died in 1781.

The first Bathsheba was born April 6, 1737 and died July 30, 1737.

The second Bathsheba was born in 1738. On June 3, 1764 she married William Ross in Newport. They were married by Rev. Gardner Thurston. Both are mentioned in the will of her father dated 1781. Bathsheba died in 1791.

Robert, Jr, was born in 1741. He was a mariner. We do not know his wife's name but she died in Newport May 29, 1775; Robert, Jr., died in February, 1776 in Philadelphia, PA.

Benjamin may have been born about 1745.

The Newport Town Council records of April 4, 1757 contain the item "Robert Sisson of Newport, housewright, was appointed guardian of his sons Robert and Benjamin". Margaret died May 16, 1775 in Newport. Robert's will written in Newport, February 5, 1781 and proved April 6, 1795 Newport Book 2, page 401 names daughters Mary Sisson, Sarah, and Bathsheba Ross. He died November 7, 1792 in

Newport. Robert, Margaret and daughters Bathsheba (first) and Ruth are buried in the Common Burial Ground.

References: Newport Town Council records and cemetery records; (7) 4:96, 7:364, 8:425, 12:63; (11) Vol. I, pp.131-2; (14) Vol. 10, p.305.

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GENERATION [5]

Peleg [5]

Richard [1], George [2], Richard [3], George [4] page 24

Peleg(1726-1802) 1749 Ruth Sherman(1727-1822)

Richard(1750-1831) 1772 Phildlpha Brwnll(1752-)

Robert(-)

Peleg Sisson was born May 31, 1726 in Portsmouth, RI. On December 7, 1749 he married Ruth Sherman, daughter of John and Grizzelle (Fish) Sherman. They were married in Portsmouth by William Sanford, Justice. Ruth was the second cousin of Peleg's mother. *Sherman genealogy: Ruth [4], John [3], Samuel [2], Philip [1].* Ruth was born January 9, probably 1727. The family moved to Westerly, RI, and then to Pittstown, NY. Peleg and Ruth had two children, both probably born in Portsmouth, although son Robert was not recorded until they lived in Pittstown. A third son, Peleg, Jr., has also been reported:

Richard, born September 16, 1750 is discussed on page 128.

Robert was born about 1759. The indication is that he moved to Pittstown after 1774. In the 1790 census his household contained one male over 16, one male under 16, and five females. Robert left Pittstown before 1800.

Peleg was admitted as a freeman by the Rhode Island General Assembly in May, 1759. The Rhode Island census of 1774 shows in the household two males over 16, one male under 16, two females over 16 (one a daughter-in-law?) and one female under 16 (granddaughter). Both Peleg and Ruth died in Pittstown, he October 2, 1802 and she in 1822. Richard applied for letters of administration of his father's estate December 13, 1802 in Dartmouth, Book 8, page 161. The value of the estate January 17, 1803 was $159.17, Book 8, page 137.

References: (7) 4:40, 96; (11) Vol. II, p.1; (31); (87) 1:82, 2:9; (134) 1774 1790.

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George, Jr. [5]

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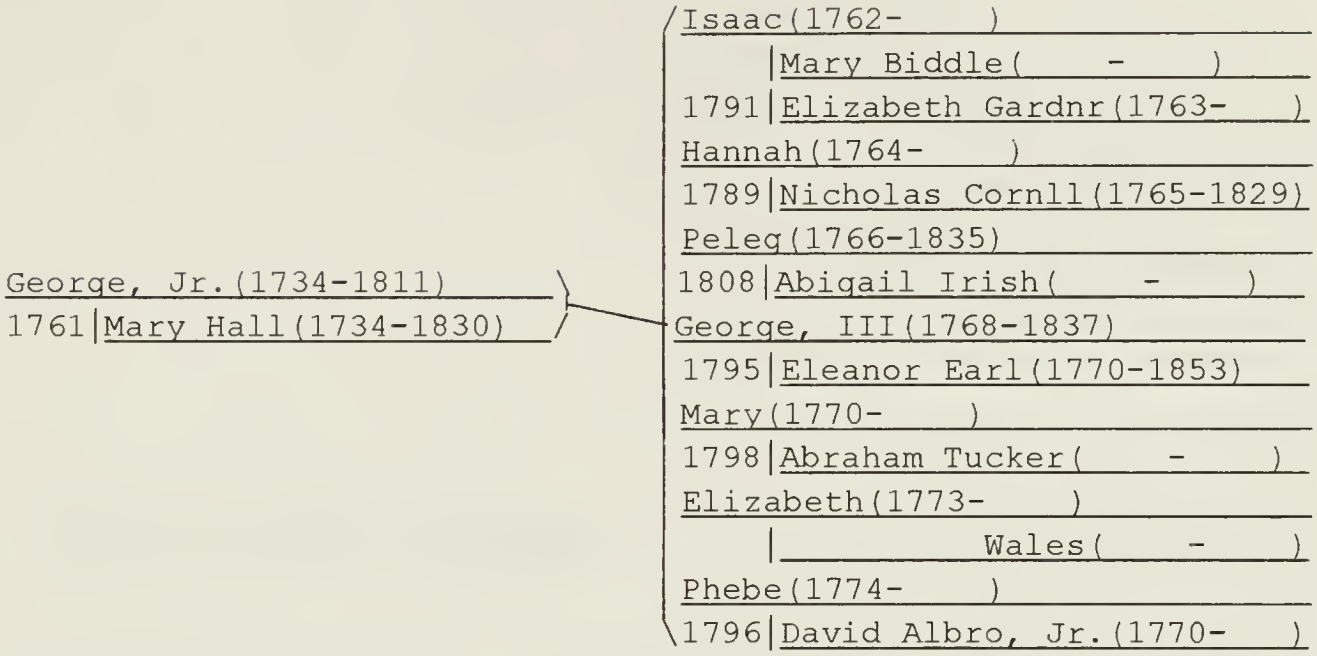

George Sisson, Jr., was born in Portsmouth November 20, 1734. On November 5, 1761 he married Mary Hall, daughter of Parker Hall. They were married in Portsmouth by William Anthony, Justice. Mary was born in 1734. George and Mary had seven children all born in Portsmouth:

Isaac, born August 4, 1762 is discussed on page 129.

Hannah was born September 8, 1764. On September 24, 1789 she married Nicholas Cornell, son of George and Rebecca (Preston) Cornell. They were married by Elder William Bliss. Nicholas was born April 15, 1765. It has been reported that Hannah married George Cornell. Hannah and Nicholas had three children: George, July 3, 1790; Mary, May 1, 1792 married January 6, 1818 Rufus King of Renssalaerville, NY; and Gideon. About 1804 the family moved to New York and resided in Windham and Renssalaerville, NY. Nicholas died September 4, 1829.

Peleg, born November 23, 1766 is discussed on page 129.

George, III, born March 22, 1768 is discussed on page 130.

Mary was born January 20, 1770. On May 5, 1798 she published intent to marry Abraham Tucker of Dartmouth; they were married August 14, 1798 in Newport. They had no issue. Abraham may have died before 1811 as her father refers to Mary Tucker "unmarried" in his will. Refs: (7) 12:30; (23).

Elizabeth was born February 17, 1773. Elizabeth was unmarried when mentioned in her father's will in 1811. In her mother's will of 1830 she is mentioned as Elizabeth Wales.

Phebe was born October 30, 1774. On October 13, 1796 in Middletown, she married David Albro (or Albre), Jr., son of David and Elizabeth (Coggeshall) Albro. They were married by Elder William Bliss. David was born October 12, 1770. Phebe and David had eight children: Alice, July 17, 1797; Peleg, December 6, 1798; Lydia, November 26, 1802; Mehitable, April 26, 1804; Edmond, April

16, 1806; Stephen, May 5, 1809; Freeborn, October 20, 1811; and Arnold, January 31, 1814.

The family lived in Portsmouth in 1790. George's will dated January 28, 1811 proved August 12, 1811 Book 9, page 100, mentions his wife Mary and all seven children. Mary's will dated July 5, 1823 proved December 13, 1830 in Portsmouth Book 10, page 293, mentions all seven children and grandchildren "Mahalley", George of Peleg and Isaac P. Sisson. Mary died a widow October 12, 1830. Her inventory February 8, 1831 was $79.71.

References: (5) p.210; (7) 4:16, 41, 96; (11) Vol. II, p.4; (14) Vol. 10, pp.306-9; (88).

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Mary [5]

Richard [1], George [2], Richard [3], Richard, [4] page 25

Mary(1743-) > Lemuel(1769-1849)
1793 | Susanna Lake(1775-1826)

Mary Sisson was born September 10, 1743 in Portsmouth, RI. She has been reported as having married in Dartmouth, MA Elemuel Milk; see Mary daughter of William and Lydia (Potter) Sisson page 48. It has also been reported that she married John Sisson, son of James and Bathsheba (Cook) Sisson, page 18, and also that she was not married. Mary's son had the surname Sisson and was raised by Mary and her family:

Lemuel, born April 21, 1769 is discussed on page 131.

References: (7) 4:96; (23); (29) p.603.

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Richard, III(1747-1832)
1767|Sarah Fish(1748-1811)

- Patience(1767-)
- Sarah(1769-)
  - 1789|Daniel Cook(-)
- Ann(1770-)
  - 1789|Peleg Lawton Jr(-)
- Barbara(1772-1829)
  - 1797|Barnabas Sisson(1772-1809)
- Rachel(1775-1837)
  - 1797|Pardon Sisson(1753-1841)
- Jane(1777-)
  - Davenport(-)
- Louisa(1780-)
  - 1803|Russell G Peckhm(1783-)
- Richard, IV(1782-1866)
  - Nancy Corey(-)
- Frances(1785-)
  - 1803|Benjamin Peckhm(1780-1852)
- Job(1786-1860)
  - Elizabeth Tabor(1786-1853)
- William(1790-1884)
  - 1815|Margaret Hart(1791-1888)
- Julia Anna(1792-1868)
  - Chas. Coggeshll(1792-1875)

Richard Sisson, III, was born May 11, 1747 in Portsmouth, RI. He was a farmer and inherited a homestead in Portsmouth by his father's will of 1774. On May 4, 1767 he married Sarah Fish, daughter of John and Esther (Shrieve) Fish. They were married in Portsmouth by John Jepson, Asst. Sarah was born June 19, 1748. They had twelve children, all born in Portsmouth (another daughter Hannah, born about 1801, has also been reported; this is a daughter of son Richard IV):

Patience was born December 20, 1767; she was not married.

Sarah was born February 15, 1769. On May 14, 1789 she married Daniel Cook. Sarah and Daniel had six children: Joseph, John, Daniel, Patience, Phebe, and Rosetta.

Ann was born December 17, 1770. On May 14, 1789 she married Peleg Lawton, Jr., son of Peleg and Martha ( ) Lawton. They were married in Portsmouth by Giles Slocum, Justice. It has also been reported that she married Isaac Sherman (see Anna, daughter of George and Anna Sherman page 98). Ann and Peleg had seven children and went west: Joseph Sisson, February 15, 1790; Patience, November 6, 1791; Ruth, July 26, 1793; Adam, January 3, 1797; Sarah, September 1, 1802; Lydia, May 9, 1804; and Sarah S., March 26, 1806.

Barbara was born December 1, 1772. On December 17, 1797 she married Barnabas (Barnard) Sisson, son of Joseph and Ruth (Shrieve) Sisson. She was shown as Barbary in the 1810 and 1820 censuses of Newport County, RI. See Barnabas on page 189.

Rachel was born October 2, 1775. On September 17, 1797 in Portsmouth she married Pardon Sisson, son of James and Mary (Cook) Sisson, see page 100.

Jane was born December 27, 1777. She married Mr. Davenport. Jane is reported as having married Zaccheus Chase [see Jane, daughter of Preserved page 242].

Louisa was born February 7, 1780. On March 3, 1803 she married Russell Green Peckham, son of Levi and Sarah (Tripp) Peckham. Russell was born May 26, 1783. At some point the family moved to Middletown, RI. Louisa and Russell had ten children: Patience, Louisa, Matilda, Sarah, Joseph, Russell, Richard, George, Charles, and Deborah.

Richard, IV was born February 12, 1782 is discussed on page 132.

Frances was born January 13, 1785. On January 6, 1803 in Portsmouth she married Benjamin Peckham, son of Richard and Elizabeth (Clarke) Peckham. Benjamin was born April 12, 1780. Frances and Benjamin had six children: Ann Sisson, August 4, 1803; Frances, December 4, 1804; Sarah; Elizabeth; Mary Jane; and Benjamin. Father Benjamin died January 13, 1852.

Job, born December 16, 1786 is discussed on page 133.

William, born July 18, 1790 is discussed on page 134.

Julia Anna was born October 9, 1792. She married Charles Sherman Coggeshall son of Jonathan and Bathsheba (Sherman) Ward Coggeshall. Charles was born September 22, 1792. He was a ship's carpenter. Julia and Charles had two children: Bathsheba; and Richard Henry. She is called "Julany" in her father's will. Julia died February 4, 1868; Charles died November 26, 1875. Both died in Westport and are buried in Linden Grove Cemetery at the head of Westport.

Richard and Sarah are mentioned in her father's will dated 1773. Sarah died October 1, 1811. Richard died May 22, 1832. His will, dated October 14, 1829 proved July 9, 1832 recorded Book 10, page 401 mentions sons Job, Richard and William; daughters Patience and Rachel Sisson, Sarah Cook, Ann Lawton, Jane Davenport and Julany Coggeshall; grandchildren Mary Jane Peckham of Frances, Richard Peckham of Lovice, and Sarah Sisson of Barbary.

References: (5) p.210; (7) 4:16, 41, 96; (11) Vol. II, pp.5-6; (14) Vol. 10, pp.305-9; (29); (89) p.2000-1; (90); (91).

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Isaac [5]

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Isaac(1750-) ><James?

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Isaac Sisson was born June 20, 1750 in Portsmouth. He may not have married. We believe that the son James assigned to this Isaac should be assigned to Isaac [5] and Esther (Luther), see page 66.

References: (5) p.210; (7) 4:96.

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James [5]

Richard [1], George [2], George Jr [3], George III [4] page 27

James (1756-1834)
1780 | Sarah Mason (1759-1814)
| Olive Bowen (1778-1829)

Haile Mason (1782-1843)
1807 | Deborah C Luther (1787-)
Charlotte Almy (1783-1783)
Charlotte Almy (1785-1868)
| James Barton (-)
| Gardiner Sisson (1767-1849)
Rodman (1792-1796)
George (1795-1857)
1833 | Eliza Ann Mason (1814-1888)

James Sisson was born February 22, 1756 in Warren, RI. On November 12, 1780 in Warren he married Sarah Mason, daughter of John and Sarah (Gardiner) Mason. They were married by Rev. Solomon Townsend. Sarah was born June 1, 1759. James was a private in Capt. Ormsbee's company in June of 1778. James and Sarah had five children, all born in Warren:

Haile Mason, born January 1, 1782 is discussed on page 135.

The first Charlotte Almy was born April 6 and died December 28, 1783 in Warren.

Charlotte Almy was born May 1, 1785. She married first James Barton, son of David and Rebecca (Brightman) Barton. Charlotte and James had three daughters: Mary Mason, who married Mr. Buffington; Jane, who married Mr. Hunt; and Amanda, who died at age 18. Charlotte married second Gardiner Sisson, page 65. Gardiner was born March 7, 1767. It has also been reported that Charlotte married Frederick Brownell, see Charlotte daughter of Elizabeth [6] page 241. Gardiner died March 18, 1849; Charlotte died August 12, 1868. They are buried in Sisson Ground on Touisset Neck, RI.

Rodman was born August 6, 1792 and died October 13, 1796.

George, born July 22, 1795 is discussed on page 135.

Sarah died February 1, 1814 and is buried in the family ground on Touisset Neck. In 1829 James married second Olive Bowen of Warren, a widow without children. Olive was born March 8, 1778 and died September 10, 1829 at Warren "age 52 years"; she is buried in the family ground. James died June 9, 1834 and is buried next to his wives and young children [also reported St. Mark's Church in Warren]. James's will dated June 13, 1831 proved August 11, 1834 recorded Warren Book 4, page 217 mentions sons George and Haile Mason, daughter Charlotte Sisson and granddaughters Mary Mason Barton and Jane Barton.

References: (5); (7) 6:37, 89, 90, 100; 13:27; 19:126; 21:559; (11) Vol. II, pp.14-5, 88; (92) 8:114, 143; (93) p.159.

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George [5]

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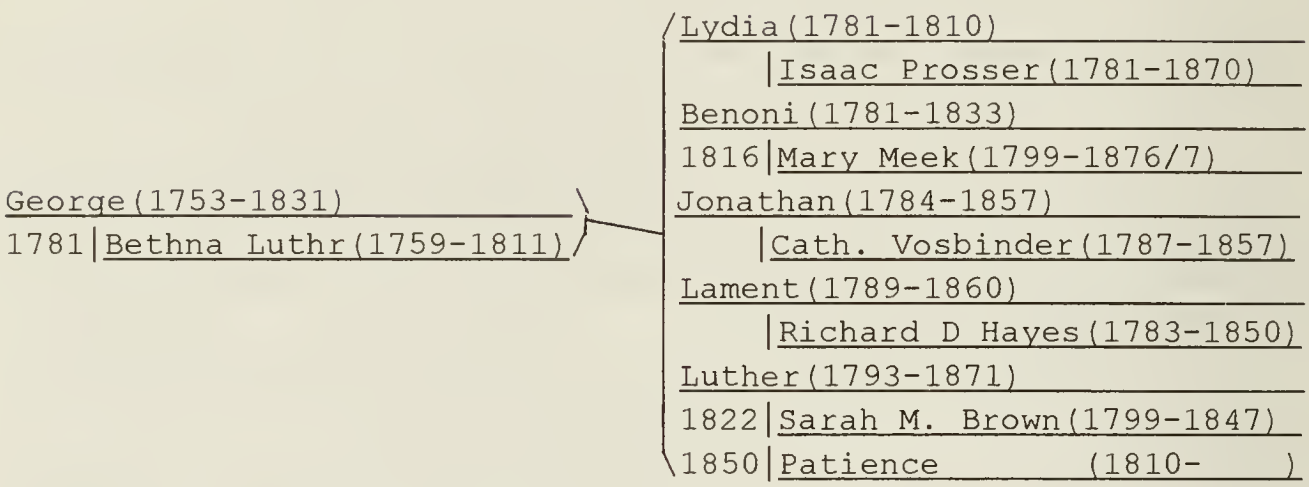

George Sisson was born December 1, 1753 in Swansea, MA, or Portsmouth, RI. On June 10, 1781 in Swansea, MA, he married Bethana Luther, daughter of Jonathan and Elizabeth (Bowen/Bourne) Luther. *Luther Genealogy: John [1], Hezekiah [2], [3], Levi [4], Jonathan [5].* Bethana was born September 23, 1759 in Swansea. The family moved first to Schenectady and then to New Jerusalem, Yates County, NY, in June, 1788. They finally settled on the west bank of Seneca Lake near what is now Penn Yan. The family settled there with 25 other people and planted 12 acres of wheat. George held lot #16 in the Parker, Potter and Hathaway patent in New York. He was a member and trustee of the Society of Friends. He was a sergeant in Capt. Robert Earl's Company in the Revolutionary War. George and Bethana had five children, the first three born in Rhode Island, and the last two in New York:

Lydia was born in 1781. She married Isaac Prosser; he was born in 1781. They had a son who lived in Torrey, NY. They may have also had another child. Lydia died December 20, 1810 in Torrey; Isaac died in 1870.

Benoni, born September 16, 1782/3 is discussed on page 136.

Jonathan, born April 14, 1784 is discussed on page 137.

Lament was born January 1, 1789 in Rhode Island. She married Richard D. Hayes. Richard was born November 22, 1783 in Vermont. [These are the ancestors of Cheryl Branca, Victor, NY.] Lament and Richard had nine children: George Sisson, March 5, 1808 to September 4, 1889, married Catherine Little Whitehead; Rodman Sisson, December 4, 1809 to July 11, 1876, married Charlotte Wood; Luther Sisson, December 4, 1811 to November 8, 1867, married Elsa ( ); Mary, December 9, 1813, married Andrew Beckwith; Richard D., Jr. July 4, 1817 to January 29, 1848, married; Ancel, December 17, 1819, married Elizabeth ( ); Martha, August 11, 1822, married Mr. Stephens; Bethana, December 19, 1824, married Lucius Shaw; and Phebe, May 25,

1828. Richard died July 23, 1850; Lament died January 1, 1860; both died in Monterey, NY.

Luther, born December 28, 1793 is discussed on page 138.

Bethana died August 16, 1811/2, and George died December 28, 1831. Both died in Torrey and are buried in City Hill Cemetery near Dresden, NY.

References: (33); (41); (53) p.181 [shows George born January 1; and Bethana died 1812]; (94).

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John, Jr. [5]

Richard [1], George [2], George, Jr. [3], John [4] page 29

John, Jr.(1758-1839)
1797 Susanna H. (1775-)

- Clarissa(1798-)
  - Sadler(-)
- Catharine(-)
  - 1827 Benjamin Bartn(-)
- Eliza(-)
  - 1827 Daniel Hunter(-)

John Sisson, Jr. was born February 17, 1758 in Warren, Bristol County, RI. John was a private from Rhode Island in 1776 for three months and from March, 1777 to March, 1778 under Col. Cook, Capt. Allen Carr's cavalry; and for twenty days in 1778 with Sullivan's expedition. On June 11, 1797 in Swansey, MA he married Susanna H. ( ). She was born in 1775. John and Susan had three daughters:

Clarissa was born circa 1798 in Warren. She married Mr. Sadler. On September 25, 1851 she signed as the eldest child, an affidavit supporting her mother's application for a widow's pension.

Catharine was born about 1800 in Warren. She married Benjamin Barton, Jr., November 25, 1827 in Warren.

Eliza was born about 1803. She married Daniel Hunter (or David Hunt), December 5, 1827 in Warren.

Another daughter, Susan, has also been reported. This Susan is the daughter of Edward and Nancy "Sukey" (Fales) Sisson, see page 68.

John applied July 16 and was pensioned December 17, 1832; he died January 12, 1839. Susan applied September 27, 1851 and was pensioned February 24, 1852.

References:(7) 6:89; 12:255, 359; 16:517; 18:49; 20:329; (81) 1800, p.402, with 2 f under 10; (88); (95) RI line W2871.

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Esek [5]

Richard [1], George [2], George, Jr. [3], John [4] page 29

Esek(1762-1832)
1790|Sabra Luthr(1767-1854)

- Elizabeth Hunter(1790-)
- Esek, Jr.(-)
- Thomas(1793-1859)
  - |Elmira Kelley(1800-1858)
- Elizabeth Hunter(-)
- Luther(1796-1868)
  - 1827|Hannah S Church(1808-1887)
- Fones(1798-1871)
- John(-)
- Rebecca Luther(1805-1861)
  - 1827|Charls H Salsbry(1804-)
- Philip Allen(1806-)

Esek Sisson was born August 11, 1762 in Warren, Bristol County, RI. He was a machinist and a private from Rhode Island in the 1776 militia (age 14) for three years under Col. Elliott and Col. Crary. For this service Esek was awarded £26-4s-5d and £15-14s-7d. On June 30, 1790 in Swansea, MA he married Sabra/Sebry Luther, daughter of Harlow and Rachel Cole (Salisbury) Luther. They were married in a Church of Christ in Swansea by Elder Russell Mason. Sabra was born October 4, 1767 in Swansea. Esek and Sabra had nine children, all but Philip born in Swansea:

Elizabeth Hunter "Betsey" was born July 26, 1790. She probably died young.

Esek, Jr. was born about 1792.

Thomas, born June 4, 1793 is discussed on page 139.

A second Elizabeth Hunter was born about 1794.

Luther, born February 8, 1796/7 is discussed on page 139.

Fones was born August 14, 1798. He was not married and died in Warren March 2, 1871.

John was born about 1800.

Rebecca Luther was born February 14, 1805. On September 27, 1827 she married Charles H. Salisbury of Warren, son of Daniel and Mary ( ) Salisbury. They were married in Warren by Rev. Mr. Rexford. Charles was born November 5, 1804. Rebecca and Charles lived in Essex, MA, and had four children: Mary Hall, November 20, 1828; William H., September 17, 1831; Eliza Cole, 1836; and Sarah Ann, who married Mr. Fuller. Rebecca died May 17, 1861. Refs: (7) 6:37, 20:329.

Philip Allen was born December 28, 1806 in Warren.

Esek died March 24, 1832 in Warren. "Seabury" was granted a pension at age 75 while living in Warren with Betsey Kelley. Sabra died April 10, 1854.

References: (7) 6:89, 90; 12:255, 390; 16:517; 20:329; (11) Vol. II, p.19; (35) pp.5,6; (41); (54); (95).

Gardiner [5]

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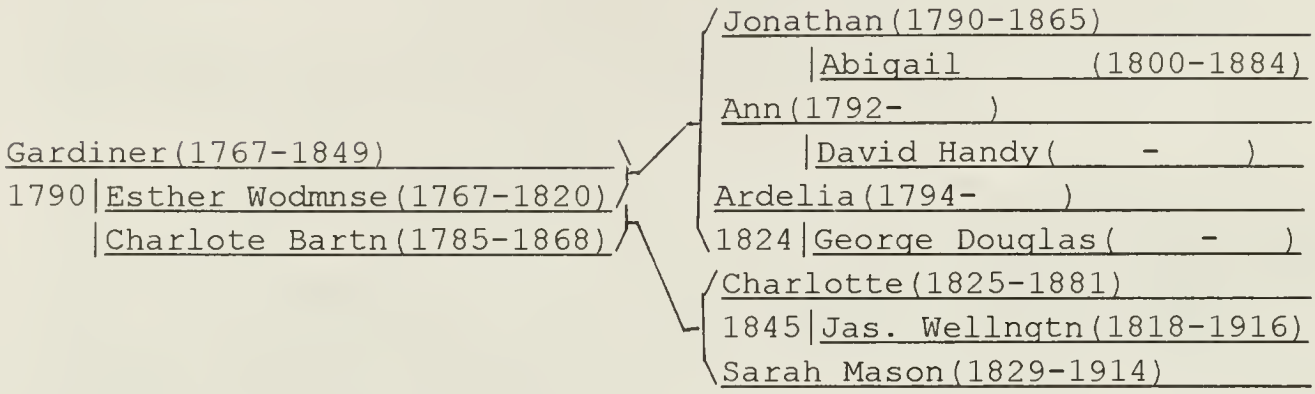

Gardiner Sisson was born March 7, 1767 in Warren, Bristol County, RI. He was a shoemaker. On June 4, 1790 he married Esther Woodmansee in Swansea, possibly daughter of John and Esther ( ) Woodmansee. Esther was born in July, 1767 in Portsmouth. Gardiner and Esther had three children, all born in Warren:

Jonathan, born in 1790 is discussed on page 141.

Ann was born 1792. She married David Handy (or Hardy) and had five children: Emiline, Adeline, Elmira, Hiram, and George.

Ardelia was born in 1794. On March 18, 1824 she married George Douglass. They were married by Elder Wright. Ardelia and George had two sons: George and Samuel.

Esther died November 11, 1820 "age 55". She is buried in the Sisson ground in Touisset Neck. Gardiner married second Charlotte Almy (Sisson) Barton, daughter of James and Sarah (Mason) Sisson, see page 61, and widow of James Barton. Charlotte was born May 1, 1785 in Warren. Gardiner and Charlotte had two children:

Charlotte was born August 19, 1825 in Warren. On August 7, 1845 in Swansea, she married Dr. James Lloyd Wellington, a graduate of Harvard Medical School. James was born January 27, 1818 in Templeton, MA. Charlotte and James had five children: Arthur Wellesley, November 4, 1846 married Nellie Bead Mason; Helen Lloyd, October 31, 1847 not married, died March 8, 1932; Julia Russell, January 3, 1849 not married, died in 1927; William Henry, April 9, 1861 married Ethelyn B. Allen, died 1925; and Charles, August 27, 1864 to May 21, 1866. Charlotte died June 30, 1881; James died February 11, 1916. They are buried in Swansea.

Sarah Mason was born September 27, 1829. She was not married. She died April 15, 1914 in Swansea and is buried in Swansea Cemetery.

This is probably the Gardner in the Bristol County, MA, 1800 census, p.402. Gardiner died March 8, 1849 in Warren. Charlotte died August 12, 1868 in Swansea. Gardiner is buried beside his two wives in Touisett, RI.

References: (7) 6:89; 8:349; (11) Vol. II, pp.20, 91.

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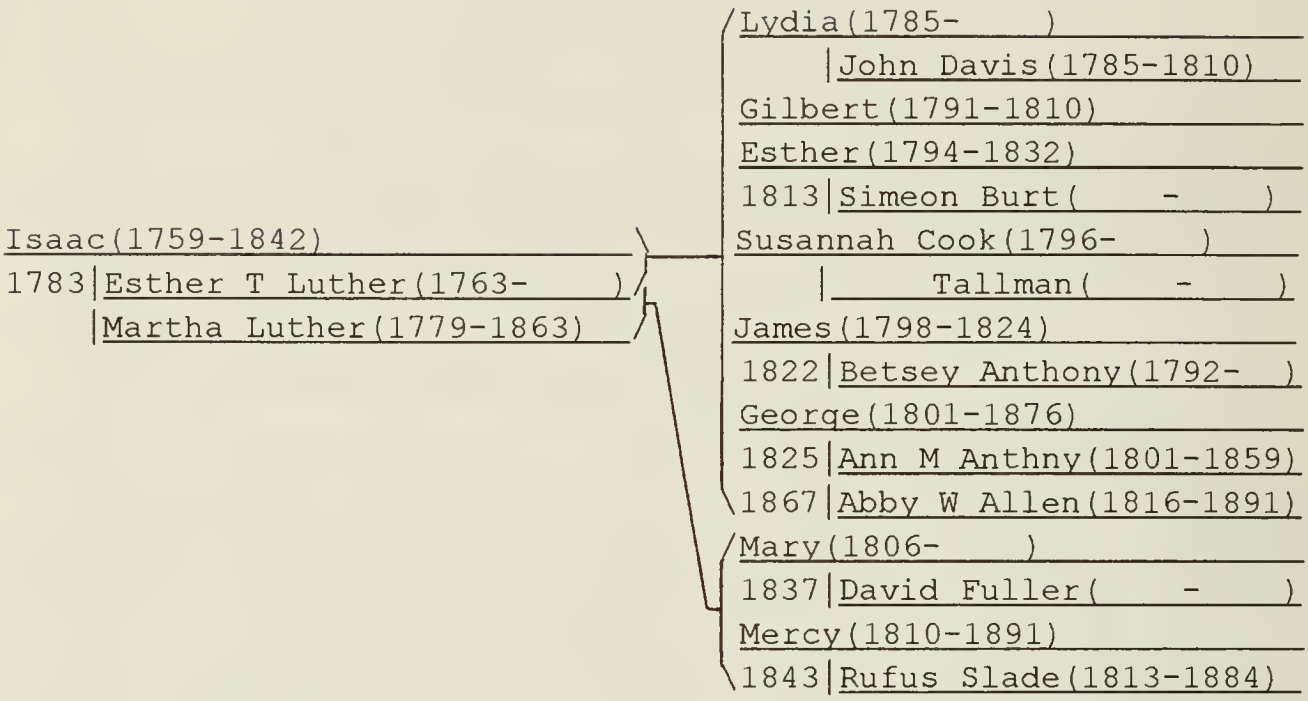
Isaac [5]

Richard [1], George [2], George, Jr [3], Gilbert [4] page 30



Isaac Sisson was born on January 21, 1759 in Swansea, MA. He was a farmer and is listed in some genealogies as "Frank" Sisson. On October 19, 1783 in Swansea he married Esther Theophilus Luther, MA. Isaac and Esther had six children, all born in Swansea: daughter of Theophilus, III and Esther (Cole) Luther. *Luther genealogy: John [1], Samuel [2], Theophilus [3], [4], [5].* Esther was born July 4, 1763 in Swansea. Isaac and Esther had six children:

Lydia was born September 11, 1785. In Swansea she married John Davis, son of James and Lydia (Brown) Davis. John was born in October, 1785. Lydia and John had a son: Gilbert. John died in 1810.

Gilbert was born July 29, 1791. He was not married and died September 1, 1810 in Bristol, RI, age 19 years.

Esther was born February 21, 1794. In Fall River or Swansea on April 25, 1813 she married Simeon Burt of Taunton. Esther and Simeon had five children: Mary, Jane, and probably George, Leander and Zelotus [these boys may have taken the surname Sisson]. Esther died in 1832 and is buried in Mt. Hope Cemetery, Swansea.

Susannah Cook was born September 1, 1796. She married Mr. Tallman probably in Swansea.

James, born September 21, 1798 is discussed on page 150.

George, born September 27, 1801 is discussed on page 151.

Isaac married second Martha Luther, Esther's half-sister, the daughter of Theophilus, III and Martha (Buffington) Eddy Luther. Martha was born in 1779 (also reported April 24, 1783) in Swansea, and is called Patty in her father's will. Isaac and Martha had two children, both born in Swansea:

Mary was born May 31, 1806. On December 3, 1837 in Swansea she married David Fuller of New Salem, CT.

Mercy was born July 10, 1810. On February 23, 1843 in Swansea she married Rufus S. Slade. Rufus was born in 1813. Mercy and Rufus had a daughter: Mary S., 1844 to 1911. On June 25, 1849 mother-in-law Martha paid Rufus $300 "to allow use of his new dwelling house as long as she lived". Rufus died in 1884. Mercy died January 22, 1891 in Swansea, age 80 years, 6 months, 12 days. She is buried in the Mt. Hope Cemetery.

Isaac and Martha had several land dealings in Swansea between 1808 and 1835. Isaac's will dated March 27, 1841 proved January 3, 1843 recorded in Swansea Book 85, page 112 mentions wife Martha; son George; daughters Lydia Davis; Betsey Sisson, widow of son James; Susannah Tallman; Mary Fuller; Mary C. Sisson; grandchildren Hannah L. Sisson of James; Mary Burt and Jane Burt, George Burt Sisson, Leander Burt Sisson and Zelotus Burt Sisson; and Gilbert Davis. Martha died November 1, 1863, "age 84 years, 8 months, 27 days". She is buried in the Mt. Hope Cemetery.

References: (7) 19:126; 21:558; (11) Vol. II, pp.21-3, 92-3; (34) pp.186,8; (41); (53) pp.147-8; (302) 1880 p.402, with 2f & 1m 10-16, and 2f & 1m under 10.

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Freeborn, Esq. [5]

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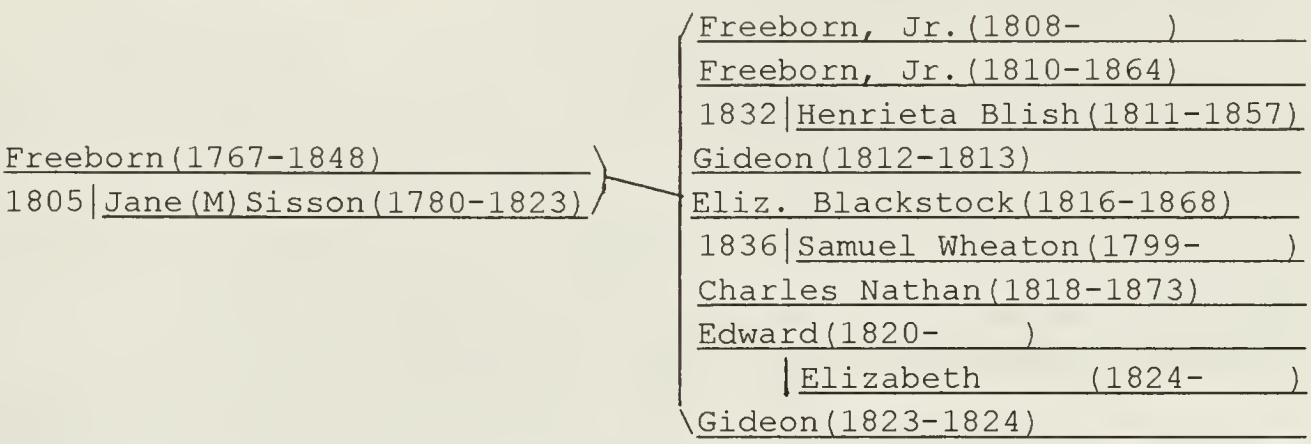

Freeborn Sisson was born January 16, 1767 in Warren, RI. He was a charter member of St. Mark's Church Episcopal and a merchant in Warren. On May 30, 1805 in Boston he married Jane (Maxwell) Sisson, his brother Gideon, Jr's widow. The family also lived in Swansea and Charlestown, MA. We do not know when he assumed the title "Esquire". Between 1803 and 1822 Freeborn had land dealings recorded in Fall River. In 1832 he sold land recorded in Newport. He was living in Charleston and Warren at these times. Freeborn and Jane had seven children in Warren and raised Maria Maxwell Sisson, daughter of Gideon, Jr. and Jane:

Freeborn, Jr. was born circa 1808 and died young.

The second Freeborn, Jr, born April 17, 1810 is discussed on page 151.

The first Gideon was born October 15, 1812 and died July 11, 1813.

Elizabeth Blackstock was born March 15, 1816. On September 12, 1836 in St. Mark's Church, Warren, she married Samuel Wheaton of Freetown, son of Charles and Abigail (Miller) Wheaton. Samuel was born April 29, 1799 in Warren. Elizabeth died in March of 1868.

Charles Nathan (or Northam) was born April 14, 1818. We understand that he was not married, but he has been reported as married June 29, 1851 to Maria Kelley of Providence. Ref: (7) 6:37). Charles died November 28, 1873.

Edward was born February 14, 1820 in Warren. He may be the Edward listed as a soap manufacturer in Chicago in 1869, like his brother Freeborn [see also Edward Freeborn, son of Freeborn, Jr. page 143]. Edward married Elizabeth ( ). Elizabeth was born circa 1824. He probably died in Chicago in 1882, for his widow Elizabeth is listed in the City Directory, 1883-1894.

The second Gideon was born May 4, 1823 and died August 27, 1824, in Warren.

The Providence Journal reports "Jane wife of Freeborn" died May 8, 1823 in Warren. Freeborn died in Warren July 9, 1848. Freeborn's will dated May 12, 1848 proved September 2 of that year recorded Warren Book 4, page 510 mentions sons Freeborn, Jr, Edward and Charles; daughter Elizabeth Blackstock Wheaton; and sister Mrs. Mary Trott.

References: (7) 6:89, 90; 8:114; 13:27; 14:274; 19:126; 21:558; (11) Vol. II, pp.24-6; (35); (96); (97) 1850.

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Edward [5]

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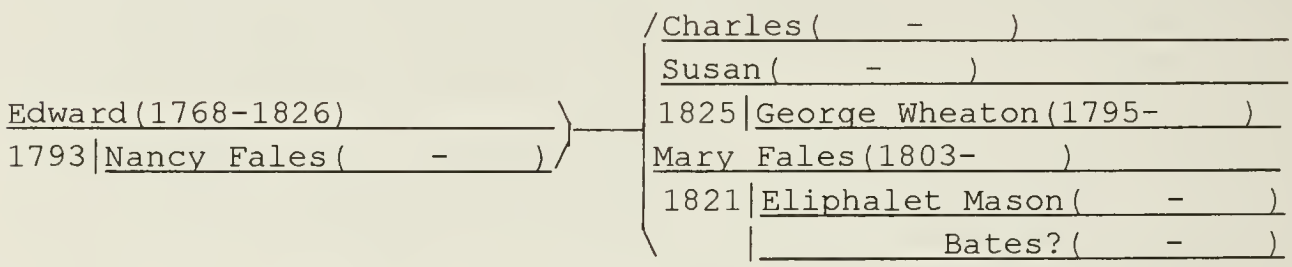

Edward Sisson was born October 14, 1768 in Warren, RI. He was a leather dresser. On September 6, 1793 he published bans and on October 16 of that year he married Nancy "Sukey" Fales, daughter of Nehemiah Fales. The marriage was performed by Rev. Mr. Jason Haven in Dedham, MA. The family lived in Charlestown and Millton, MA. In 1798 he was employed in Charlestown by David Wait. Edward and Nancy had three children:

Charles was born about 1795.

Susan was born about 1800. On January 10, 1825 in Warren, she married George Wheaton, son of Charles and Abigail (Miller) Wheaton. They were married by Rev. Mr. Welch. George was born November 24, 1795. The family lived in Charlestown; he was a captain [of what?].

She or her mother was admitted as a member of the Methodist Church of Warren before 1828 according to Arnold 8:563. Susan has also been reported as the daughter of John and Susanna ( ) Sisson, see page 63. Ref: (99).

Mary Fales was born September 25, 1803. She published intent June 30 and was married September 9, 1821 to Eliphalet Fales Mason. They were married by Rev. A. Lamson according to Dedham vital records. She married second Mr. Bates(?). She had one child, Francis Eliphalet, January 11, 1830 who married a Miss Bigelow.

It has been reported that Edward was placed under the guardianship of his son Charles in 1807; this is probably in error, since Charles was about twelve years old at that time. Edward died on July 24, 1826.

References: (7) 6:37; 15:336; 18:49; 20:329; (11) Vol. II, p.27; (96); (100).

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Henry [5]

Richard [1], George [2], George, Jr [3], Gideon [4] page 32

Henry(1770-)
1794|Alathea Holdrd(1768-1798)
1803|Hannah Collns(1780-1819)

- Harriet(1794-)
  1811|William Fales(-)
- Henry Collins(1809-)
- Caroline Maria(1814-)
  1847|Arius Nye(1792-)

Henry Sisson was born October 12, 1770 in Warren, RI. On April 13, 1794 in Swansea he married Alathea Holdred of Swansea. Alathea was born circa 1768. Henry and Alathea had a daughter:

Harriet was born December 22, 1794 in Swansea. This could be the Harriet Sisson who on March 21, 1811 married William Fales. They were married in St. Michael's Church, Bristol by Bishop Griswold. Refs: (7) Vol. 8, p.217 & Vol. 20, p.329 ("RI American").

Alathea died February 18, 1798; she is buried in a private cemetery in the rear of the Stephens Estate in Swansea. Henry married second on August 31, 1803 Hannah Collins, daughter of Charles and Hannah (Turner) Collins. They were married in Warren by Elder Luther Baker. Hannah was born July 3, 1780. Henry and Hannah had two children, both born in Warren:

Henry Collins was born March 10, 1809.

Caroline Maria was born April 25, 1814. On May 22, 1847 she married Arius Nye, son of Ichabod Nye as his second wife. They were married in Trinity Church, New York City. Arius was born December 27, 1792 in Marietta, OH.

Apparently Henry died in 1817 since Hannah was appointed guardian of their daughter Caroline on November 3, 1817. After Hannah's death William Collins, her brother was appointed guardian; he was discharged as guardian August 10, 1835 she "being of age". Hannah's will dated May 29, 1819 proved August 2 of that year

recorded Warren Book 3, page 433 mentions daughter Caroline Maria and various Collins relatives. Her inventory dated December 17, 1819 was $409.88, recorded Book 2, page 110.

References: (7) 6:37, 90; (11) Vol. II, pp.28-9.

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Gideon, Jr. [5]

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Gideon, Jr.(1772-1803) — 1799 Jane Maxwell(1780-1823)

Maria Maxwell(1802-) — 1822 Robert N. Ames(-)

Gideon Sisson, Jr. was born October 10, 1772 in Warren, RI. On August 29, 1799 in Boston he married Jane Maxwell of Liverpool, England. Jane was born February 4, 1780. They had one child:

Maria Maxwell was born on February 10, 1802 in Warren. She married May 5, 1822, Robert Nathan Ames of Providence. They were married by Elder James Wilson. They were also married May 26 at Warren by Rt. Rev. Bishop Griswold.

After Gideon, Jr. died in 1803, Jane married Gideon's older brother Freeborn.

References: (7) 6:90; 7:461; 15:336; 16:517; 18:49; 20:329; (11) Vol. II, p.30; (101) Vol. 1, p.332; (102).

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Samuel [5]

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Samuel(1747-) — 1768 Lucy (-)

John(1769-1848) — 1789 Mary J. Jones(1771-1862); 1815 Mercy Ann Vorce(-1849)

Richard(-)

Samuel, Jr.(-) — 1840 (-)

Mary(1787-1857) — 1803 Aaron Sisson(1780-1865)

Samuel Sisson was born December 4, 1747 in Westerly, RI. Before 1763 he went to Dutchess County, NY. A fair amount of confusion in the literature was caused by the fact that Samuel went to northern New York state, then moved to Unadilla with his family among other Sissons. Samuel and his family often are lost among the descendants of his brother John discussed below. He should not be shortchanged, however, because many of his descendants are still living, including the publishers of this book! Circa 1768 Samuel married Lucy ( ). Samuel and Lucy had four or more children, probably all born in Renssalaer County:

John, born in 1769, our ancestor, is discussed on page 144.

Richard was born about 1772. He is reported died before 1790; or he may be the Richard who died August 19, 1831 in Sheridan, Chautauqua County, NY.

Samuel, Jr., born about 1775, is discussed on page 145.

Mary was born July 11, 1787. She married Aaron Sisson, son of John and Alcha (Crandall) Sisson, discussed on page 151.

It has been reported that they also had Bethiah; Gideon [son of Constant and Elizabeth (Hix) p. 90]; Ruth, Sylvester [brother] and Arnold (Amos) [brother, below or nephew, p 155].

Samuel apparently married a second time, wife's name unknown. The family was in Renssalaer County, NY in 1790 and in 1795 moved to Otsego County, NY. After 1795, 20 families including Samuel divided 2,000 acres in Otsego County. In 1795 he sold land in Hoosick to Ezekiel Hodges. On July 26, 1796 a land grant of 4,800 acres in Maryland, Otsego County, named Samuel, John, Samuel Jr, and Amal (Arnold) [Vol. LXI, p.101]. In 1800 they were in Millford, NY. In the 1790 census Samuel was in Hoosick with three males and four females; in the 1800 Millford census Samuel had one male 0-10, one female 10-16, one male and one female 16-26, one male 26-45 and one male over 45; in the 1810 census he was in Unadilla with two males and three females.

References: (7) 5:133; (103).

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John(1749-1818)
1770|Alcha Crndll(1755-1832)

- Elizabeth(1771-1777)
- John, Jr.(1773-)
  1793|Hannah Gardner(1770-1833)
- Giles(1775-1835)
  1796|Sarah Potter(1774-1824)
  1825|Mary (R.) Knopp(1783-1867)
- Wilson Crandall(1776-1806)
  1792|Rebecca Cobb(1776-1825)
- Aaron(1777-1778)
- Elizabeth(1778-)
  1793|Benjamin Saundrs(1772-)
- Aaron(1780-1865)
  1803|Mary Sisson(1787-1857)
- Edith(1781-)
  |John Gardiner(-)
- Rebecca(1783-)
  |Job Wilber(-)
- Wright(1784-)
  |Dorcas Bartlete(-)
- Simeon(1786-1838)
  |Susanna Potter(-1838)
- Benjamin(1787-1850)
  1807|Hannah Cranston(-)
  1808|Seriah Pendletn(1791-)
- Amos "Arnold?"(1790-)
  |Mary Sabins(1795-)
- James C.(1792-1860)
  |Lorena (1792-)
- Sarah(1799-1861)
  |Alvin Peck(-)
- David(-)

John Sisson was born April 10, 1749 in Westerly, RI. He was a farmer and a Jackson Democrat. His earmark was a hole through the right ear and a half-penny in the underside of the left ear. He was a private from Hoosick, NY, in the 14th Albany County militia in 1779 to 1780. He was in the battle of Bennington; later he was in the 4th Regulars from Dutchess County under Col. van Renssalaer; he was awarded a bounty warrant. He was a fenceviewer and pathmaster in Unadilla. He settled in Susquehanna Road (Wells Bridge), then "moved back upon the hills" in 1790. He was involved in several land dealings in Unadilla in 1803-1812. In 1770 in Dutchess County John married Alcha Crandall, daughter of Samuel and Sarah (Warden?)

Crandall. Alcha was born May 21, 1755. John and Alcha had 15 or 16 children; the first two were born in Hoosick and the remainder in Unadilla:

Elizabeth (the first) was born July 30, 1771 and died September 15, 1777.

John, Jr., born June 20, 1773 is discussed on page 146.

Giles, born April 12, 1775 is discussed on page 148.

Wilson Crandall, born May 21, 1776 is discussed on page 150.

The first Aaron was born November 30, 1777 and died February 15, 1778.

The second Elizabeth was born November 19, 1778. On August 7, 1793 she married Benjamin W. Saunders (or Sanders), son of Jonathan Saunders. He was born November 29, 1772. They lived in Otsego County. In 1803 Benjamin was deeded 50 acres by John Sisson. Elizabeth and Benjamin had a daughter, who married a Mr. Gardiner and moved to Canada.

The second Aaron, born September 4, 1780 is discussed on page 151.

Edith was born December 4, 1781. She married John Gardiner, son of Nathan and Hannah (Thompson) Gardiner. In 1813 they sold land which she received from her father in 1812, to her brother Aaron. They then moved to Ohio. Edith and John had eight children: Truman, Hiram, Nancy, Huram, William, Giles, Hannah, and Dow.

Rebecca was born May 29, 1783. She married Job Wilber in Unadilla and may have moved to Ohio.

Wright, born December 8, 1784 is discussed on page 152.

Simeon, born April 2, 1786 is discussed on page 153.

Benjamin, born October 18, 1787 is discussed on page 154.

Amos "Arnold", born November 1, 1790 is discussed on page 155.

James C., born April 22, 1792 is discussed on page 156.

Sarah was born November 12, 1799. She married Alvin Peck of Otsego County. They lived on her father's homestead in 1822. She inherited the family Bible and apparently moved to Nebraska and then Michigan. Sarah and Alvin had three children: Edward L.; Clarissa who married a Mr. Lindsley; and Lovisa who married a Mr. Peck. Sarah died in 1861.

David was born about 1801. He is possibly a son, grandson, or ward of John and Alcha. He is not named in the family Bible but is named in other family documents. In 1870 he moved to Gallia County, Ohio.

John died October 21, 1818 in Vevay, IN; he is buried in Unadilla. Alcha died August 12, 1832 in Unadilla.

References: Family Bibles; (7) 5:133; (56); (58) p. 99; (104) p.18; (105); (106) p.101; (107); (108); (109) 022335; (235).

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Arnold [5]

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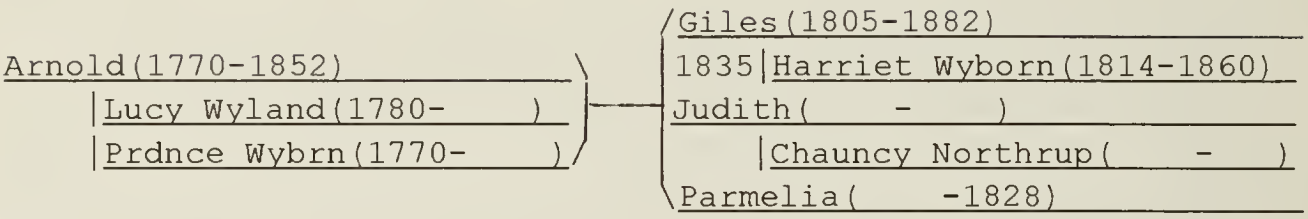

Arnold Sisson was born in 1770 in Livonia, NY. He married first Lucy Wyland (or Wyborn), who was born in 1780. It is possible that Arnold and Lucy had Isaac T. born in 1795 who had a daughter Mary who married Mr. West. Arnold married second Prudence Wyborn, daughter of Isaac and Anna (Whipple) Wyborn and sister to Bevin Granville Wyborn whose daughter Harriet married Arnold's son Giles. *Wyborn genealogy: Isaac, 1739; of John, 1698 and Jerusha (Larabee); of John, 1665 and Hester (Ripple); of Thomas and Ruth ( ).* Prudence was born in 1770 in DeWitt, Onondaga County, NY. Arnold and Prudence had three children, all born Livonia:

Giles, born in 1805 is discussed on page 156.

Judith was born about 1808 and married Chauncey Northrup.

Parmela was born about 1810 and lived in Canadice, Ontario County, NY. She was not married and died February 5, 1828.

In 1818 Arnold sold a 42.5 acre farm to Aaron Sisson and moved to Genesee County, NY, and perhaps then to Ohio. In 1820 Arnold lived in Unadilla with his wife, one son, and two daughters. Arnold died in 1852 in LeRoy or Pavilion, NY.

References: Cemetery and land records and wills; (110) 1850; (111).

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Oliver [5]

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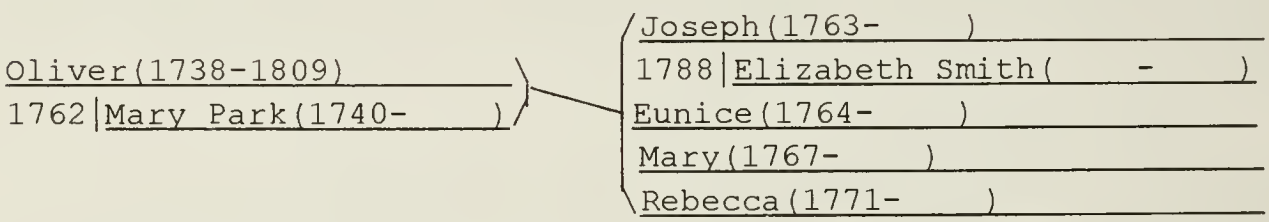

Oliver Sisson was born March 30, 1738 in Westerly, RI. On June 17, 1762 at the Congregational Church of Preston, New London County, CT, he married Mary Park of Preston. Mary was born circa 1740. Oliver and Mary had four children, all born in Preston:

Joseph, born June 12, 1763 is discussed on page 157.

Eunice was born December 8, 1764.

Mary was born September 5, 1767.

Rebecca was born July 3, 1771.

Oliver was probably the first permanent settler in Tuscarora County, PA, in 1805. He lived at the foot of Sisson Hill on the Cogswell homestead. He died in 1809 leaving everything to his wife who soon sold to Elisha and Julius Cogswell.

References: NOTE: Bradford County was created in 1812 from Luzerne and Lycoming Counties; (7) 5:133; (11) Vol. II, p.32; (37) pp.568-9; (112); (113); (114) 6:20; (115) p.305; (116);

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Nathan [5]

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Nathan(1740-1814)
1763|Hannah Brdck(-1814)

Elisha(1763-1844)
1786|Elizabeth Chappl(1763-1826)
Augustus(1766-1856)
1790|Margaret Stebbns(-1834)
1842|Lovinia (-)
Hannah(-)
|Levi Chaffee(-)
Sylvia(-1832)
|Nathan Pearse(-)
Mary(1774-1855)
1800|James Work(1775-1750)
Nathan, Jr.(-)
1803|Abigail Bigelow(-)
Sally(-)
1802|Gideon Chapin(-1841)
Lucretia(-)
|Jabez Billings(-)
Jason(1784-1806)
James(1785-1820)
1811|Abigail Pride(1789-1849)

Nathan Sisson was born April 14, 1740 in Westerly, RI. At some time he lived in Barre, VT. He was a sergeant in 1762 in Capt. Russell's Rhode Island Company. He served in Ticonderoga and was imprisoned on a ship in New York. He also served in the French and Indian War. He was a freewill preacher and farmer. On February 9, 1763 in Westerly, he married Hannah Burdick. Nathan and Hannah had ten children, all born in Westerly:

Elisha, born December 18, 1763 is discussed on page 158.

Augustus, born August 22, 1766 is discussed on page 159.

Hannah was born about 1768. She married Levi Chaffee. Levi was a farmer. They went to bounty lands in Wabash, IN, with their sons Austin and Orrin, who served in the War of 1812. Hannah died in Wabash.

Sylvia was born about 1771. She married Nathan Pearse. Nathan was a deacon of the Baptist Church in Wilbraham. They had four children: Sabra, Justius, Marcia, and Sylvia. Mother Sylvia died in 1832 in Wilbraham.

Mary was born in 1774. In March of 1800 she married James Work. James was born in October, 1775. The family moved to Wilbraham, then to Connecticut in 1829 and in 1831 to Bellefontaine, Logan County, OH. Mary and James had seven children: James Marcus, January 27, 1801, married a Pearsen (they had a daughter Susan who married William Sisson); Nathan, February 16, 1803, married a Nevers; Sophronia M., September, 1805, married a Durkee; Horatio N., died an infant; Mary P., July, 1810, married a McDaniels; Lucinda E., July 24, 1813, also married a Nevers; and George S., June 14, 1817. Father James died September 3, 1850; mother Mary died February 9, 1855.

Nathan, Jr., born about 1776 is discussed on page 160.

Sally was born about 1778. In 1802 she married Gideon Chapin. They were Methodists. Sally and Gideon had four children. They moved to Stafford, CT, then Chenango, NY (1816), then Hiram, OH, where they both died. Gideon died in 1841 and Sally died later.

Lucretia was born about 1780 and married Jabez Billings.

Jason was born in 1784 and died in 1806, unmarried.

James, born September 12, 1785 is discussed on page 161.

Both Nathan and Hannah died in 1814 in Wilbraham, MA, Nathan on April 13 and Hannah on April 17. They are buried in the same grave.

References: (7) 5:133; (35); (117) 1800 p.237, with 2 f & 2 m 16-26 and 1 m 10-16.

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William, Jr. [5]

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William, Jr.(1744-1798)
1766|Mercy Noyes(1748-1824)

Gilbert(1769-1840)
1791|Desire Maine(1772-1842)
Mercy(1771-)
|Joseph Chapln Jr(-)
Lucy(1773-)
| Buddington(-)
|Oliver Avery(-)
Abigail(1775-)
1797|Erastus Cooly(-)
Hulda(1777-1850)
1796|Joshua Randll Jr(1775-1846)
Nancy(1780-)
|Daniel Gifford(-)
William, III(1784-1800)
Polly(1787-1866)
1809|Samuel Manning(1785-)
Hannah(1792-)
|Joseph Breed(-)

William Sisson, Jr., was born July 12, 1744 in Westerly, RI. He was a merchant. On April 10, 1766 at the Congregational Church of North Stonington, New London County, CT, he married Mercy (Mary, Marcy) Noyes, daughter of John and Marcy or Mary (Breed) Noyes. Mercy was born January 7, 1748 in Stonington. William served as a private in 1781 in Canfield's Militia Regulars under Cmdr. Amos Maine in defense of the Hudson. He was an ensign in the Connecticut Militia in May of 1800. William and Mercy had nine children, all born in Stonington:

Gilbert, born March 13, 1769 is discussed on page 162.

Mercy was born April 15, 1771. She married Joseph Champlin, Jr., and had a son: William.

Lucy was born June 28, 1773. Lucy married first Mr. Budington and second Oliver Avery. This is possibly Oliver Avery born February 8, 1757 son of Christopher and Eunice (Prentice) Avery. Oliver married first Margaret [Avery?]. Ref: (37) p.206.

Abigail ("Nabby") was born July 11, 1775. On December 3, 1797 in Stonington she married Erastus Cooley (or Colby).

Hulda(h) was born February 28, 1777/8. In 1796 in Stonington she married Joshua Randall, Jr., son of Joshua and Rhoda (Chesebrough) Randall. He was born in 1775; ibid, p.549. The family moved to Pharsalia, NY. They had eight children: Joshua, III, May 25, 1799-October 15, 1852; Miranda, 1801-1843; Almira, 1803-August 26, 1840; Lebrulow Chesebrough, June 18, 1805; Erastus, August 17, 1812; Noyes Sisson, January 28, 1814; Alvin, 1816-1858; and Roswell Avery, April 20, 1818. Joshua died August 15, 1846; Hulda died October 15, 1850 in Jersey City, NJ.

Nancy was born July 9, 1780. She married Daniel Gifford.

William, III, born April 29, 1784 died August 26, 1800.

Polly was born May 20, 1787. On November 4, 1809 she married Samuel Manning, son of Diah Manning. *Manning genealogy: William [1], [2], Samuel [3], [4], John [5], Samuel [6], Diah [7].* Samuel was born April 12, 1785 in Norwich, CT. Polly died January 5, 1866.

Hannah was born August 25, 1792. She married Joseph Breed. He is possibly the Joseph Breed born July 23, 1781 in Stonington, son of Joseph and Mercy (Holmes) Breed. Ref: (37) p.247.

William's will dated April 2, 1798 and proved November 15 that year recorded Stonington Book 6, page 204, mentions wife Marcy, sons Gilbert and William; daughters Mary Champlin, Lucy Budington, Abigail Cooley, Huldah Randall, and Nancy, Polly and Hannah Sisson. His inventory was £232-3s-11d. William died in Stonington October 15, 1798; Mercy died December 8, 1824. Both are buried in Pownal, VT, along with sons Gilbert and William and other family members.

References: (7) 5:133; (11) Vol. II, pp.33-4; (37) p.569; (56) p.619; (62) p.191-5; (118); (119) vol. 7, p.140; (120) vol. __, p.87; (121) p.347.

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Benejah [5]

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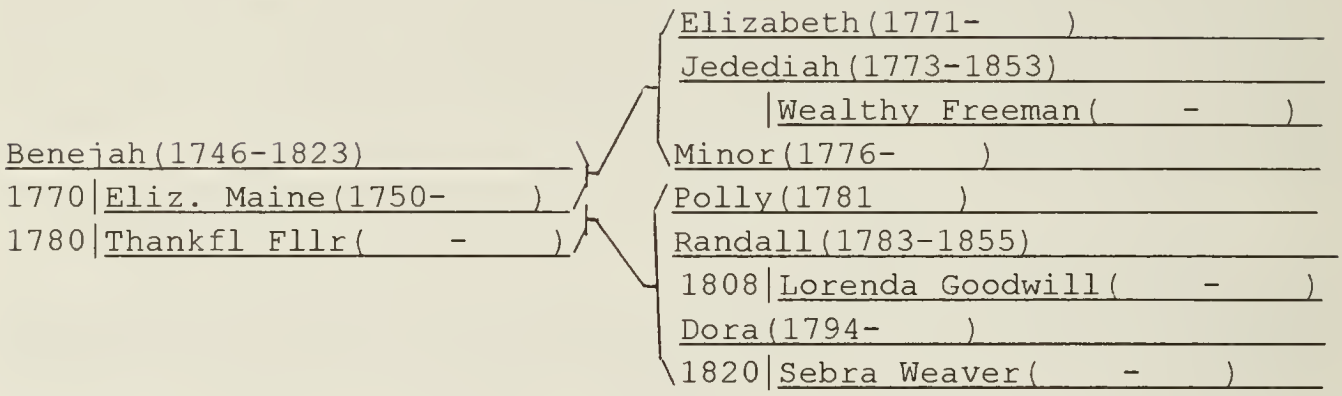

Benejah Sisson was born September 2, 1746 in Westerly, RI. In Stonington, CT, he married first on March 29, 1770 Elizabeth Maine, daughter of Timothy and Elizabeth (Brown) Maine. Elizabeth was born November 2, 1750 in North Stonington, CT. Benejah and Elizabeth had three children, all born North Stonington:

Elizabeth was born January 5, 1771.

Jedediah, born January 14, 1773 is discussed on page 164.

Minor was born October 27, 1776.

Benejah married second August 20, 1780 Thankful Fuller, in Stonington. Benejah and Thankful had three children born in Stafford, CT:

Polly was born June 8, 1781 and probably died young. A second Polly, born December 11, 1802, has been reported, but is probably a niece to this Polly.

Randall was born September 28, 1783. On January 24, 1808 he married Lorenda Goodwill. Randall died July 19, 1855.

Dora was born January 6, 1794. On August 27, 1820 in Ashford, CT, she married Sebra Weaver of Willington. Philene Sisson has also been reported with the same marriage. [Dora and Philene may or may not be the same woman.] Ref: (122).

Benejah died circa 1823.

References: (7) 5:133; (11) Vol. II, p.35; (123).

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James(1748-1827)
1780|Hanah Thmpsn(1758-1821)

- James, Jr.(1781-)
- Hannah(1783-178)
- Bridget(1784-1842)
  - 1805|Franklin Peck(-)
- Nancy(1787-)
- Eliza(1789-1861)
- Nathaniel(1791-1856)
  - |Nancy Haskins(-)
- Zebediah(1794-)
  - |Mary Graham(-)
- David Thompson(1795-1796)
- Caroline(1796-1825)
- Harriet(1799-1868)
  - 1825|Hugh Gillespie(1798-1836)
  - |Truman Bull(-)
- William(1801-)
  - |Elizabeth Walton(-)

James Sisson was born August 25, 1748 in Westerly, RI. He was a sea captain. On November 26, 1780 he married Hannah Thompson, daughter of Nathaniel and Elizabeth (Eldredge) Thompson. Hannah was born September 9, 1758. James and Hannah had eleven children, the first seven in Stonington, CT:

James, Jr. was born September 24, 1781. He died May 22, __.

Hannah was born January 30, 1783 and died March 28, 178_.

Bridget was born December 9, 1784. On September 15, 1805 she married Franklin Peck. Bridget died in Onondaga, NY, April 5, 1842.

Nancy was born January 22, 1787.

Eliza was born February 11, 1789. She died August 28, 1861 in Syracuse, NY.

Nathaniel was born January 4, 1791. He married Nancy Haskins. Nathaniel died August 24, 1856 in Manlius, NY.

Zebediah was born January 5, 1794. He married Mary Graham of County Monighan, Ireland.

David Thompson was born December 14, 1795 in Groton, CT. He died in November, 1796.

Caroline was born December 11, 1796 in Rhinebeck, Dutchess County, NY. She died June 8, 1825.

Harriet was born September 19, 1799 in Rhinebeck. She married first October 8, 1825 Dr. Hugh Gillespie of Jamesville, NY. Hugh was born January 4, 1798 in Charlestown, Montgomery County, NY. Harriet and Hugh had four children: William Hugh, June 3, 1826 to November 16, 1830; Charles James, June 3, 1826; George Burnett; and James Sisson, September 14, 1830 married Ellen Lavinia Williams. Hugh died September 17, 1836 in Michigan City, Laport County, IN.

Harriet married second Truman Bull of Manlius. Harriet died February 24, 1868 at the home of her son George in Port Byron, NY.

William was born November 3, 1801 in Rhinebeck. He married Elizabeth Walton.

This probably is the James Sisson who was a judge in Syracuse, NY. Hannah died March 28, 1821 in Syracuse. James died October 26, 1827 in Manlius.

References: (7) 5:133; (11) Vol. II, pp.36-7, 100, Vol. IV, pp. 59-60; (35); (124) 1800.

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Jonathan [5]

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Jonathan(1753-1833)
1776|Eliz. Bliven(1755-1842)

- William(1776-1837)
  - 1806|Phoebe Holdridge(1786-1859)
- Elizabeth(1778-1862)
  - |John Burdick(-)
  - |William Payne(-)
- Jonathan, Jr.(1780-1853)
  - 1810|Selina M. Loomis(1788-1820)
  - 1824|Hope Spencer(1793-1865)
- Nathan B.(1782-1812)
- Oliver(1784-1871)
  - |Lucretia Tiffany(-)
- Mary(1786-)
  - |Richard Tiffany(-)
- Sarah(1788-1835)
- Nancy(1790-1856)
- Fanny(1792-1838)
- Desire(1794-1860)
- Henry Bliven(1798-1863)
  - 1832|Lucinda Shailer(1800-1887)

Jonathan Sisson was born May 2, 1753 in Westerly, Washington County, RI. He was a private for 14 months, 1777-1779. He was a captain later in the Revolutionary War. On May 12, 1776 in Westerly he married Elizabeth "Betsey" Bliven, daughter of Nathan and Elizabeth (Lewis) Bliven. They were married by Joseph Crandall, Justice. Elizabeth was born August 4, 1755 in Westerly. Jonathan and Elizabeth had eleven children, all born in Westerly:

William, born October 5, 1776 is discussed on page 165.

Elizabeth was born March 8, 1778. She married first John Burdick and then William Payne. Elizabeth died a widow June 9, 1862 in Hopkinton.

Jonathan, Jr., born March 27, 1780 is discussed on page 165.

Nathan B. was born March 23, 1782. He was lost at sea January 27, 1812.

Oliver, born March 23, 1784 is discussed on page 166.

Mary was born April 1, 1786. She married Richard Tiffany.

Sarah was born April 12, 1788 and died unmarried, May 5, 1835 in Lyme, CT.

Nancy was born June 17, 1790. She died November 28, 1856, unmarried.

Fanny was born October 4, 1792 and died September 28, 1838.

Desire was born December 9, 1794 and died, unmarried, April 9, 1860. She is possibly the Deziah (June 5, 1797-August 9, 1860) who is buried in the Sisson Cemetery, Lyme, CT.

Henry Bliven, born August 12, 1798 is discussed on page 166.

In 1801 the family moved from Hopkinton, RI, in 1806 to Lyme, where he worked on the farm, sawmill and gristmill. Jonathan and Elizabeth are mentioned in a will dated 1816 [Westerly Probate 2B:271]. Both parents died while living in Lyme; Jonathan at sea [?] December 9, 1833. Jonathan's will dated September 24, 1832 proved March 10, 1834 mentions wife Elizabeth, sons William, Jonathan, Oliver and Henry; daughters Sarah, Nancy, Fanny and Desire Sisson and Elizabeth Burdick. His inventory March 10 was $4238.17. Elizabeth applied December 28, 1837, for a widow's pension. Elizabeth's will dated December 10, 1839 proved 1842 mentions son-in-law Richard Tiffany executor, son Jonathan and daughters Mary, Nancy and Desire. She died October 9, 1842. They are buried in the Sisson graveyard in the northern part of the town of Lyme.

References: (7) 5:59, 133/4; (11) Vol. II, pp.38-40; (14) Vol. 9, p.220; (39) Vol. 2, p.252-8; (95) RI line, W17815;(126) Vol. IV, #7, p.101 (Jan. 1894); (127); (128); (129) Vol. XXXIII, No. 4.

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Thomas [5]

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Thomas(1758-1841)
1783|Abigl Cttrll(1761-1831)

Thomas, Jr.(1783-)
|Polly Bliven(-)
Hannah(1785-)
1804|James Stetson(1781-)
Joshua Cottrell(1787-1845)
1814|Catherine Sandrs(1795-1857)
Lois(1789-1876)
|Robert Langworth(1785-1865)
Daniel Lee(1791-1842)
1814|Elizabeth Chapmn(-)
Abigail(1793-1858)
1816|John Chapman(1792-1881)
Libbeous(1795-1882)
1839|Nancy G. Smith(1795-1877)
Rhoda Ann(1798-)
1816|John Chapman(1792-1881)

Thomas Sisson was born April 4, 1758 in Westerly, RI; DAR records give a birth date of April 4, 1754. He was a private from Rhode Island for 18 months in the Revolutionary War. He inherited land from his father. On January 19, 1783 in Westerly, he married Abigail Cottrell, daughter of Major John and Lois (Boardman) Cottrell. They were married by Joshua Vose, Justice. Abigail was born in 1761. Thomas and Abigail had eight children, all born Westerly:

Thomas, Jr. was born December 2, 1783. He married Polly Bliven. He has been reported [but is not] the Thomas who married Elizabeth Pendall/Pendell in Schoharie, NY and died in 1830 in South Plymouth, NY.

Hannah was born September 25, 1785. On December 2, 1804 she married James Stetson, son of Stephen and Dorcas ( ) Stetson. Hannah and James had nine children: James R., August 7, 1805; Hannah, November 9, 1806, married Mr. Fish; Abigail S., February 29, 1808; Susannah, September 15, 1810, married Mr. Hyde; Horace W.; Dwight; Harriet, married Mr. Reade; Charles C.; George; and Mary S., married Mr. Trucy.

Joshua Cottrell, born September 2, 1787 is discussed on page 167.

Lois was born August 7, 1789. She married Robert Henry Langworth(y), son of Samuel and Mary ( ) Langworth(y). He was born March 14, 1785. They had six children: Robert Henry; William A.; Rhoda Ann; Harriet, married Mr. Lewis; Louisa, married Nathan Kenyon Lewis; and Abby. Robert died February 21, 1865; Lois died February 11, 1876; both are buried in Hopkinton.

Daniel Lee, born March 29, 1791 is discussed on page 168.

Abigail was born March 9, 1793. On March 28, 1816 she married John Chapman, son of Joseph/John and Elizabeth (Kenyon) Chapman. John Chapman was born September 23, 1792/3 and is the same man reported to have married Abigail's sister Rhoda. [Abigail's marriage to John could have been later, as his second wife.] Abigail and John had five children: John L., 1825 to December 24, 1903; Louise; Elizabeth, married Mr. Gates; Emma, married Mr. Harvey; and Adelaide Victoria, 1840, married Edmund Potter. Abigail died September 4, 1858 (also reported 1849); John died in 1881; both are buried in Westerly.

Libbeous, born August 12, 1795 is discussed on page 169.

Rhoda Ann was born March 30, 1798. On March 28, 1816 she may have married the same John Chapman as her sister Abigail. Rhoda and John had two children: Israel and Courtland P.

Abigail died April 13, 1831. Thomas was pensioned in 1833 for his service in the Revolutionary War. He was living in Westerly with his son Libbeous at the time. Thomas died October 2, 1841 in Westerly. He was buried in Sisson Ground #1 near Manlius, RI. Thomas's will dated March 25, 1834 was proved November 2, 1841. It mentions all eight children [Westerly Probate 4B:294].

References: (7) 5:59, 60, 133,4 & 12:359, 390; (11) Vol. II, p.41; (14) Vol. 3, p.252; (35); (40) p.288; (56) p.619; (113) Roll #65; (130); (131); (132) Vol I, p.10; (133).

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John [5]

Richard [1], George [2], Thomas L. [3], Thomas F. [4] page 35

John(1741-1815)
1767|Keturah Brdk(1741-)

Sion(1768-1847)
1791|Betsey Weldon(1767-1846)
Keturah(1769-)
Content(1771-)
Amy(1777-1825)
1796|Thompson Burdick(1774-)
Ruth(-)

John Sisson was born March 3, 1741/2 in Westerly, RI. He later lived in Hopkinton. On March 20, 1767 he married Keturah Burdick, daughter of Peter and Desire (Reynolds) Burdick. They were married in Hopkinton by Stephen Saunders, Justice. Keturah was born January 30, 1741 in Westerly. John was admitted a freeman of Westerly in 1762 and constable in 1767. On December 13, 1795 the town council declared the home of Thomas and John Sisson to be a hospital for treatment of smallpox. He was chosen to the town council June 2, 1801. John and Keturah had five children, probably all born in Westerly, the first three recorded there:

Sion (or Sihon), born April 16, 1768 is discussed on page 170.

Keturah was born September 6, 1769.

Content was born June 23, 1771.

Amy was born in 1777; some sources do not mention this daughter of John and Keturah. On May 28, 1796 she married Thompson Burdick, son of Thompson and Patience (Bliven) Burdick. *Burdick genealogy: Robert [1], Benjamin [2], David [3], Thompson [4], [5].* Thompson was born April 15, 1774 in Westerly. Amy and Thompson had eight children: Thomas Thompson, February 20, 1797; Rodman Sisson, February 11, 1799; Polly, November 29, 1800; Desire, June 20, 1803; Sion Sisson, March 6, 1805; Eliza, October 25, 1807; Content, August 5, 1809; and Samuel Lee, February 3, 1812. Amy died December 20, 1825 in Westerly.

Ruth was born about 1780; probably it was she who was admitted to the First Sabbatarian Church in Hopkinton in 1786, with her sister Content and mother Keturah.

This may be the John who joined the Hopkinton church July 12, 1783. John died in 1815; his will, written June 15 of that year in Westerly [Probate 2B:149], and proved February 26, 1816 mentions Keturah, Amy and Sion. Both John and Keturah are buried in Sisson Ground #1 in Niantic.

References: (7) 5:24, 133; 10:112; (11) Vol. II, pp.42, 104; (40) p.288.

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Peleg, Jr. [5]

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Peleg, Jr.(-)
1777 Esther West(1756-)

- Timothy(1777-)
  - (-)
- Joshua(1780-1841)
  - 1811 Alice Crumb(1786-1776)
- Gilbert(1783-1859)
  - 1806 Phebe (S)Babcock(1782-1867)
- Rebecca(1785-)
  - Edward Dunham(-)
- Esther(1787-1863)
  - Freeman Dunham(-)
- Lucy(1790-)
  - Thaddeus Butler(-)
- Lodowick(1790-1861)
  - 1813 Mary Saunders(1786-1864)
- Robert(1795-)
- Catherine(1797-)
  - Elisha West, Jr.(-)
- Peleg, III(1799-1872)
  - Lois Gavitt(1801-1866)

Peleg Sisson, Jr., was born about 1750-2. On February 10, 1777 he married Esther West, daughter of Timothy and Content (Lamphere) West, Peleg's stepmother. They were married in Westerly by Joseph Clarke, Justice. The marriage was witnessed by James Babcock and Miss Content Sisson. According to "History of Stonington, CT", Esther was the daughter of Matthew West and his first wife. Esther was born circa 1756. Peleg and Esther had ten children, all born in Westerly:

Timothy, born July 22, 1777 is discussed on page 170.

Joshua, born February 14, 1780 is discussed on page 171.

Gilbert, born April 10, 1783 is discussed on page 172.

Rebecca was born March 14, 1785. She married Edward Dunham.

Esther was born May 5, 1787. She married Freeman Dunham. Esther died a widow August 18, 1863 in Westerly.

Lucy was born July 14, 1790, a twin to Lodowick. She married Thaddeus Butler.

Lodowick, born July 14, 1790 is discussed on page 173.

Robert was born September 14, 1795; he moved to Long Island.

Catherine "Caty" was born August 17, 1797. She married Elisha West, Jr., son of Elisha and Lydia (Lamphere) West. Catherine and Elisha had eight children: Jane, married Mr. Grey; Elisha, Jr.; Horatio; Rhoda; Peleg; Ann Deborah, married Mr. Champlin; Charles, married Miss Wallace; and Robert, married Miss Murphy.

Peleg, III, born March 10, 1799 is discussed on page 175.

The 1790 Census for Portsmouth, RI, reports a Peleg Sisson. Peleg died in Westerly. Daughters Esther, Lucy, Rebecca and Catherine are mentioned in the will of William Babcock, dated April 2, 1807, proved November 29, 1809 in Westerly.

References: (7) 5:59, 134; (11) Vol. II, p.45; (14) Vol. 9, p.220; (37) pp.635 & 663; (40) p.288.

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Barnabas [5]

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Barnabas(1768-1851)
1790|Cyntha Lmphr(-)

- Cynthia(1790-)
  - |Harry West(1794-1884)
- Barnabas, Jr.(1792-1866)
  - |Lydia West(1795-)
  - |Elizabeth Sisson(1800-1879)
- Sally(1794-1875)
  - 1814|Samuel P. Simms(1790-1869)
- Charles(1797-1821)
- Hannah(1800-)
  - |Isaac Bliven(1797-1872)
- Rhoda(1803-)
  - |Abram Burdick(-)
- Eliza(-)
  - |Samuel Barnes(-)
- Clark Emery(-)
  - 1843|Susan H. Hall(-)
- Content(-)
  - |William Thompson(-)
- Celia(1811-1883)
  - |Christophr Rthbn(-)

Barnabas Sisson was born March 29, 1768 in Westerly, RI. On March 7, 1790 there he married Cynthia Lamphere, daughter of Elias and Sarah (Brown) Lamphere. They were married in Westerly by Elder Isaiah Wilcox. Cynthia was born about 1767. Barnabas and Cynthia had ten children, all born in Westerly:

Cynthia was born June 14, 1790. She married Harry West, son of Henry and Hannah (Saunders) West. Harry was born circa 1794. Cynthia and Harry had one child: Thomas, 1820-January 5, 1888, married Miss Watson. Harry married two times after Cynthia died. He died in July, 1884 in Hopkinton and is buried in Ashaway Cemetery.

Barnabas, Jr, born July 15, 1792 is discussed on page 176.

Sally was born October 11, 1794. On March 17, 1814 in Westerly, she married Samuel Pendleton Simms, son of William and Rebecca (Chase or Pendleton) Simms. Samuel was born circa 1790. Sally and Samuel had nine children: Martha; Isaac; Rhoda; Celia;

Mary Jane; Sarah; Samuel Dudley; George W; and Charles. Samuel died October 22, 1869 and Sally died January 10, 1875.

Charles was born May 20, 1797. He was not married and died April (probably 22), 1821 on board the schooner Freegift enroute to New London.

Hannah was born August 16, 1800. She married Isaac Bliven. Isaac was born May 20, 1797 and died December 13, 1872. Hannah and Isaac had one child: Charles.

Rhoda was born August 7, 1803. She married Abraham Burdick. Rhoda and Abraham had: Charles; James; Horace D.; Martha; Nancy; Benjamin; and others.

Eliza was born about 1805. She married Samuel Barnes.

Clark Emery, born about 1807 is discussed on page 177.

Content was born about 1809 and married William Thompson.

Celia was born in January, 1811 in Exeter. On September 4, 1849 she married Christopher Rathbone (or Rockwell). Celia died a widow July 3, 1883 in Westerly.

Barnabas died in Westerly January 6, 1851.

References: (7) 5:60, 134; 13:27; 14:274; 19:126; 21:558; (11) Vol. II, p.46; (14) Vol. 2, p.148; Vol. 9, p.219; (37) pp.632-5.

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Joseph [5]

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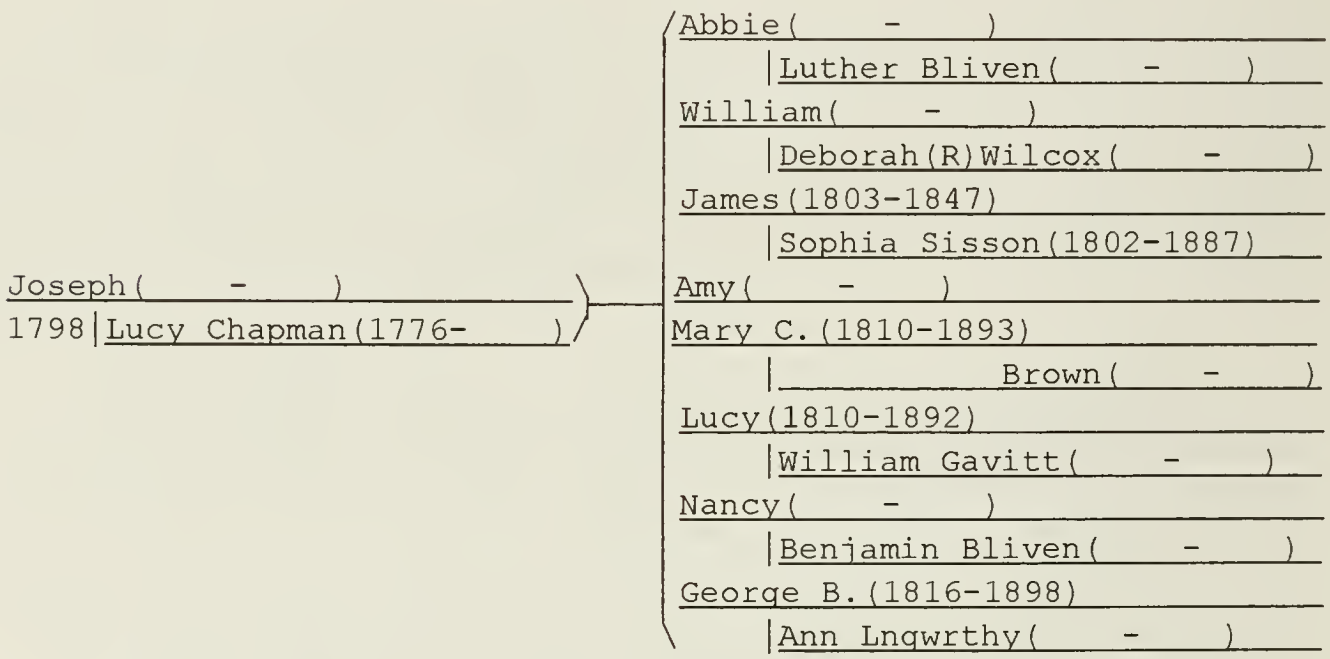

Joseph Sisson was born about 1772. On February 4, 1798 in Westerly, RI, he married Lucy Chapman, daughter of William, Jr., and Bridget [or Mary] (Johnson) Chapman. They were married by Samuel Bliven, Justice. Lucy was born September 4, 1776. Joseph and Lucy had eight children:

Abbie was born about 1799. She married Luther Bliven.

William, born about 1801 is discussed on page 178.

James, born in 1803 is discussed on page 178.

Amy was born about 1808.

Mary C., was born July 11, 1810 in Westerly, Washington County, RI. She is a twin to Lucy and married Mr. Brown. Mary died a widow February 24, 1893 in Westerly.

Lucy (M.) was born July 11, 1810 (also reported 1814). She married William Gavitt. Either she died a widow February 9 or died before her husband on March 8, 1892. Both sets of data are reported in Westerly death records. [There may be two Lucys, daughters of Joseph and married to Mr. Gavitts.]

Nancy was born about 1815 and married Benjamin Bliven.

George B. was born April 30, 1816 in Westerly. He married Annie Langworthy. George died a widower January 22, 1898 in Hopkinton.

This is probably the Joseph listed in the 1800 and 1820 censuses of Washington County, RI. He is named in his father's will; Joseph and Lucy are mentioned in a will dated 1831 [Westerly Probate 3B:458]. Joseph is buried in the Sisson Ground #1, Westerly.

References: (7) 5:60; (11) Vol. I, p.71; (14) Vol. 2, p.148 & Vol. 5, p.311 & Vol. 9, pp.220, 222; (37) pp.632-5; (134) 1790: 1 m, 2 f; p.50.

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Sanford [5]

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Sanford(1772-1857)
1799|Eliz. Chapmn(1778-1862)

- Elizabeth(1800-1879)
  - Barnbs Sisson Jr(1792-1866)
- Sophia(1802-1887)
  - James Sisson(1803-1847)
- Damarias(1804-1891)
  - 1828|William West(1803-)
- Sanford Noyes(1808-)
  - 1837|Caroline Sisson(1818-1905)
- Bridget(1810-1888)
  - Jacob Kenyon(-)
- 1846|Ichabod Sisson(1802-1875)
- Lydia(1814-1890)
  - William Saunders(-)
- Hannah(1819-1898)
  - Warren Maine(1815-1896)
- Eunice(1821-1908)
  - 1844|William R. Dunhm(-)
  - 1856|Gardiner Crumb(1798-1874)

Sanford Sisson was born in 1772. He is mentioned in his father's will, 1798. On March 3, 1799 in Westerly, Washington County, RI, he married Elizabeth Chapman, daughter of William, Jr., and Bridget (Johnson) Chapman. They were married by Elder Elkanah

Babcock. Elizabeth was born September 17, 1778. Sanford and Elizabeth had eight children, all born in Westerly:

Elizabeth was born July 20, 1800. She married Barnabas Sisson, Jr., son of Barnabas and Cynthia (Lamphere) Sisson. See page 176. Barnabas was born July 15, 1792. Elizabeth and Barnabas had two children: Harriet and Julia. Barnabas died December 22, 1866; Elizabeth died March 14, 1879 in North Stonington.

Sophia was born January 30, 1802. She married James Sisson, son of Joseph and Lucy (Chapman) Sisson, see page 178. James was born in 1803. James and Sophia had five children: James Mattison; George; Sydney; William; and Mary Ann. [NOTE - Sophia and James were double first cousins. Not only were their fathers brothers, but their mothers were also sisters.] James died August 8, 1847. Sophia died August 22, 1887 in Westerly and is buried at Niantic.

Damarias (or Denice) was born August 13, 1804. On February 7, 1828 at Westerly she married William West, son of Henry and Hannah (Saunders) West. William was born July 12, 1803. The family moved to Stonington, CT, and then to Hopkinton. Damarias and William had eleven children: William Robinson, November 21, 1828, married Mary Knight; Lucy Ann, April 15, 1830, married Nelson B. Vars; Alfred M., January 17, 1832, died in the Civil War, 1863; Edwin, January 24, 1834, to September 6, 1901, married Sarah A. Yerrington; Elizabeth Sisson, March 1, 1835 to April 9, 1894, married Henry Barber; Sophia, September 5, 1836 to 1842; Emily A., October 11, 1838, married John Johnson; George, 1840 to 1841; George, July 1842 to 1847; a girl, 1845, died young; and Sarah A., May 19, 1847 to August, 1847. Damarias died a widow February 12, 1891 in Hopkinton.

Sanford Noyes, born September 24, 1808 is discussed on page 178.

Bridget was born 1810 in Westerly. She married first Jacob Kenyon and had five children: Ira; Jacob; Bridget A.; Charles; and Frank Noyes, who married Miss Wilcox. She married second December 27, 1846 Ichabod Babcock Sisson, son of Gilbert and Phebe (Simms) Sisson as his second wife, see page 327. Ichabod was born January 3, 1802. Bridget and Ichabod had three children discussed under Ichabod: Sanford; Phebe Elizabeth; and Giles. Ichabod died in June 28, 1875; Bridget died July 22, 1888 in Westerly.

Lydia was born January 25, 1814. She married William Saunders and had five children: William; Sanford; Phebe; Sarah E.; and Henry who died at Antetam during the Civil War. Lydia died a widow February 8, 1890 in Hopkinton.

Hannah was born March 31, 1819. She married Warren Maine. Warren was born in August, 1815. Hannah and Warren had eleven children: Hannah A., married Mr. Wilcox; Sarah E., circa 1852 to March 1, 1877; Clark; Joshua F., circa 1853 to September 8, 1891; Lydia; Harriet; Henry; Susan, who died young; two more children; and Julia. Warren died May 16, 1896; Hannah died July 6, 1898.

Eunice was born in December, 1821 in Westerly. She married first August 18, 1844 William Robinson Dunham son of Freeman Dunham. They had three children: Robinson Noyes in 1844; James, July 19, 1847; and Harris, July 14, 1850. On December 15, 1856 Eunice married second Gardiner Crumb as his second wife. Gardiner was born circa 1798. Eunice and Gardiner had a son: Oliver P., 1861 to April

13, 1903. Gardiner died May 22, 1874; Eunice died August 24, 1908 in Westerly and is buried there.

Sanford died October 5, 1857, age 85 (also reported 1951). Elizabeth died March 15, 1862, age 85; both are buried in Sisson Ground #1 in Westerly.

References: (7) 5:60, 134; (11) Vol. II, pp.47, 114; (14) Vol. 2, p.148 (Bridget and Eunice are listed as children of M. Sanford) & Vol. 3, p.252 & Vol 9, pp.219-223; (37) p.633.

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George [5]

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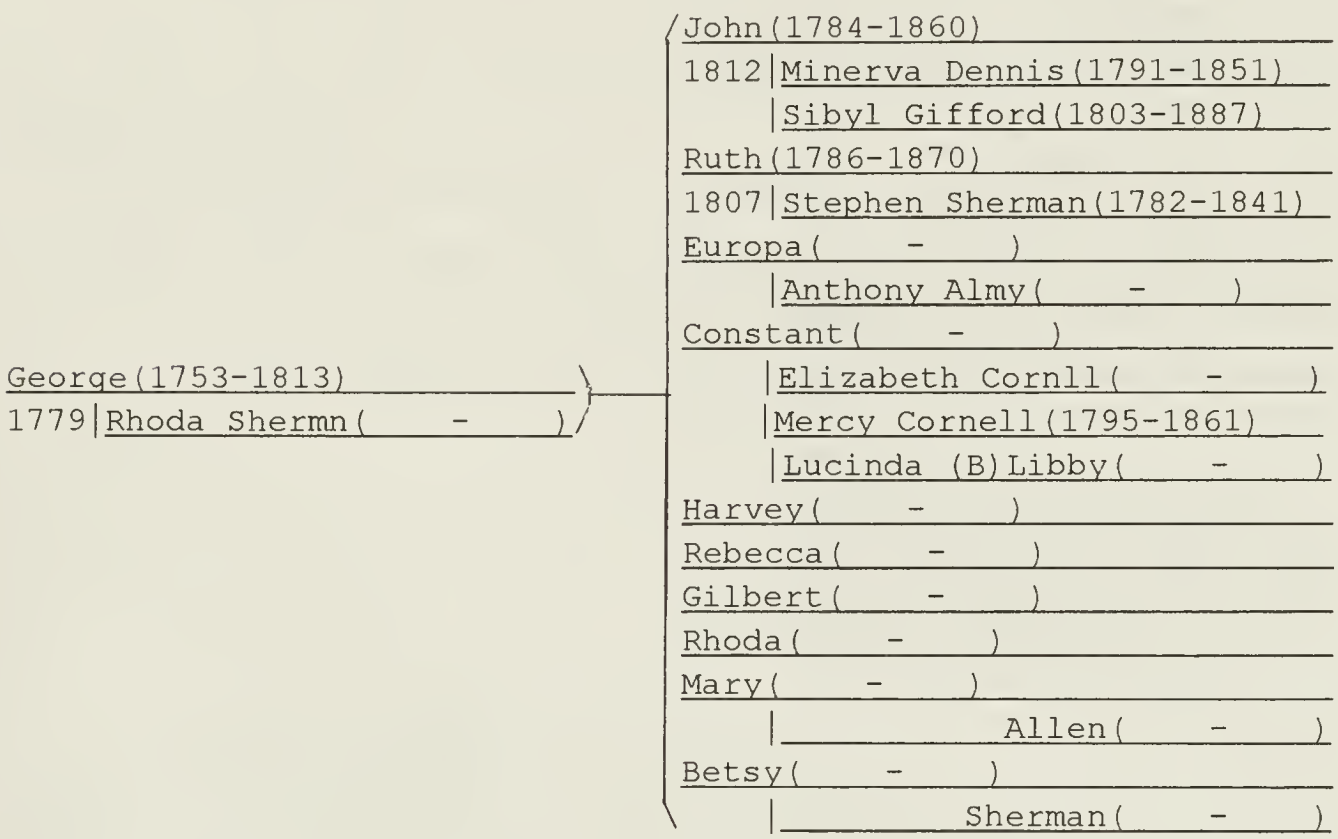

George Sisson was born September 30, 1753. His birth has also been reported as about 1764. On June 28, 1779 in Dartmouth, MA, he married Rhoda Sherman. He was a sergeant from Massachusetts in the Revolutionary War. George and Rhoda had ten children:

John, born October 12, 1784 is discussed on page 179.

Ruth was born July 10, 1786. On January 4, 1807 she married Stephen L. Sherman of Pittstown, son of Levi Sherman. He has also been reported as the son of Joseph. *Sherman genealogy: Stephen [6], Levi [5], Robert [4], Ephraim [3], John [2], Philip [1].* Stephen was born April 2, 1782. The couple lived in Eagle Bridge and West Hoosick, NY, before moving to Pittstown, Renssalaer County. He was a farmer and bought a farm in East Pittstown in 1814. Ruth and Stephen had nine children: Sidney, July 2, 1808 to July 2, 1877, married Catherine Black; Sanford Tripp, December 17, 1811 to November 22, 1889, married Roxanna Gifford; Platt, April 11, 1814 to

July 15, 1882, married Phebe Francisco; George, June 26, 1816 to August 15, 1829; Levi, February 19, 1819 to December 20, 1887, married Angeline Akin; Minerva, May 28, 1820 to October 1, 1823; Angeline, April 18, 1823 to January 8, 1878; Caroline Elizabeth, July 23, 1824, married Nathan Crankhite; and Amanda Malvina, August 6, 1827 to March 23, 1892. Stephen died November 11, 1841 and Ruth died October 17, 1870, both in Pittstown. Refs: (31) p.433; (8) Vol. I, p.75.

[NOTE - The order of the following children is the best information that we have.]

Europa "Ropy" married Anthony Almy. She is not mentioned in her father's will of 1813, which was witnessed by an Anthony Almy. Ropy and Anthony had two children: Bedford and Younglove.

Constant, born about 1790 is discussed on page 180.

Harvey is also not mentioned in his father's will of 1813.

Rebecca.

Gilbert, probably lived in Washington County, NY, and is in the 1820 census for Cambridge.

Rhoda.

Mary married Mr. Allen.

Betsy married Mr. Sherman.

George's will was dated March 25, 1813. He died March 26, 1813 in Cambridge, Washington County, NY.

References: (23); (56) p.619; (103); (138) 1790; (139).

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Gideon [5]

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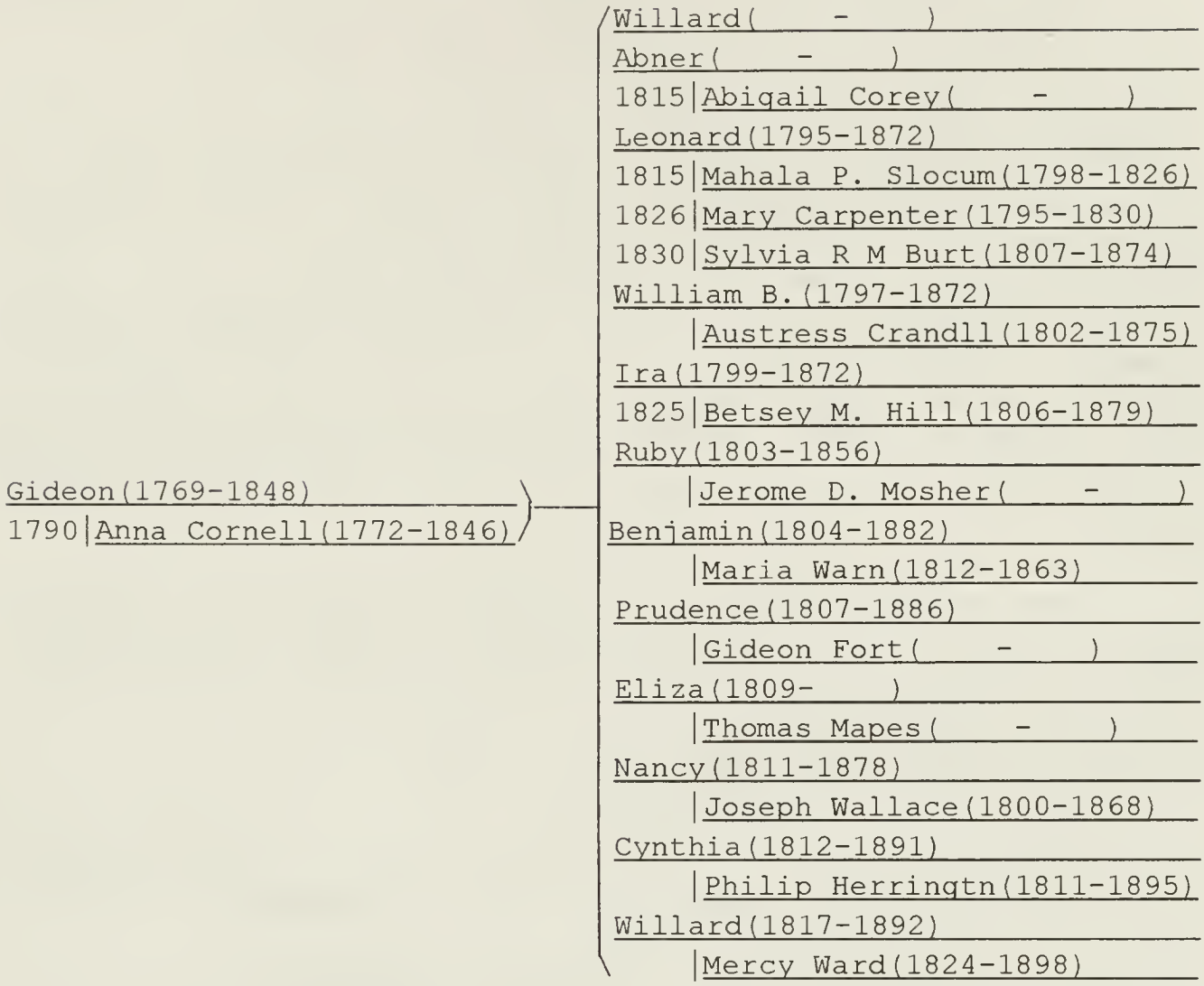

Gideon Sisson was born in 1769 in Westport, RI. Before 1810 he went to Hoosic, NY. He was a farmer. On March 26, 1790 in Westport, he married Anna Cornell of Washington County, NY, daughter of William Cornell. Anna was born in 1772. Gideon and Anna had twelve children [It has been reported that they had a son John; and that Gideon married first Susanna; we do not confirm this]:

Willard (the first) was born about 1791 and died at age 21.

Abner, born about 1793 is discussed on page 180.

Leonard, born February 20, 1795 is discussed on page 181.

William B., born in 1797 is discussed on page 182.

Ira, born April 27, 1799 is discussed on page 183.

Ruby was born April 27, 1803. She married Jerome D. Mosher and lived in Eagle Bridge, NY. Ruby and Jerome had six children: John D.; Sarah Jane, July 20, 1835-February 4, 1838; Gideon; Emeline; Eurastus; and an infant son. Ruby died July 19, 1856. Ref: Tombstone inscriptions at the Carpenter Burying Grounds, West Hoosick, Renssalaer County, NY.

Benjamin, born May 16, 1804 is discussed on page 183.

Prudence was born in 1807, married Gideon Fort, and lived in West Cambridge, NY. They had a son: James J. Prudence died in 1886.

Eliza was born in 1809. She married Thomas Mapes, son of Anna (Hill) Mapes. They lived in Cambridge. They had seven children: Elliott; Alonzo; Betsey; Julia; Sarah; Howard; and Frances.

Nancy (Ann) was born January 11, 1811. She married Joseph Wallace and lived in Eagle Bridge. Joseph was born April 2, 1800. They had nine children: George S., January 7, 1831 to September 27, 1885; Ann; Marcus; Gideon, married Julia A. Sisson daughter of Hiram Sisson; Henry; Cordelia; Charles; Ruth V., March 23, 1843 to March 28, 1844; and Leroy, December 5, 1855 to January 14, 1856. Joseph died April 7, 1868; Nancy died September 16, 1878.

Cynthia was born July 11, 1812. She married Philip Harrington, son of Philip and ____ (Persis) Harrington. Philip was born December 13, 1811. They lived in West Hoosic, NY. Cynthia and Philip had three children: Helen; Henry C.; and Lowell M., April 22, 1843 to August 17, 1847. Cynthia died April 20, 1891; Philip died July 28, 1895.

Willard (the second), born August 18, 1818 is discussed on page 184.

Gideon may have been an overseer of highways in Unadilla. Anna died October 9, 1846; Gideon died May 4, 1848 in West Hoosic. Both are buried in the Carpenter Burying Ground in Ren-ssalaer County, NY, along with Holder and Zera Sisson.

References: (68); (140); (141); (142); (143).

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Rodman [5]

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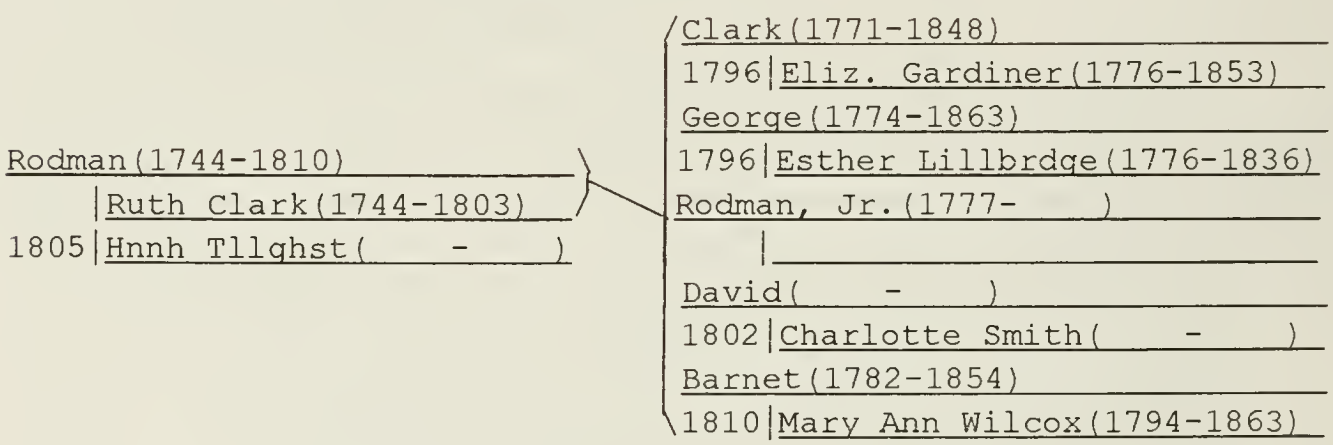

Rodman Sisson was born June 2, 1744 in Richmond, RI. He married first Ruth Clark, daughter of Cornelius and Patience ( ) Clark. Ruth was born December 6, 1744. Rodman inherited a farm in Richmond which his father had purchased from William Tripp. Rodman and Ruth had five children, probably all born in Richmond:

Clark, born June 3, 1771 is discussed on page 185.

George, born June 1, 1774 is discussed on page 185.

Rodman, Jr., born in 1777 is discussed on page 186.

David was born about 1780. On November 25, 1802 in Ashford, CT, he married Charlotte Smith of Lyme. The couple lived in Hampton, CT.

Barnet "Barney", born February 8, 1782 is discussed on page 186.

Ruth died December 29, 1803. Only Clark, George and Barney are named in Patience Clark's will of August 17, 1805. On June 23, 1805 Rodman married second Hannah Tillinghast, daughter of Pardon Tillinghast of West Greenwich, RI. They were married there by Elder Stephen Allen. Both are mentioned in a codicil of a will dated 1809. Rodman died September 28, 1810 in Richmond. His will dated March 17, 1806 proved November 5, 1810 mentions Hannah, Clark, George and Barney.

References: (6); (7) 1:46, 4:96, 5:33; (11); Vol. II, pp.51-2; (14) Vol. 7, p.316; (40); p.288; (52); (67); (127); (144) 2:27; (145) 4:35-40; (146) 10:421; (147);

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John [5]

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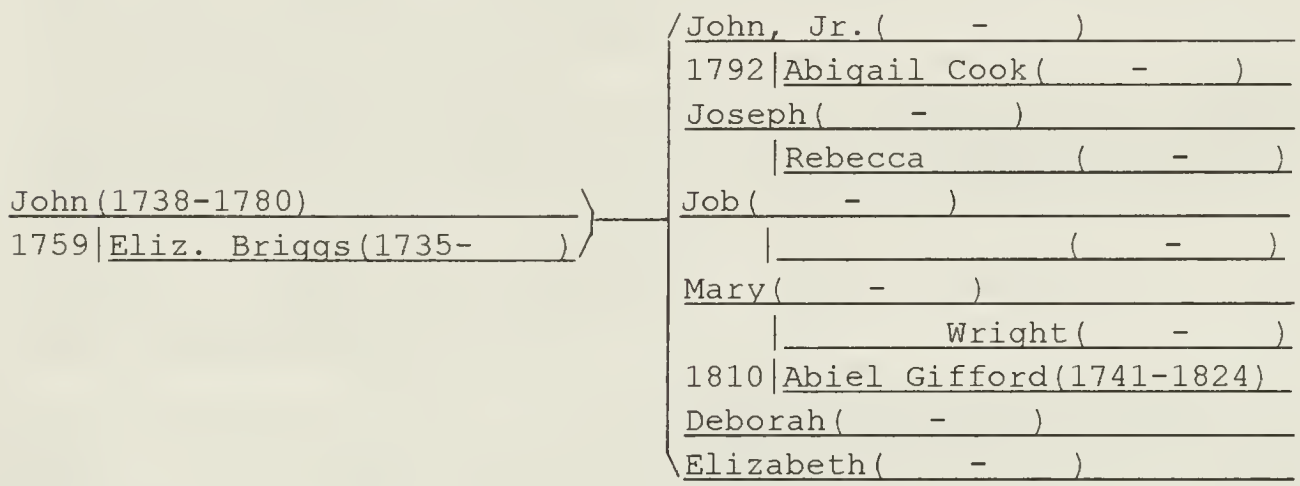

John Sisson was born April 10, 1738 in Portsmouth, RI. He has been reported as the son of Peleg. John owned the northern half of the homestead of his grandfather James in Portsmouth. On June 27, 1757/9 he married Elizabeth Briggs, daughter of Job and Mary (Coggeshall) Briggs. They were married in Portsmouth by Robert Dennis, Justice. Elizabeth was born November 18, 1735. John and Elizabeth had six children:

John, Jr., born about 1760 is discussed on page 187.

Joseph was born about 1762. He may have married a Rebecca.

Job (or Jabez), born about 1764 is discussed on page 188.

Mary was born about 1767. She married first a Mr. Wright. Then on March 1, 1810 she married second Abiel Gifford, son of Peleg Gifford. Abiel was born September 10, 1741. Abiel's first wife was Joanna Potter, with whom he had seven children. He was a Quaker minister. Abiel died May 26, 1824.

Deborah may have been born about 1770.

Elizabeth may have been born about 1770. She was not married in 1795.

A son Constant has also been reported. This is the son of George Sisson discussed on page 180.

The family moved to Albany County, NY, with John's brothers Job and Jabez before 1800. John's will dated September 9, 1777 proved July 10, 1780 recorded in Book 6-292 mentions wife Elizabeth; sons Job, Joseph and John; daughters Mary, Deborah and Elizabeth. His inventory was £138-8s. An indenture dated March 30, 1790 is signed by Job Sisson and his wife Ann, Joseph Sisson and his wife Rebecca, and John Sisson [this Job Sisson may be father John's brother who married Ann Albro, or these two Jobs could be one and the same person].

References: (7); 4:96; (11) Vol. II, pp.53-4; (148) p.45.

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Joseph, Jr. [5]

Richard [1], George [2], James [3], Joseph [4] page 40

Joseph, Jr.(1739-1787)
1762 Mary Shearman(-)

- Joseph, III(-)
- Sanford(-1786)
- Sarah(-)
  - Ezbon Barker(1757-)
- Barnabas(1772-1809)
  - 1797 Barbara Sisson(1772-1829)
- Jabez(1774-1800)
- Mary(-1853)
- Elizabeth(1782-1819)
  - 1798 Caleb Shearman(1765-1841)

Joseph Sisson, Jr. was born April 19, 1739 in Portsmouth, RI. Joseph was a tenant farmer in Portsmouth and Middletown. On August 19, 1762 he married Mary Shearman, daughter of Thomas and his second wife Mary (Sanford) Shearman of Portsmouth. They were married in Portsmouth by Thomas Shearman, Justice. Mary was born January 3, 1739/40 in Portsmouth. Joseph and Mary had seven children:

Joseph, III may have been born about 1765. He died before May 15, 1786 when his father was granted administration of his estate.

Sanford may have been born about 1767 and probably died in 1786 when Elisha Fish noted on September 26 "the death of Sanford Sisson, son of Joseph of Middletown".

Sarah may have been born about 1768. She married Ezbon Barker, son of Robert and Frances (Sanford) Barker. Ezbon was born May 1, 1757. Sarah and Ezbon had three children: Ruth, 1784-1886; Joseph Sanford, 1794-1883; and Sarah. Sarah died before 1852 when her sister Mary's will was written, mentioning daughter Ruth "of Ezbon, deceased". Ref: "Barker Genealogy", Margaret F. Barker, 1927, p.17.

Barnabas (or Barnard), born in 1772 is discussed on page 189.

Jabez was born August 28, 1774 in Portsmouth. He died before November 10, 1800 when his brother Barnabas administered the estate of "Jabez, late of Portsmouth, mariner, deceased". Jabez was insolvent, owing Sylvester Brownell $60, Ezbon Barker $30.42, and to Mary Sisson, $22.75.

Mary may have been born about 1776. Her will written December 3, 1852 calls herself a "single woman", mentions nieces Sarah Barker, and Clarinda Brown and Ruth Ann Sherman daughters of Caleb, deceased.

Elizabeth was born June 13, 1782 probably in Portsmouth. On January 14, 1798 in Portsmouth she married Caleb Shearman, son of Christopher and Ann (Shearman) Shearman, as his second wife. Caleb was born January 11, 1765 in Portsmouth. Elizabeth and Caleb had eleven children: Edward, 1799-1831; Frederic, 1801; Isaac, 1802; Badoura, 1805-1878; Benjamin, 1807-1868; Hiram, 1808-1866; Mary, 1810-1853; Ruth Ann, 1812; Clarinda, 1814-1860; John Wilks, 1817-1856; and Elizabeth Sisson, 1819-1822. Mother Elizabeth died April 13, 1819, five days after the birth of daughter Elizabeth. Caleb died December 18, 1841; his will written January 19, 1837 and proved February 14, 1842 mentions all children except Edward and Elizabeth, and Isaac as deceased.

A second wife, Ruth Shrieve and five children were assigned to this Joseph; see Joseph [5], page 125. Joseph died in April, 1787 probably in Middletown. Mary died after Joseph.

References: Middletown Town Council Records, 2:54, 57; (7) 4:39, 41, 90, 96-7; (14) Vol. 10, p.308; (30) pp.124-5; (88); (150) pp.812-14; (151) p.169; (152) pp.68 & 216; also reported (153); (476) 2:174-5.

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James [5]

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James(1741-1815)
1768|Sophia Shrmn(1747-1843)

- Amy(1768-)
- Rhoda(1770-1842)
- Silas(1771-)
- David(1773-)
- 1799|Rebecca Cornell(1775-)
- Moses L.(1775-1856)
- 1804|Mary Hall Lawton(1772-)
- |Phebe C. Lawton(-)
- |Susan Dennis(-)
- Aaron(1779-1838)
- |Ruth Lawton(-)
- Benjamin(1782-)
- 1804|Elizabeth Dennis(1790-)
- Ruth(1784-)
- |George Justin(-)

James Sisson was born December 29, 1741 in Portsmouth, RI. On January 18, 1768 in Newport, James married Sophia Sherman, a widow, daughter of Benjamin and Ruth (Fish) Sherman. Sophia was born February 15, 1747 in Portsmouth. She may have had two daughters by her first marriage. On June 20, 1768 in Portsmouth James was appointed guardian of his brother Jabez, a minor. James was a Revolutionary War sentry at various times from 1777 to 1782. James and Sophia had eight children, all born Portsmouth:

Amy was born August 26, 1768. She was not married when her father's will was written (1815), and is not mentioned in her mother's will (1842). It has been reported that she married Thompson Burdick on May 28, 1796, see Amy daughter of John and Keturah (Burdick) Sisson page 82.

Rhoda was born February 18, 1770; she was not married. Her will written May 23 and proved July 11 or August 8, 1842, names her mother Sophia, niece Catherine Metcher, and nieces Hannah Justin and Eliza Ann Lewis.

Silas was born October 22, 1771. He is not mentioned in either parent's will (1815 and 1842).

David, born October 11, 1773 is discussed on page 189.

Moses L., born October 7, 1775 is discussed on page 190.

Aaron, born October 29, 1779 is discussed on page 191.

Benjamin, born July 24, 1782 is discussed on page 192.

Ruth was born August 3, 1784. She married George Justin. Ruth and George had four daughters: Amy, Lydia, Mary and Hannah. Ruth is also reported as married to Oliver Macomber, born 1781 in Middletown, RI.

James and Sophia are mentioned in her father's will dated 1782 and her mother's will of 1791. On March 11, 1799 James was granted administration of the estate of his mother Bathsheba Sisson, deceased. James died October 31, 1815 in Portsmouth. His will dated February 23, 1815 proved January 5, 1816 in Seekonk mentions wife Sophia; sons David, Moses, Aaron and Benjamin; daughters Amey Sisson, Rhoda Sisson and Ruth Justin wife of George Justin. Sophia died in 1843; her will written August 20, 1842 and proved June 12, 1843 recorded Book 3-115 mentions sons David, Moses and Benjamin; granddaughters Catherine Metcher and Hannah, Amy, Lydia, and Mary Justin; executor grandson William B. Sisson [son of Moses].

An act of Congress in 1833 granted pensions to veterans and widows of veterans who served during the Revolution. To substantiate that a man had enlisted and for the time claimed, affidavits were given by the pensionee, if living, or by his widow, his children and acquaintances. Depositions by Rhoda and David tell of the service of their father James of Rhode Island, who "...took a warm and active part in the struggle for American independence... was one of the proscribed men... [and] with an infant family". David stated "...although I was quite young (not more than five years old), I have a dear and distinct recollection of many of the transactions of those times. Soon after the British took possession of this Island, a Regiment of their Troops came out on the east road; after their redcoats were in plain sight my father took the family down to the shore & put us into a small Boat and returned to

try to save some of the stock, poultry & furniture. While he was absent for the purpose above stated, the enemy approached so near that some of the young men put the boat off and landed us at Tiverton, leaving my Father behind. When we first landed we were taken to a house occupied by the soldiers & as I afterwards understood belonged to Col. John Cook. My Father (as I learned from him) returned to our house in hopes of saving something, but the enemy was so near, he cut his horse clear from the carriage, mounted him & ran him across the lots towards the north end of this Island until he found a 'flat boat' to take him over to Tiverton & joined his family that night. I distinctly recollect the trouble of the day & the joy of the evening when my father returned and although worn down with fatigue he was obliged to go immediately on guard, as all the Militia was put in motion." Rhoda was about seven at that time; her account explains that they were left "in care of some young men..." indicating that they were friends or neighbors.

References: Sophia's will; (7) 4:96, 5:60, 7:121, 12:390; (11) Vol. II, pp.55-6; (14) Vol. 10, p.306; (134) 1790.

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Job [5]

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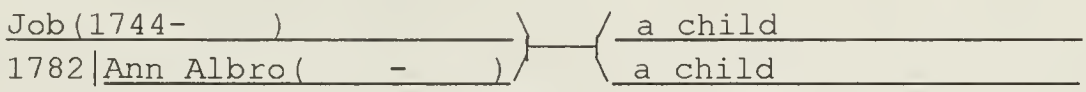

Job Sisson was born August 4, 1744 in Portsmouth, RI. On April 14, 1782 he married Ann Albro of Portsmouth. They were married by Rev. Gardner Thurston. In 1800 Job and Ann were living in Albany County, NY. They had two children.

Reference: (7) 4:96, 7:365.

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Jabez [5]

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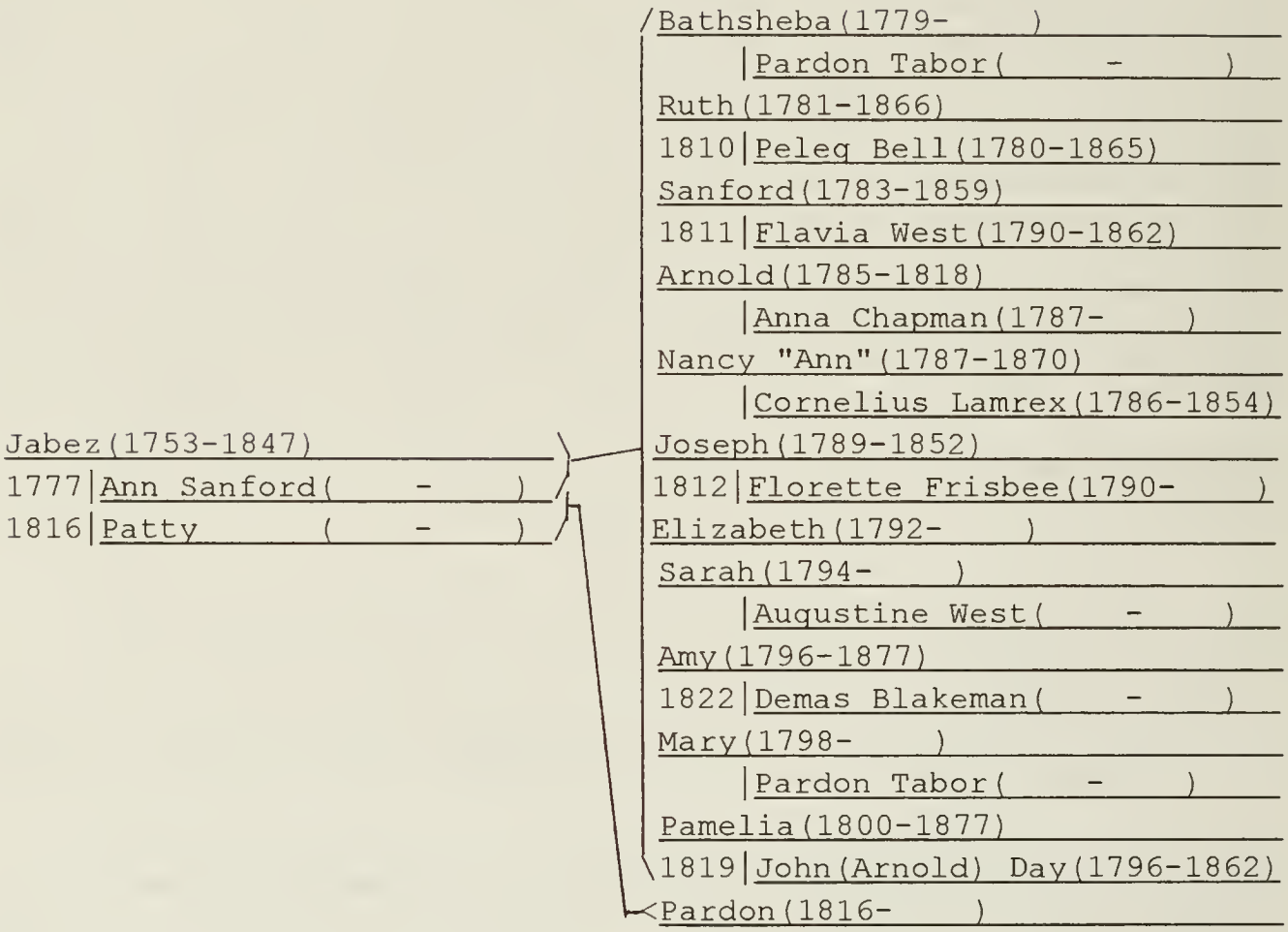

Jabez (or Jabish) Sisson was born May 28, 1753 in Portsmouth, RI. He spent 40 years at sea and was a mate on a whaler for ten years off of Greenland. He was also on a merchant to Jamaica. On December 4, 1777 in Portsmouth, he married Ann Sanford, daughter of Restcome and Sarah (Coggeshall) [or Ruth (Weeden)] Sanford. They were married by Rev. Gardner Thurston. Ann was born about 1762 in Tiverton. Jabez went with his brothers John, Joseph, and Job in 1790 to the lower Hudson valley then to Albany County, NY, and Westerloo, now called Rensselaerville. He was living there on May 7, 1795 when he purchased lot #261. Jabez and Ann had eleven children; the first eight were born in Newport:

Bathsheba was born October 21, 1779. She married Pardon Tabor and "had a large family".

Ruth was born November 27, 1781. On May 1, 1801 she married Peleg Bell. Peleg was born April 15, 1780 in Middletown. Ruth and Peleg had eleven children: James, 1802-August, 1880; Nancy, 1803-1865, married a Mr. Thom; Arnold, 1805-1875, died in Michigan; Betsey, 1810, married Mr. St. John; Lydia, 1812, married Jabez Sisson Lamoreux in 1832 [he is the son of Ruth's sister Nancy Ann below]; Joseph, 1816; Isaac, 1818, moved to Illinois; Charles, 1824, moved to New York; and four others. The family moved to Rensselaer-

ville, NY, where they both died, he on July 14, 1865 and she on July 6, 1866.

Sanford, born August 29, 1783 is discussed on page 204.

Arnold, born May 13, 1785 is discussed on page 206.

Nancy "Ann" was born September 15, 1787. She was married in Clyde, NY, to Cornelius Lamoreux. Cornelius was born January 22, 1786. They had seven children: Jabez Sisson, September 26, 1808 to December 16, 1875, married Lydia Bell, daughter of Ruth above; Daniel, July 24, 1810 to July 1, 1814; Monimia A., August 5, 1812, to September 3, 1873; Minerva, July 5, 1815 to May 9, 1837; Harvey, May 18, 1818 went to Greenwich, OH; Daniel H., April 17, 1822 to August 17, 1852; and James H., June 30, 1830 to February 19, 1854. The family went from New York to Huron County, OH, in 1816. Cornelius died November 26, 1854; Nancy died June 10, 1870 in Ripley, OH, and is buried in Greenwich.

Joseph, born October 13, 1789 is discussed on page 207.

Elizabeth was born February 27, 1792. She was not married and reported "insane". It has also been reported she married a Mr. Bell.

Sarah "Sally" was born January 2, 1794. She married Augustine West and moved to Ohio. They had one son and seven daughters including: Pamela, married Mr. Lutts; Polly, married Mr. Barker; Eliza, married Mr. Booth; Maria, married Mr. McMillens, and lived in Ohio in 1882.

Amy was born February 15, 1796. On February 4, 1822 in Galen, Wayne County, NY, she married Demus Blakeman. They lived in Clyde, NY. They had five children: Sanford; Maria, married Mr. Fields; and three others. Amy died February 1, 1877 in Galen.

Mary "Polly" was born February 27, 1798. She married Pardon Tabor, probably her eldest sister Bathsheba's widower. She had no children of her own.

Pamelia was born November 19, 1800 probably in New York. On July 29, 1819, she married John (or Arnold) Day. John was born October 4, 1796. Her father Jabez lived with her later in his life. Pamelia and John had six children: Arnold S., June 9, 1821; Nancy, March 13, 1823, married Mr. Foster; Oscar F., April 7, 1826 to November 22, 1855; John H., May 3, 1828; Oran, March 11 to May 5, 1833; and Polly, February 15, 1835, married Mr. Carpenter. The family lived in Ohio then moved to Cannonsville, NY, where the parents died, John on June 27, 1862 and Pamelia on May 8, 1877.

Apparently Ann (Sanford) died before 1816; Jabez married that year, Patty ( ). Patty and Jabez may have had a son:

Pardon was born November 10, 1816. This Pardon has been confused with Pardon, November 14, 1816, whose nephew E. P. Sisson was a faculty member at Colgate Academy. See Eugene Pardon, page 591.

In 1819 Jabez deeded 25 acres in Rensselaerville to Joseph Sisson; it was returned to Jabez on April 3, 1837 by Joseph and his wife Florette, see page 207. Jabez died December 5, 1847 in Cannonville, NY. He was buried in the cemetery there which was later flooded by New York City for a water reservoir.

References: (7) 4:88, 96 & 7:365; (11) Vol. II, pp.57; (154); (155) 1800; (156); (157) Vol. 62; (158) p.18-19.

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George, Jr. [5]

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George, Jr.(1750-1840)
1773|Anna Sherman(1752-1849)

- George, III(1775-1843)
  1798|Agnes Kempton(1769-1829)
- Alice(1777-)
  |Peleg Fish(1780-1822)
- Anna(1780-1804)
  1803|Isaac Sherman(1783-)
- Mary(1782-1834)
  1806|Isaac Sherman(1783-)
- Lydia(1784-)
  1810|Asa Luce(-)
- Elizabeth(1787-1864)
- Ruth(1790-1870)
  1829|Abner Davis(-)
- 1835|Philip Potter(1775-1859)
- Preserved(1795-1804)

George Sisson, Jr. was born November 4, 1750 in Portsmouth, RI. He was a Revolutionary War sergeant in 1780 serving in Capt. Lewis's Company, Col. Greene's Rhode Island Regiment for 14 months. On February 25, 1773 in Portsmouth, he married Anna Sherman, daughter of Preserved and Ann (Lawton) Sherman. They were married by John Almy, Asst. Anna was born November 9, 1752 in Portsmouth. George and Ann had eight children all born in Portsmouth:

George, III was born August 23, 1775. On November 15, 1798 he married Agnes Kempton, daughter of Benjamin and Sarah (Jenne) Kempton. Agnes died April 22, 1829 age 60; George died September 28, 1843 "age 70". Both died in New Bedford. Ref: (77) p.486.

Alice was born August 21, 1777. She married Peleg Fish. He was born May 10, 1780 and died September, 1822.

Anna was born August 10, 1780. On June 9, 1803 in Newport she married Isaac Sherman, son of Job Sherman. They lived in Portsmouth. Anna died December 4 (or 14), 1804. It has been reported that Isaac died ten days later, but her sister Mary married an Isaac Sherman, probably the same man; see Mary below.

Mary was born June 4, 1782. On March 13, 1806 she married Isaac Sherman as his second wife. Mary and Isaac are mentioned in her father's will dated 1830. Mary died in Portsmouth December 14, 1834.

Lydia was born October 27, 1784. On October 18, 1810 in Newport she married Asa Luce of Otsego, NY. Lydia and Asa had a son: George.

Elizabeth was born June 21, 1787 and died August 24, 1864 in Newport.

Ruth was born March 23, 1790. On December 9, 1829 in Portsmouth she married Abner Davis, son of Mehitable and Sarah ( ) Davis from Fair Haven. She married second on June 10, 1835 Philip Potter son of Abner and Patience (Macomber) Potter. Philip was born September 21, 1775. Philip died January 9, 1859. Ruth died April 18, 1870 in Portsmouth.

Preserved was born April 14, 1795. He died August 6, 1804 in Portsmouth.

Anna, Elizabeth, Ruth and Preserved are buried on the Thomas Holman farm in Portsmouth. George and Anna are mentioned in her mother's will dated 1787. George was pensioned in 1834 for his service in the Revolutionary War. He died December 25, 1840 in Portsmouth. His will dated January 26, 1830 proved February 18, 1841 recorded Portsmouth Book 2-348 mentions wife Anna; daughters Alice Fish, Mary Sherman, Lydia Luce, Elizabeth Sisson and Ruth Sisson; and grandson George Luce. Inventory: $645.50. On February 8, 1847 Anna was placed under the guardianship of Richard Sherman; Anna died April 27, 1849.

References: (7) 4:41, 96 & 7:32 & 8:475 & 12:255, 359, 390; (11) Vol. II, pp.59-60; (14) Vol. 10, pp.305-8; (95); (159) 1790.

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Pardon [5]

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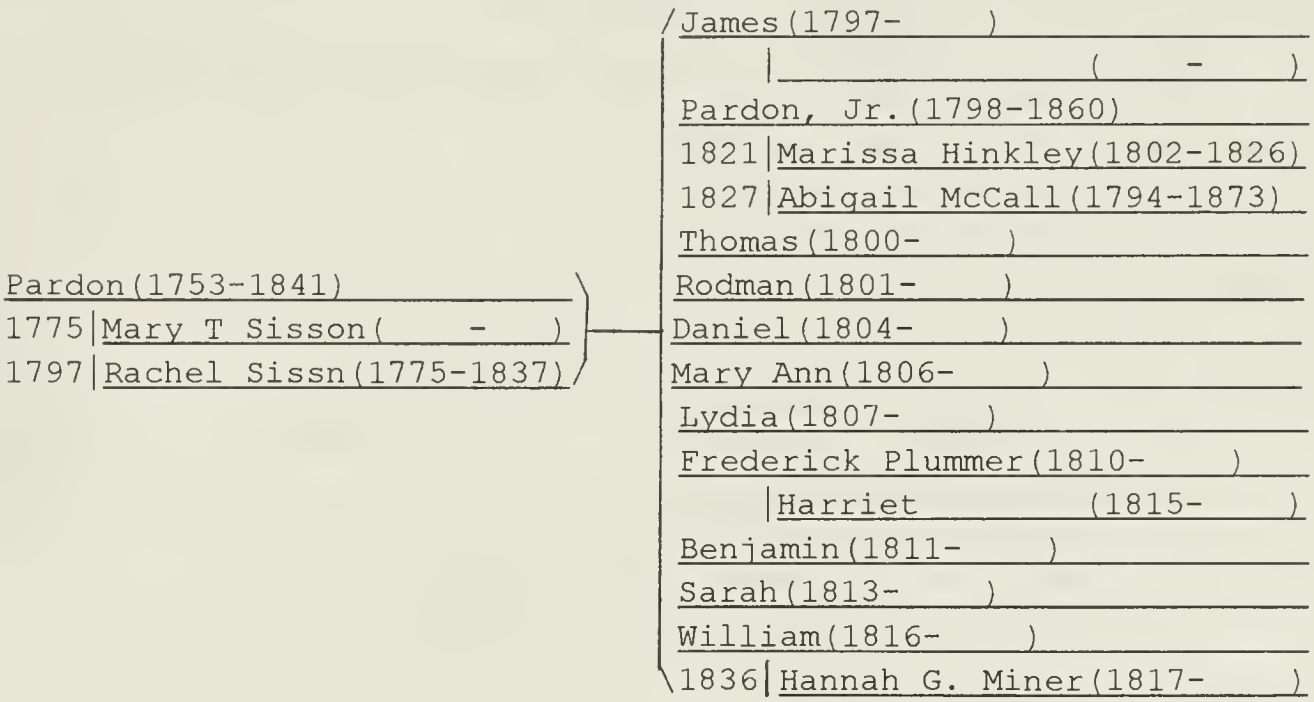

Pardon Sisson was born August 23, 1753 in Portsmouth, RI. He married first in 1775 Mary Tabor Sisson (also reported Mary Tabor). They were married in Portsmouth by John Almy, Asst; they divorced with no issue. On September 17, 1797 he married Rachel Sisson, daughter of Richard and Sarah (Fish) Sisson, see page 60. They were married in Portsmouth by Gideon Dennis, Justice. Rachel was

born October 2, 1775 in Portsmouth. They lived in Middletown, RI. Pardon and Rachel had eleven children:

James was born January 26, 1797; this date may give a problem with the marriage date of Pardon and Rachel. James is discussed on page 196.

Pardon, Jr., born June 23, 1798 in Portsmouth is discussed on page 196.

Thomas was born May 14, 1800 in Portsmouth. He has been confused with a Thomas, January 13, 1803 who married a Margaret.

Rodman was born November 25, 1801.

Daniel was born February 10, 1804 in Hartford, CT.

Mary Ann was born January 21, 1806.

Lydia was born September 19, 1807.

Frederick Plummer, born February 24, 1810 in New York is discussed on page 197.

Benjamin was born December 6, 1811 in Hartford. This may be the Benjamin Sisson who married Mary B. ( ) in East Hartford, CT. Mary was born in 1816 and died August 11, 1847. Ref: (160). And/or the Benjamin Sisson, a merchant, who married Sarah Lester born 1809. Benjamin and Sarah were married February 27, 1848 in Ashford, CT.

Sarah was born September 12, 1813.

William was born January 9, 1816 in Hartford. This is probably the William Sisson of Lebanon, CT, a laborer who married Hannah G. Miner of Bazral, CT. They were married April 14, 1836 in Ashford by Rev. Oliver Brown. Hannah was born in 1817. William and Hannah had a son: Eugene Dwight, January 24, 1848 in Ashford.

A son John has also been reported, from Middletown and married October 11, 1829 in Newport, to Amey Allen.

Rachel died December 17, 1837; Pardon died March 6, 1841.

References: (7) 4:41, 96, 98; (161).

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Joshua [5]

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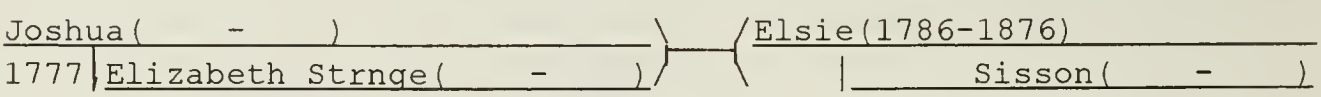

Joshua Sisson was born about 1755. On July 9, 1777 he married Elizabeth Strange of Portsmouth. They were married by Rev. Gardner Thurston. Joshua and Elizabeth had a daughter:

Elsie was born in August, 1786 in Westerly, Washington County, RI. She married a Mr. Sisson. Elsie died before her husband on February 21, 1876 in Westerly.

References: (7) 7:364; (14) Vol. 9, p.220.

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Benjamin [5]

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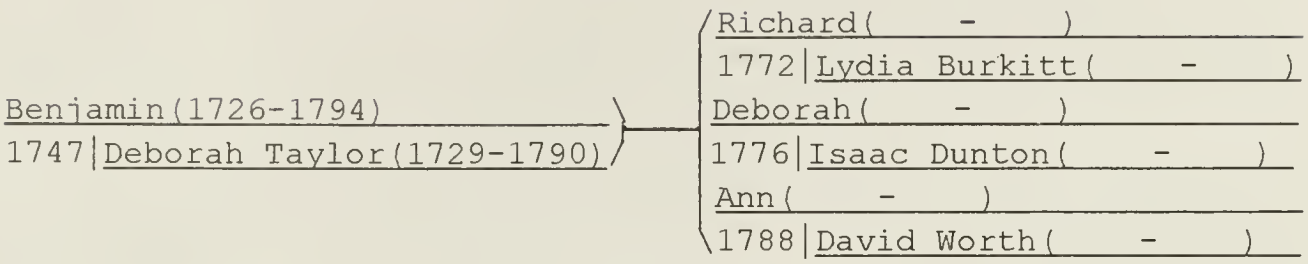

Benjamin Sisson was born February 6, 1726 in Dartmouth, MA. On June 2, 1747 he married Deborah Taylor of Little Compton, daughter of Philip and Comfort (Dennis) Taylor. They were married by Robert Taylor, Justice. Deborah was born September 22, 1729. Benjamin and Deborah had three children [Martin reports only Deborah]:

Richard, born about 1749 is discussed on page 198.

Deborah was born about 1751. On October 30, 1776 she married Isaac Dunton. They had a daughter: Ruth Sisson September 11, 1778. Ruth married a Mr. Clark. Ref: (162) 2:170.

Ann was born about 1753 in Providence. She married David Worth of Albany, NY in 1788. Ref: (163).

Benjamin was a sea captain during the Revolutionary War and master of the vessel "Independence". In 1774 he had a family of four in Providence, RI. Deborah died December 13, 1790; her death was recorded by the Congregational Church, West Side of the River. Benjamin died January 21, 1794. Both died in Providence and are buried in Swan Point Cemetery there.

References: (7) 4:58, 10:229, 14:273, 15:552; (11) Vol. II, p.61; (101) Vol. 1, p.322.

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Joseph [5]

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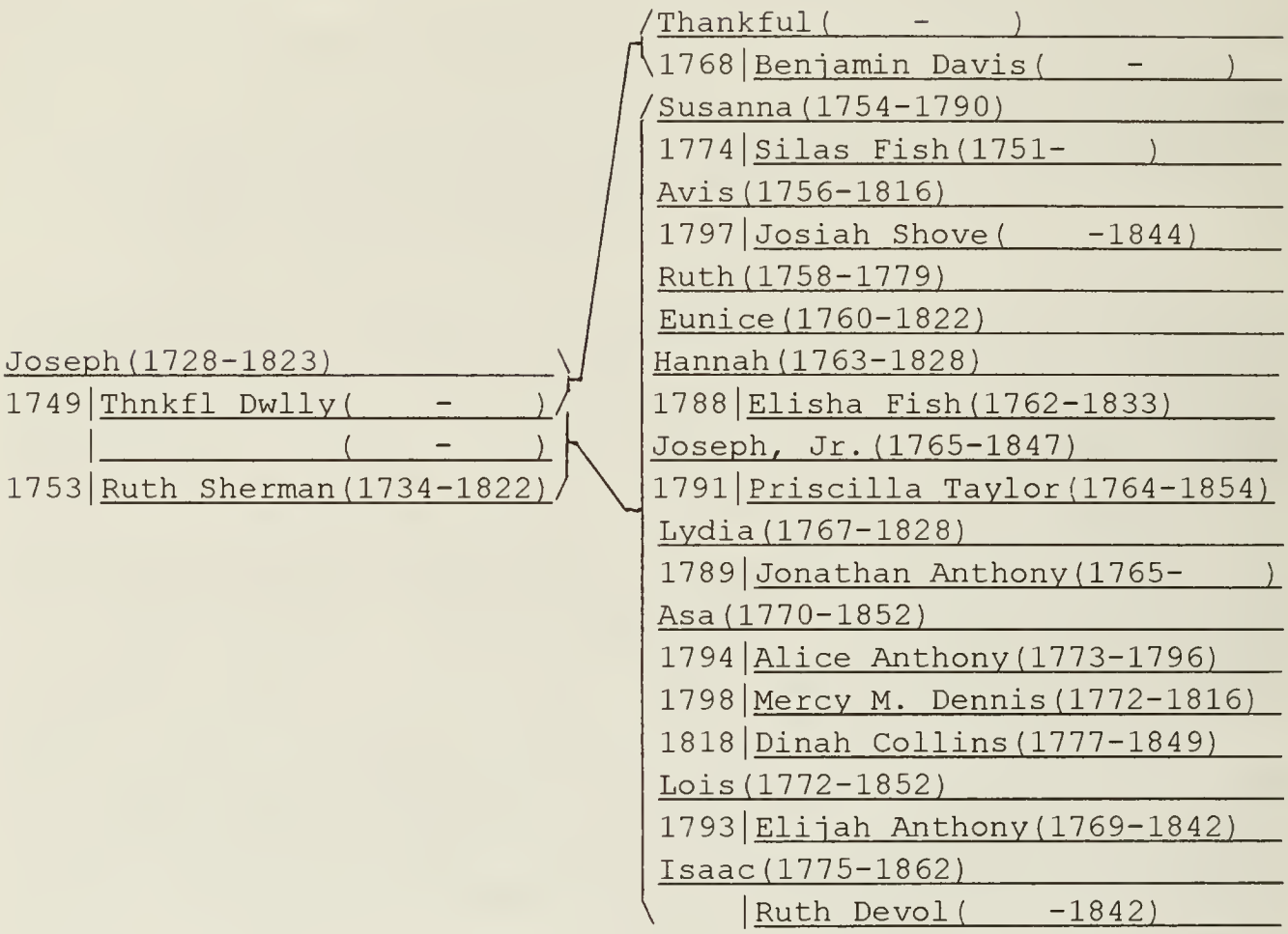

Joseph Sisson was born December 2, 1728 in Providence (or Dartmouth). He was a farmer. On September 1, 1749 in Dartmouth, he published his intent to marry Thankful Dwelly of Tiverton. Joseph and Thankful had one daughter:

Thankful was born about 1750. On July 25, 1768 she published her intent to marry Benjamin Davis of Dartmouth. Her marriage intent is recorded in Dartmouth vital records.

Apparently Joseph had a second wife; we have no information about her. On April/September 18, 1753 he married third, Ruth Sherman of Portsmouth, daughter of Benjamin and Ruth (Fish) Sherman. The marriage was reported October 7, 1759 in Friends Records. Ruth was born May 12, 1734. Joseph and Ruth had ten children:

Susanna(h) was born June 12, 1754 in Newport. On September 19, 1774 in Newport she married Silas Fish, a Quaker farmer from Foster, RI, as his first wife. Silas was born September 24, 1751. Silas served as a private from Massachusetts and Rhode Island during the Revolutionary War. Susanna and Silas had eight children: Elizabeth, died May 9, 1799; Ann married Mr. Collins; Priscilla married Mr. Tew; Joseph married Miss Dean; Stephen married Miss Underhill; Ruth married Mr. Anthony; Lydia married Mr. Shove; and Samuel, September, 1778 to October 14, 1791. Susanna died September

19, 1790 in Foster. Silas married second Amy Spencer; he married a third time but that wife's name is not known here. Ref: (56) Vol. III.

Avis was born August 10, 1756 in Newport. On November 1, 1797 she married Josiah Shove of Mendon, MA, son of Nathaniel and Hannah (Baxter) Shove, as his second wife. Josiah was born in Dighton, MA. Avis died in Mendon December 10, 1816; Josiah died in 1844. Ref: (7); (164).

Ruth was born September 30, 1758 in Portsmouth. Ruth died June 14, 1779, not married. She has been confused with Ruth, May 6, 1757, daughter of Richmond and Elizabeth (Shrieve) Corliss Sisson see page 123.

Eunice was born November 28, 1760 in Newport. She was not married and died October 14, 1822 in Seekonk. Ref: (7) 7:121.

Hannah was born March 30, 1763 in Portsmouth. On January 1, 1788 in Foster she married Elisha Fish, son of Benjamin and Priscilla (Arthur) Fish. He was a first cousin to Hannah's mother. Elisha was born February 27, 1762 in Portsmouth. He was a Quaker, house wright, farmer, and surveyor. In 1788 they moved to Foster, RI; in 1799 to Rensselaerville, NY; and in 1817 to Farmington, NY. Hannah and Elisha had eight children: Hannah, October 8, 1788, married Mr. Clacknor; Elijah, January 7, 1790, married Miss Wildman; Elisha, Jr., September 10, 1791, married Miss King; Susan, July 30, 1793; Lydia, July 1, 1795, married Mr. Gurney; Benjamin, June 25, 1797, married Miss Bills; Anna, July 31, 1799, married Mr. Pease; and Gardner, June 4, 1801 to December 15, 1802. Hannah died September 6, 1828 in New York; Elisha married second Ruth Anthony, daughter of Hannah's sister Lydia (Sisson) Anthony below. Elisha died in 1833. Ref: (30); (165) 3:27.

Joseph, Jr., born June 10, 1765 in Portsmouth is discussed on page 198.

Lydia was born October 20, 1767 in Middletown, RI. On December 2, 1789 she married Jonathan Anthony, Jr. of Middletown, son of Jonathan and Elizabeth (Gould) Anthony. Jonathan, Jr. was born March 29, 1765. Lydia and Jonathan had nine children: Elaine, October 5, 1790; Jacob, March 20, 1792; Asa, February 12, 1794 to November 1, 1850; Ruth, June 26, 1796 to October 5, 1853 this is the Ruth Anthony who married Elisha Fish, the widower of her aunt Hannah above; Silas, April 26, 1798; Josiah, August 28, 1800; Avis, October 15, 1802; Isaac, January 18, 1806; and David, May 25, 1809. Lydia died September 22, 1828.

Asa, born January 7, 1770 in Middletown is discussed on page 199.

Lois was born October 17, 1772. On September 4, 1793 she married Elijah Anthony, son of Jonathan and Elizabeth (Gould) Anthony of Middletown. Elijah was born October 19, 1769. They had four children: Joseph A., June 29, 1794, died young; George, October 31, 1796, married Miss Hathaway; Joseph, December 3, 1798, married Miss Hathaway; and Hannah, February 5, 1802. Elijah died December 3, 1842; Lois died October 23, 1852.

Isaac, born December 20, 1775 in Newport is discussed on page 201.

In 1774 the family is reported in Newport, RI, with three males and six females. Joseph and Ruth are mentioned in her father's will dated 1782. They moved to Foster, RI, June 1, 1788; they also lived in Providence, RI. Ruth died September 11, 1822 in Seekonk, MA, and Joseph died January 10, 1823 in Rehoboth. Her gravestone says she was his third wife. The Rhode Island Friends Records note that "Ruth died aged 88 years, third wife, and lived with her husband 69 years. He was 94 years old the day she died." [September 11 or December 2?]

References: (7) 1:241 & 3:27, 35 & 4:40, 96/7 & 7:32, 74, 120/1, 156, 260, 274 & 13:27 & 14:274 & 19:126 & 21:558; (14) Vol. 10, p.306; (23) 4:58; (48) 6:1328; (89) 1:745; (90); (101) Vol. 1, pp.51, 555; (166) pp26 & 102; (167); (168) 1:745.

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Philip [5]

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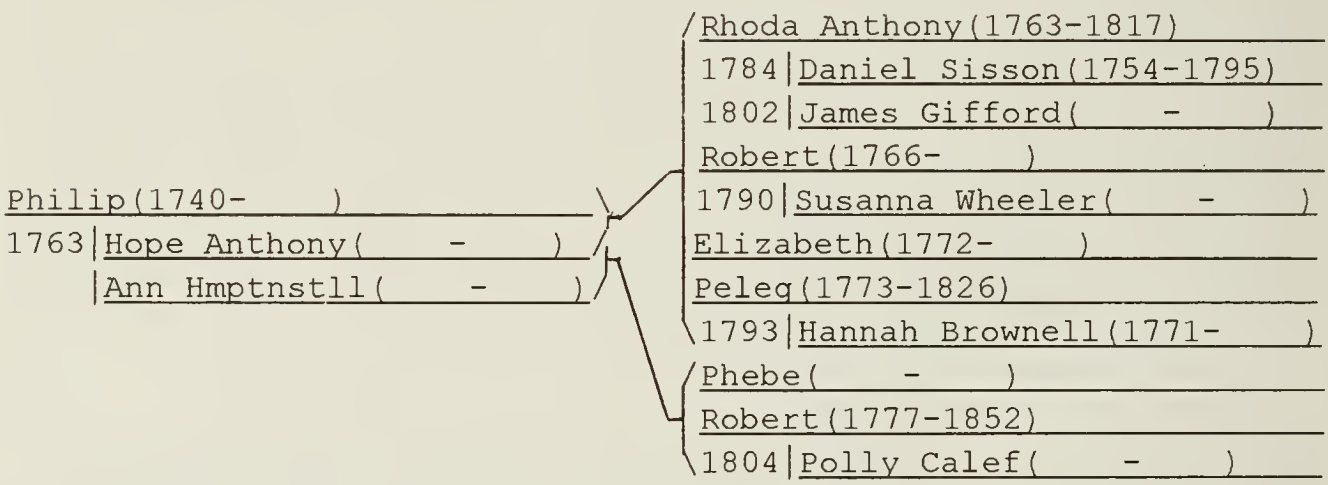

Philip Sisson was born March 24, 1740 in Dartmouth, MA. On May 1, 1763 he married Hope Anthony of Dartmouth, daughter of Hope (Anthony) Anthony. Philip and Hope had four children, all born in Dartmouth:

Rhoda Anthony was born July 1, 1763. On July 29, 1784 she married Daniel Sisson, son of James and Hannah (Howland) Sisson, and is discussed under Daniel on page 105.

Robert, born September 28, 1766 is discussed on page 202.

Elizabeth was born January 7, 1772.

Peleg, born June 23, 1773 is discussed on page 203.

Hope died and Philip married second, Ann (Spinney) Hemptonstall, a widow. Apparently her two children took the surname of Sisson:

Phebe was born about 1775 and has been confused with Phebe 1766, daughter of Philip and Elizabeth (Wilbur) Sisson, below.

Robert, born circa 1777 is discussed on page 204.

References: (7) 4:48; (23) (births, children with Hope); (81) 1800 p.336 with 1 m over 45, 2 f & 1 m 26-45.

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Philip [5]

Richard [1], James [2], Richard [3], Thomas [4] page 44

Philip(1737-)
1757|Elizabeth Wlbr(1740-1816)

- Abigail(1760-)
- Philip, Jr.(1764-1817)
  1785|Susannah Bowen(1768-)
- Phebe(1766-)
  1785|Perry Borden(-)

Philip Sisson was born in May 6, 1737 in Tiverton, RI. On June 16, 1757 in Dartmouth, MA, he married Elizabeth Wilbur (or Wilbore), daughter of Henry and Abigail (Ricketson) Wilbur. Elizabeth was born May 26, 1740 in Dartmouth. Philip and Elizabeth had three children, all born in Tiverton:

Abigail was born June 25, 1760.

Philip, Jr., born May 18, 1764 is discussed on page 218.

Phebe was born June/July 14, 1766. On May 20, 1785 in Tiverton she married Perry Borden, son of Abraham Borden of Freetown.

Philip died June 16, sometime between 1766 and 1769. Elizabeth married second David Shepherd of Dartmouth, May 11, 1770. Elizabeth and David had four children: Allan, December 7, 1771 [note Allan Shepard, see sketch on son Philip, Jr.]; Elizabeth, March 25, 1774; Lydia, May 5, 1777; and Jonathan, June 10, 1782. Elizabeth died March 7, 1816.

References: (7) 7:32; (11) Vol. I, p.129; (23) 7:32; (109) 50999, p.32.

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Daniel [5]

Richard [1], James [2], Richard [3], James [4] page 45

Daniel(1754-1795)
1784|Rhoda Sisson(1763-1817)

- Mary(1784-)
  |Samuel Bateman(-)
- Hannah(1786-1870)
  1820|Ezekiel Brownell(1770-1855)
- George(1789-1869)
  1815|Mahala Tripp(1796-1848)
- Warren(1792-1855)
  1817|Nancy Bliss(1795-1866)
- Daniel, Jr.(1795-)
  1816|Fally Devol(-)

Daniel Sisson was born December 13, 1754 in Dartmouth, MA. [Martin reports a first marriage to Joanna ( ) with three children: Sarah, June 8, 1773; Susanna, February 18, 1776; and

Pardon, June 20, 1779.] On July 29, 1784 Daniel married Rhoda Anthony Sisson, daughter of Philip and Hope (Anthony) Sisson, see page 104. Rhoda was born July 1, 1763 in Dartmouth. Daniel and Rhoda had five children, all born in Westport:

Mary "Polly" was born August 30, 1784. She married Samuel Bateman. It has also been reported that she published on October 22, 1800 her intent to marry John Thompson of Tiverton [see Mary, daughter of Richmond and Elizabeth (Shrieve) Sisson page 123.]

Hannah was born October 7, 1786. On January 20, 1820 she married Ezekiel Brownell son of Benjamin and Martha (Closson) Brownell, as his third wife. Ezekiel was born August 5, 1770 in Westport. Hannah and Ezekiel had five children: Charles Francis, November 16, 1820, married 1) Nancy H. Sisson born December 14, 1819, daughter of David and Penelope (Howland) Sisson, see page 119, and 2) Almira F. (White) Reed, died February 23, 1886; Elizabeth Harriet, November 15, 1822 to January 17, 1837; Rhoda Maria, April 29, 1824, married 1) Richard Borden and 2) Rev. Gould Anthony, died December 11, 1906; George Harvey Bradford, April 12, 1826, married 1) Nancy Ophelia Rounds Bliss and 2) Louise Davol, died February 8, 1907; child; and James Andrew Crary, April 11, 1830, married Hannah Newhall White, died May 28, 1905. Ezekiel died March 4, 1855 in Tiverton. Hannah died April 14, 1870 at Westport.

George, born September 21, 1789 is discussed on page 209.

Warren, born December 21, 1792 is discussed on page 210.

Daniel, Jr. was born June 23, 1795. On February 12, 1816 he published intent to marry Fally Devol.

Martin lists a sixth child, Elihu who married Ann Tripp and died September 9, 1859 in McArthur, OH, age 62.

Daniel died September 16, 1795 in Dartmouth. Rhoda married second April 18, 1802 James Gifford. Rhoda died December 26, 1817 in Dartmouth.

References: Daniel Sisson and James Sisson Bibles; (11) Vol. II, pp.64-5, 125; (23); (68).

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Sylvia [5]

Richard [1], James [2], Richard [3], James [4] page 44

Sylvia(1768-1862) > Amy(1789-1879)
1812 Stephen Kirby(1788-1842)
James(1799-1821)
William(1803-1864)
1829 Rowena Richmond(-)

Sylvia Sisson was born July 3, 1768 in Dartmouth, MA. It has been confirmed from persons who knew her that she never married. According to records in her father's Bible Sylvia had three children, probably all born in Westport:

Amy was born October 30, 1789. On May 26, 1812 in Westport she married Stephen Kirby, Jr. son of Stephen and Sarah (Lawrence) Kirby. Stephen was born August 8, 1788. Amy and Stephen had a son:

William Sisson, February 16, 1829 in Little Compton, RI, married Felicia Frances Tripp. Ref: (169) pp.199-200. Stephen died July 20, 1842; Amy died November 4, 1879 in Fall River, MA. Both are buried in the Oak Grove Cemetery there.

James was born February 12, 1799. He died September 30, 1821 in Havana, Cuba.

William was born November 15, 1803. On January 1, 1829 in Westport a William Sisson married Rowena Tobey Richmond, daughter of Dr. Thomas and Experience (Tobey) Richmond. The marriage is reported in local newspapers January 12, 13, 14, 1829. Rowena was born in Troy, NY. [See also William, III son of William, Jr. and Sylvia (Allan) Sisson on page ?; NOTE: both Williams are sons of a Sylvia Sisson]. William died January 27, 1864.

There may have been a fourth child, Sylvia? who married Deacon Brownell.

In 1817 and 1828 Sylvia is mentioned in deeds in Dartmouth. In 1856 her residence was given as Fall River. Sylvia died March 16, 1862 in Fall River and is buried in Oak Grove Cemetery in the lot owned by her son William Sisson.

Reference: (11) Vol. II, p.66.

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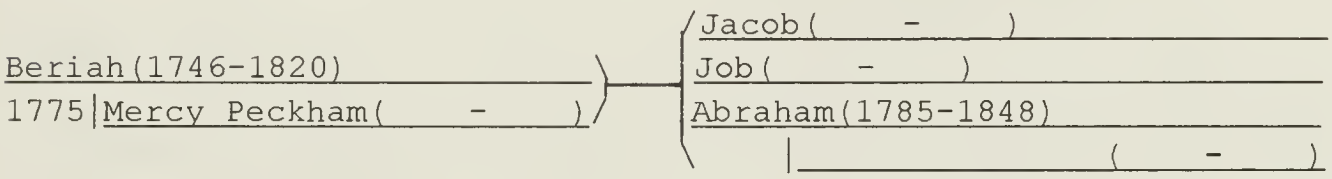
Beriah [5]

Richard [1], James [2], Richard [3], Lemuel [4] page 45



Beriah Sisson was born June 20, 1746 in Westport, RI. On January 27, 1775 he published intent to marry Mercy Peckham (or Marcy Peecom). Beriah and Mercy had three children, all born in Nine Partners, NY:

Jacob was born about 1778. He was named in a document in Poughkeepsie, NY in 1786. He died on March 18, year unknown, and is buried in Friends' Ground, Nine Partners. Ref: (170).

Job was born about 1780 and is also buried in Friends' Ground, Nine Partners.

Abraham was born in June, 1785. The Herkimer County, NY 1810 census shows Abraham with 1 m <10, 1 m 26-45, 1 f <10, and 1 f 16-25. Abraham died September 21, 1848, and we assume he married. His will mentions Richard, Lemuel, Abraham, and Sarah with no relationships given.

Beriah died June 11, 1820 in Nine Partners, NY.

Reference: (23).

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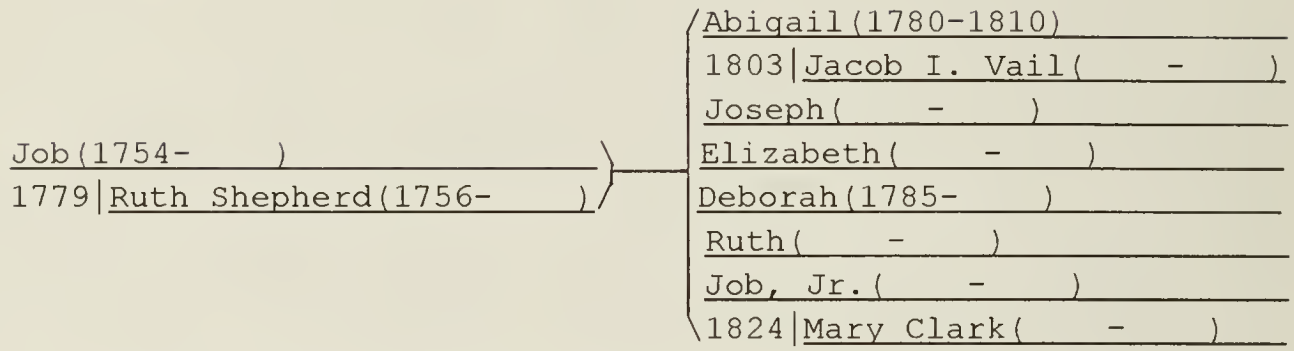
Job [5]

Richard [1], James [2], Richard [3], Lemuel [4] page 45



Job Sisson was born November 17, 1754 in Westport, MA. On March 3, 1779 in Westport, he married Ruth Shepherd of Dartmouth, daughter of John, Jr. and Abigail (Wing) Shepherd. Ruth was born May 22, 1756. Job and Ruth had six children, probably all born in Dartmouth:

Abigail was born July 7, 1780. On March 24, 1803 she married Jacob I. Vail. She died July 3, 1810.

Joseph was born about 1782.

Elizabeth was born about 1784.

Deborah was born August 23, 1785.

Ruth was born about 1787.

Job, Jr., born about 1789 is discussed on page 211.

The family moved from Westport to Nine Partners, NY, on April 14, 1798.

References: (11) Vol. II, p.67; (23) (births, Abigail and Deborah); (44) p.352.

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Lemuel, Jr. [5]

Richard [1], James [2], Richard [3], Lemuel [4] page 45

Lemuel, Jr.(1757-1819)
1783|Sarah Sthrlnd(-1849)

- Lydia(1784-1861)
- Marah(1785-1853)
  - 1805|James Vincent(-)
- Deborah(1787-1846)
  - 1805|Elias Haight(-)
- Sarah(1789-1856)
- Jacob(1792-1874)
  - 1815|Mary Sole(1796-1870)
- Phebe(1795-1871)
- Job(1797-1854)
  - 1826|Abigail Haight(1803-1875)
- Anna(1799-1865)
  - 1817|Peter Fish(-)
- William(1802-1870)
  - 1827|Eliza Hoag(-)
  - |Hannah R. Sweet(1802-1885)
- Isaac(1804-1822)
- Henry(1807-1860)
  - |Eliza Bryan(1810-)
- Richard(1810-1856)

Lemuel Sisson, Jr. was born March 31, 1757 in Westport, RI. On April 9, 1783 in Nine Partners, NY, he married Sarah Sutherland, daughter of Thomas and Bersheba ( ) Sutherland. Sarah was born about 1767. He was a carpenter, farmer, and Quaker. Lemuel and Sarah had twelve children:

Lydia was born May 9, 1784 and died August 28, 1861.

Marah was born September 23, 1785. On September 26, 1805 she married James Vincent. Marah and James had five children: Sally, married Mr. Van Wagner; Deborah; Emeline, married Mr. Bryan; Egbert, married Miss Varl; and Mary, married Mr. Ham. Marah died April 3, 1853.

Deborah was born September 29, 1787. On September 6, 1805 she married Elias Haight. Deborah and Elias had seven children: Nicholas; Lewis; George; Leonard; Ruth; Lydia; and Lemuel, who married Miss Agard. Deborah died December 23, 1846.

Sarah was born October 23, 1789 and died July 27, 1856.

Jacob, born July 6, 1792 is discussed on page 211.

Phebe was born September 21, 1795 and died unmarried April 25, 1871.

Job, born April 4, 1797 is discussed on page 212.

Anna was born September 8, 1799. On September (or December) 25, 1817 she married Peter Fish. She was baptized a Methodist on July 7, 1821 in her father's home. Anna and Peter had land dealings with her brother Jacob for a farm in Chatham in 1827 (Book K, p.221). Anna and Peter had four children: Sarah, married Mr.

Barnett; Phebe, married Mr. Hull; Howland, married Miss Fowler; and Eleanor, married Mr. Lewis. Anna died January 14, 1865.

William, born February 21, 1802 is discussed on page 213.

Isaac was born October 8, 1804 and died April 13, 1822. It has also been reported that Isaac "died 4th month 27, 1827, age 23-8-1". Ref: (170).

Henry, born October 4, 1807 is discussed on page 213.

Richard was born March 23, 1810. He was in the Washington, Dutchess County, NY, 1850 census, page 389, with sisters Lydia, 66, Sarah, 60, and Phebe, 50 (sic). Richard died March 9, 1856 unmarried.

Lemuel, Jr., died March 19, 1819; his will was written September 23, 1817. Sarah died April 28, 1849.

References: (23); (71).

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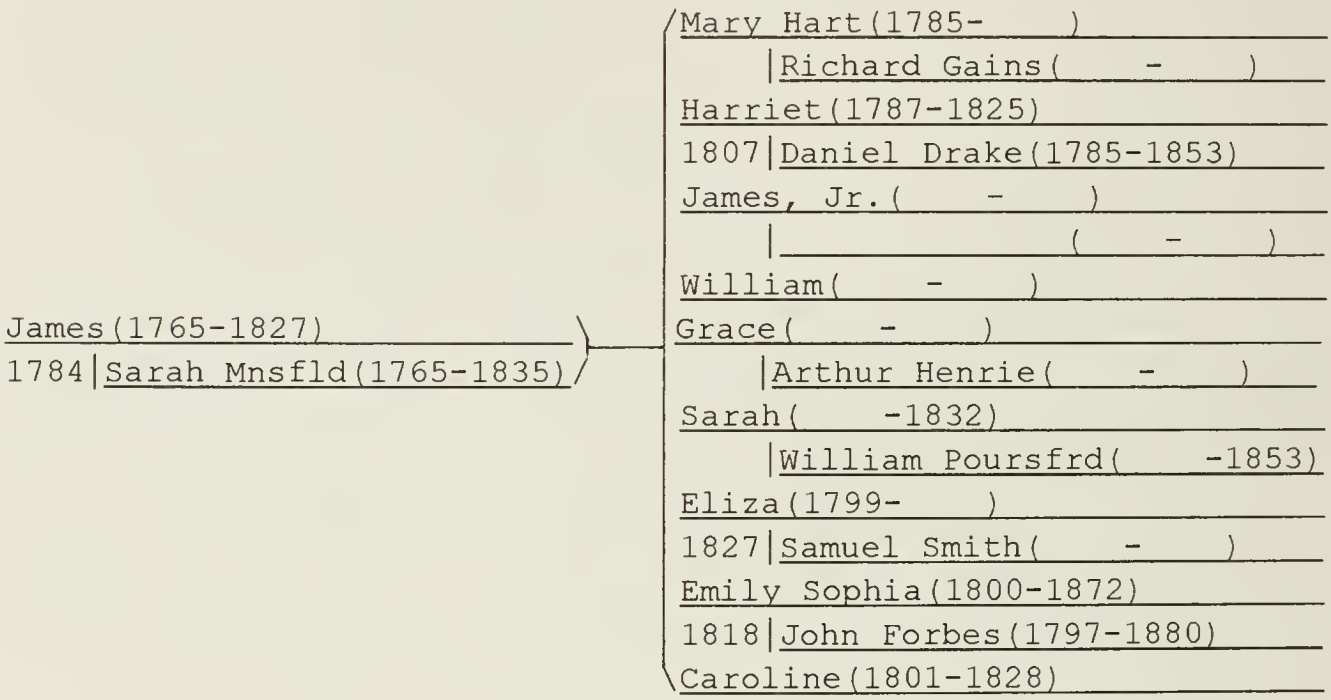
James [5]

Richard [1], James [2], James, Jr. [3], Gideon [4] page 46



James Sisson was born July 1, 1765 in Newport, RI. He was a graduate of Yale University. On August 21, 1784 in the Congregational Church of North Haven, he married Sarah Mansfield, daughter of Stephen and Hannah (Beach) Mansfield. Sarah was born in New Haven, CT, in 1765. James and Sarah had nine children, all born in New Haven:

Mary Hart was born in 1785. She was baptized October 16, 1785 in the New Haven Episcopal Church. She married Richard Gaines of Hamilton, OH. Mary died before 1882.

Harriet was born November 11, 1787. On December 20, 1807 she married Daniel Drake, son of Isaac and Elizabeth (Shotwell) Drake. Daniel was born October 20, 1785. Daniel became an M.D. The family

moved to Cincinnati, OH. Harriet and Daniel had five children: Harriet, October 24, 1808-September 26, 1809; Charles Daniel, April 11, 1811->1882; John Mansfield, July 11, 1813-February 5, 1816; Elizabeth Mansfield, May 31, 1817-November 19, 1864; and Harriet Echo, July 19, 1819-September 4, 1864. Mother Harriet died September 30, 1825. Daniel died November 5, 1853. Ref: (171) Vol. #1.

James, Jr., born about 1789 is discussed on page 214.

William was born about 1791.

Grace was born about 1793. She married Arthur Henrie.

Sarah was born about 1795. She married William Poursford of Cincinnati, OH. Sarah died in 1832. William died November 5, 1853.

Eliza was born in 1799. She was living in Smithfield on November 22, 1827 when she married Samuel Smith of North Providence. They were married at Providence by Rev. Mr. Pickering.

Emily Sophia was born October 27, 1800 in New Haven, CT, or Ohio. In 1818 in Ohio she married John Forbes. John was born February 26, 1797, a Scotsman, in Cork, Ireland. He went to England in 1799 and then to Ohio in 1817. He was a merchant. After their marriage they moved to Texas where he was an aide (colonel) to Sam Houston. He was the first mayor of Nacogdoches, TX. He was given title to over 53,000 acres by Jim Bowie. Emily and John had two daughters: Emily Sophia, July 27, 1819 in Ohio to May 9, 1888, married James Mayo Wells; Sarah M., February 17, 1822 in Nacogdoches, to June 22, 1880, married Hayden Harrison Edwards. Edwards was given large land holdings granted by Mexico (Spain). Mother Emily died June 20, 1872; John died June 22, 1880, both in Nocogdoches. Both are buried in Oak Grove Cemetery there. Ref: (172) Vol. I, p.402, Vol. II, p.310-1; (173).

Caroline was born in 1801. She was not married in 1828 when she died.

James died August 5, 1827; Sarah died in 1835.

References: (7) 16:517, 18:49, 20:329; (174) p.46.

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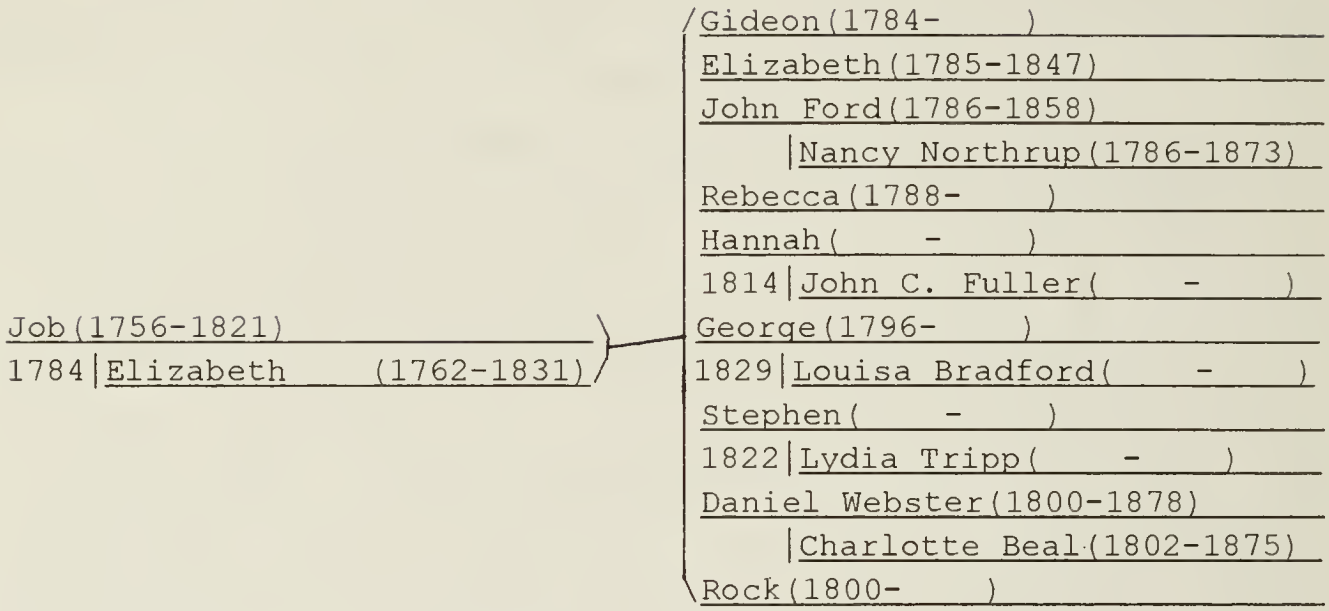
Job [5]

Richard [1], James [2], James, Jr. [3], Lewis [4] page 47



Job Sisson was born in 1756 in Newport, RI. In 1784 in Portsmouth, RI, he married Elizabeth ( ). She was born August 1, 1762 in Newport. The family was living there in 1790. Job and Elizabeth had nine children, all born in Newport:

Gideon was born in 1784. He was baptized July 6 of that year in the Trinity Church of Newport.

Elizabeth was born in April, 1785. She was not married, lived in New Bedford, MA, and died September 19, 1847.

John Ford, born August 1, 1786 is discussed on page 214.

Rebecca was born April 16, 1788. She was baptized August 11 of that year in the Trinity Church, Newport.

Hannah was born about 1790. On April 17, 1814 she married John C. Fuller. The couple lived in New Bedford.

George was born circa 1796. On November 13, 1829 he published intent to marry Louisa Bradford.

Stephen may have been born about 1798. On August 20, 1822 in Westport, MA, he published intent to marry Lydia Tripp. They lived in New Bedford. Ref: (68). Stephen may have been born about 1793 and may be the Stephen who on April 1, 1813 married Lillis Tripp, daughter of James and Patience (Devol) Tripp and had a daughter Patience in 1813 who married Job Sisson; see page 384. Ref: (68); (169) p.23.

Daniel Webster, born June 1, 1800 is discussed on page 216.

Rock was born circa 1800, possibly a twin to Daniel.

Job died April 20, 1821 in New Bedford, "late of Nantucket". He is buried in Rural Cemetery there; his death was reported in the "New Bedford Mercury" and "Providence Phenix" newspapers. Elizabeth died November 9, 1831.

References: (7) 1:425/6, 2:486/7, 10:526, 19:126, 21:558; (43); (77); (78).

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William, Jr. [5]

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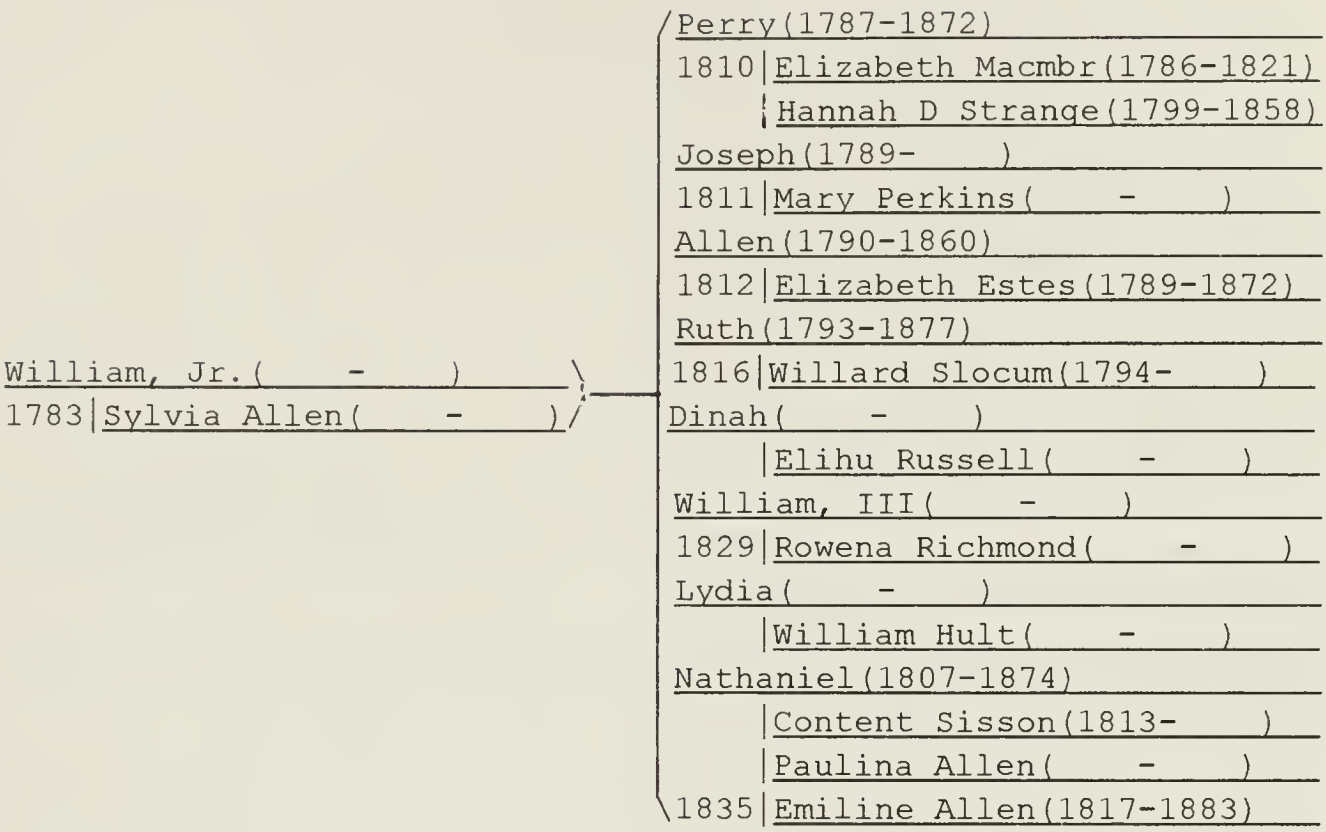

William Sisson, Jr. may have been born about 1755 in Dartmouth, MA. On August 21, 1783 in Dartmouth, he married Sylvia Allen of Bristol County, MA, daughter of Seth and Margaret ( ) Allen of Westport. They lived in Dartmouth in 1790 and 1816; the family also lived in Westport. It has been reported that William published intent on September 10, 1799 to marry Ruth (Perkins) Boomer, and/or married in 1804 Sarah Cook, both of Westport. It has also been reported that William and Sylvia had a daughter Elizabeth born 1789, but this appears to be a mis-assignment of Elizabeth born January 19, 1786, daughter of Philip and Susannah Sisson, see page 205. William and Sylvia had eight children:

Perry, born September 10, 1787 in Fall River, MA, is discussed on page 217.

Joseph was born 1789 or 87. On December 26, 1811 he married Mary Perkins of Middleboro, MA, and "went west". He is possibly the Joseph who was Commissioner of Highways in Collins, NY, 1844-5, and involved in various land dealings in that area. Ref: (175).

Allen, born February 15, 1790 in Dartmouth is discussed on page 219.

Ruth was born October 24, 1793 in Dartmouth. On January 19, 1816 she published intent to marry Willard Slocum, son of Christopher and Phebe (Wilcox) Slocum *(Slocum Genealogy: Willard [7], Christopher [6], Peleg [5], Holder [4], Peleg [3], Giles [2], Anthony [1])*. Willard was born March 27, 1794 in Dartmouth. He was a hatter, and a soldier in the War of 1812. In 1833 the family

moved from Scipio, Cayuga County, NY, to Gowanda, Cattaraugus County, NY. Ruth and Willard had six children: Abner, August 9, 1818, married Miss Akers; Patience, March 10, 1821, married Mr. Hill; Sylvia Ann, July 26, 1826, married Mr. Barlow; Eliza Jane, June 28, 1828-September 7, 1829; Phebe, April 4, 1830-May 10, 1830; and Henry Perry, March 21, 1837, married Miss Smith. Ruth and Willard died in Gowanda. Ruth died October 12, 1877. Ref: (176) p.202.

Dinah, born about 1795 married Elihu Russell of Collins.

William, III, was born about 1797. On January 1, 1829 in Westport a William Sisson married Rowena Tobey Richmond, daughter of Dr. Thomas and Experience (Tobey) Richmond. The marriage is reported in local newspapers January 12, 13, 14, 1829. Rowena was born in Troy, NY. [See also William, son of Sylvia Sisson on page 110; NOTE: both Williams are sons of a Sylvia Sisson]. This may be the William, Jr., mentioned in Ref: (175) p.726.

Lydia was born about 1799. She married William Hult.

Nathaniel, born March 15, 1807 is discussed on page 234.

The family moved to Concord, Niagara County, NY, about 1817 and by 1824 to Erie County, NY.

References: (7) 16:517, 18:49, 20:330; (11) Vol. II, p.72; (68); (137) 1:202; (177); (178).

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Nathaniel [5]

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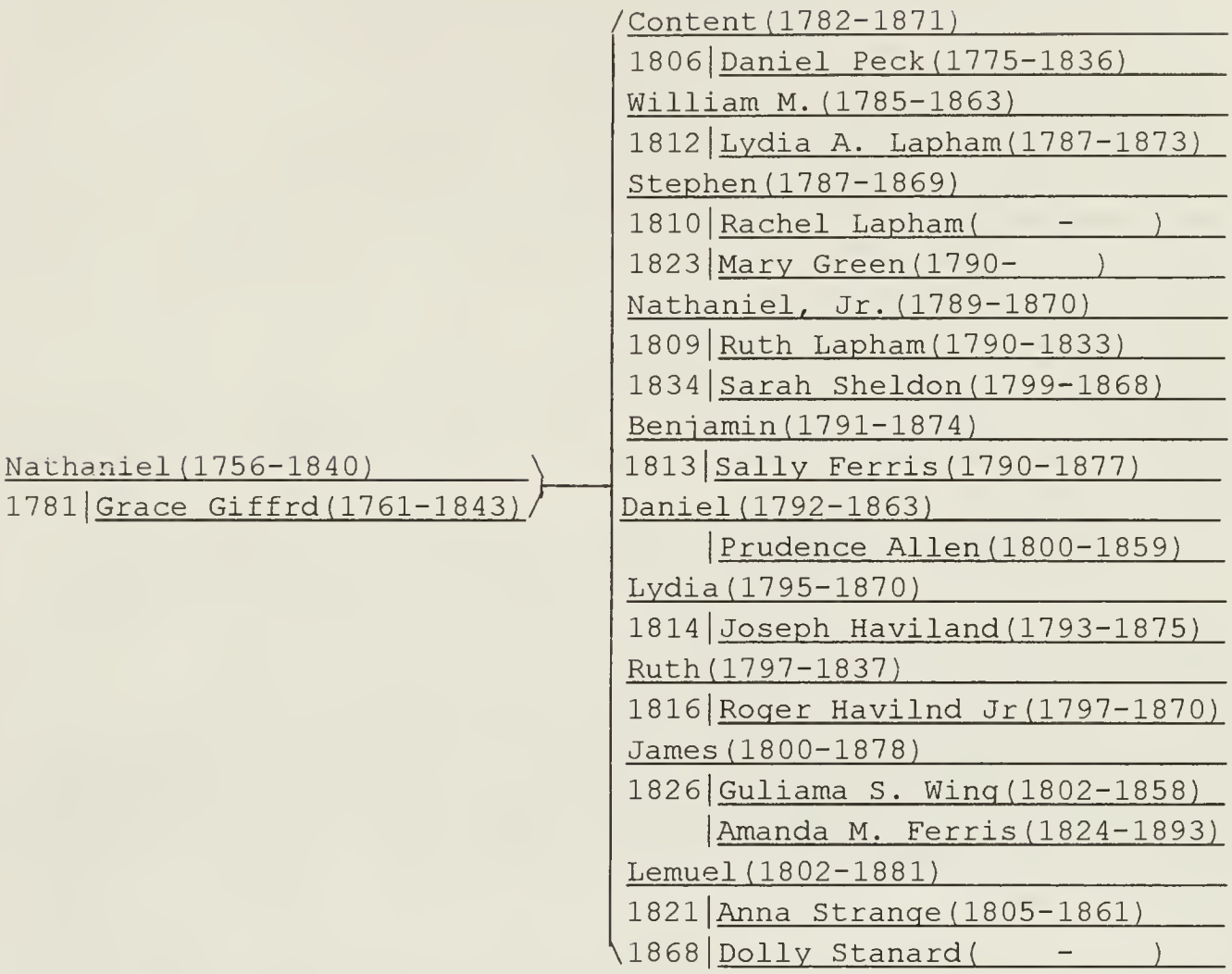

Nathaniel Sisson was born July 11, 1756 in Dartmouth, Bristol County, MA. He was a member of the Society of Friends. Assessments in 1790 showed he had a log house, log barn, and 150 acres worth £3 per acre. On February 2, 1781 in the Aponaganset Friends Meeting House in Dartmouth, he married Grace Gifford, daughter of Benjamin and Ruth (Whitten) Shepherd Gifford. Grace was born September 16, 1761 in Dartmouth. They moved to Nine Partners, NY, in 1781 and from there to Queensbury in 1783. Nathaniel was the Overseer of Highways in Queensbury, Washington County, NY, in 1798. Nathaniel and Grace had ten children; their sons were among the first settlers in Collins, Erie County, NY. Their first child was born in Nine Partners (Quaker Hill) and the remainder in Queensbury:

Content "Tenty" was born December 10, 1782. On September 23, 1806 in Queensbury, she married Daniel Peck of Glens Falls. Daniel was born January 22, 1775 in New Milford, CT. Content is mentioned in her Aunt Content's will of 1804. Daniel died August 12, 1836 in Glens Falls; Content died February 2, 1871 in Queensbury. Both are buried in Friends Cemetery there.

William M., born January 2, 1785 is discussed on page 221.

Stephen, born July 30, 1787 is discussed on page 222.

Nathaniel Jr., born October 2, 1789 is discussed on page 223.
Benjamin, born January 22, 1791 is discussed on page 224.
Daniel, born November 11, 1792 is discussed on page 225.

Lydia was born March 16, 1795. On May 3, 1814 in Queensbury, she married Joseph Haviland. It has also been reported that they married July 6, 1813 (this is probably the posting of the bans). Joseph was born in Queensbury September 12, 1793, son of Roger and Hannah (Wing) Haviland. His birth has also been reported as July 31, 1792 [September 12 is possibly a baptism date]. Lydia and Joseph lived on the Sisson homestead and cared for her parents until they died there. Lydia and Joseph had three children: Daniel; Joseph; and Lydia, who married Mr. Staples. Both Lydia and Joseph died in Queensbury, she on May 23, 1870 and he on November 26, 1875. Both are buried in Friends Cemetery.

Ruth was born February 20, 1797. On July 9, 1816 she married Roger Haviland, Jr., brother to Joseph above. Roger was born in Queensbury September 13, 1797. Ruth died September 9, 1837 in Queensbury. Roger married second Elicy Height. Roger died in Glens Falls November 20, 1870.

James, born February 29, 1800 is discussed on page 226.
Lemuel, born October 5, 1802 is discussed on page 227.

On April 18, 1792 registered New Bedford book 13, page 150, Nathaniel and his siblings Mary Milk, Constant Sisson, and Lydia Howland sold their inherited shares of land in New Bedford. In 1802 Grace (Gifford) and Benjamin Gifford sold their interest in land in Dartmouth (now Westport). On July 4, 1825 recorded New Bedford Book 28, p.329 Nathaniel and Grace sold their remaining land. Nathaniel died on May 10, 1840 in Glens Falls/Queensbury, NY. Grace died September 4, 1843 in Glens Falls. Both are buried in Friends Cemetery there.

References: (11) Vol. II, pp.70-1; (23); (44) p.359; (50) pp.1209, 1662, 1819; (90); (148); (175); (179); (180); (181) p.419; (182) 2:482; (183); (184) June 21, 1805, shows real estate value $1560; (185).

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Silvanus [5]

Richard [1], James [2], Jonathan [3], Jonathan, Jr [4] page 49

Silvanus(1749-1781) — 1776 Meribah Pttr(-1780)

- Uriah(1776-1843) — Eliz. Salisbury(1769-1840)
- Leonard(1780-)

Silvanus Sisson was born July 27, 1749 in Dartmouth, MA. On January 12, 1776 he published intent to marry, then married January 28, Meribah Potter, daughter of Stoughton and Ruth ( ) Potter. The family moved to Portsmouth before 1779. Meribah may have married previously, Ichobod Tripp. Silvanus and Meribah had one, or perhaps two, sons:

Uriah (Urial), born June 22, 1776 in Dartmouth is discussed on page 228.

Leonard, the possible second son, was born in 1780, in Dartmouth.

Another son, David (1779), has been reported. This David (1774) is the youngest brother of Silvanus. Both son David and grandson Urial but not Leonard are mentioned in Grandfather Jonathan, Jr.'s will.

Meribah died in Dartmouth November 26, 1780; Silvanus died May 26, 1781. Silvanus's will "written" October 14, 1781 mentions father Jonathan, son Uriel, sister Sary, and mother-in-law Ruth Potter. [Either the date of his death or the date of his will must have been reported incorrectly.]

Reference: (11); Vol. II, p.77; (23); (68); (83).

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Benjamin [5]

Richard [1], James [2], Jonathan, [3] Jonathan, Jr [4] page 49

Benjamin(1761-) 1783 Elizabeth Shaw(-)

- Silvanus(-1800)
- Elizabeth(-)
- Ruth(-) 1816 Oliver Slocum(1781-1828)

Benjamin Sisson was born February 11, 1761 in Westport, RI. He may have lived at Oxford and Fairhaven, MA. On September 16, 1782 he published intent to marry, and then in Dartmouth on October 13, 1783 he married Elizabeth Shaw of Little Compton, daughter of Benjamin and Elizabeth ( ) Shaw. They were married by Adam Simmons, Justice. Benjamin and Elizabeth [Sisson] are mentioned in her father's will dated 1784. Benjamin and Elizabeth had three children:

Silvanus was born about 1784, was not married, and died December 31, 1800 in New Bedford, MA.

Elizabeth was born about 1786.

Ruth was born about 1789. In 1816 she married Oliver Slocum, son of John and Phebe (Durfee) Slocum as his second wife. Oliver was born circa 1781 in Middletown, RI. The family had five children: Abiel T., August 8, 1804, married Mahala Sisson, born May 29, 1809, see page 129; Phebe, married Capt. Saunders and died in 1876; Clarissa, married first Squire Livsey, second Mr. Allen; Mary, married Mr. Bailey; and a child who died an infant. Oliver died in August of 1828 in Newport, RI. Ref: (137) p.211.

References: (7) 4:58; (14) Vol. 10, p.308; (83); (137) p.211; (186).

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Jonathan, III [5]

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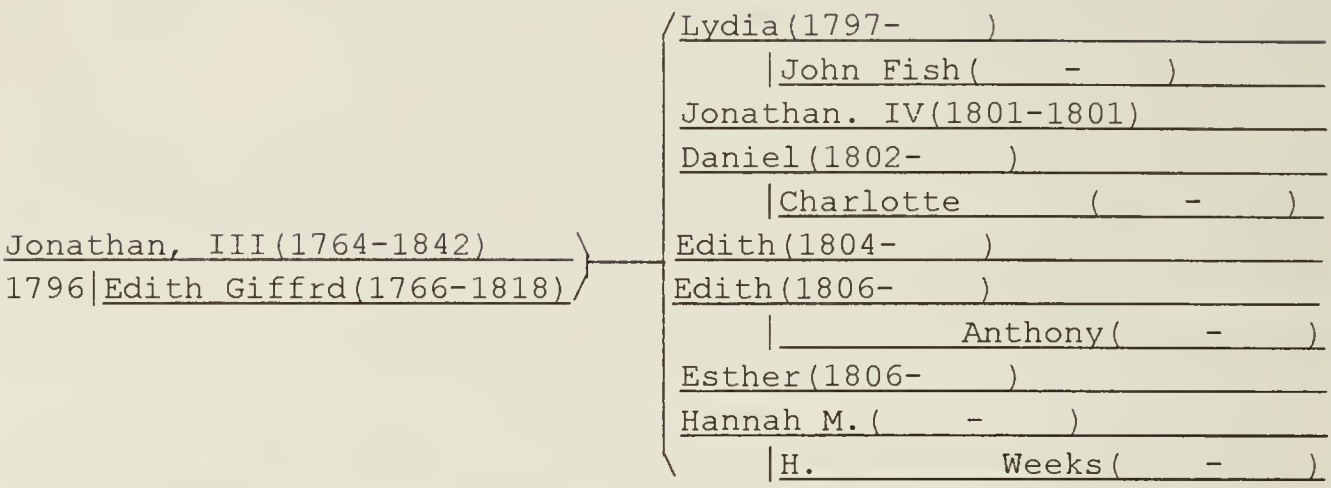

Jonathan Sisson, III, was born April 27, 1764 in Dartmouth, MA. On February 27, 1796 in Westport, RI, he married Edith Gifford, daughter of Elijah and Deborah (Wilbur) Gifford. Edith was born April 27, 1766 in Dartmouth. Jonathan and Edith had seven children, all born in Westport:

Lydia was born May 19, 1797. She married John Fish and died after 1835.

Jonathan, IV, was born January 4, and died October 10, 1801.

Daniel was born August 15, 1802. He was a farmer and married Charlotte ( ). They lived in Venice, Cayuga County, NY. Daniel died after 1835.

The first Edith was born February 29, 1804 and died an infant.

The second Edith was born August 30, 1806. She married Mr. Anthony. It has also been reported that her twin sister Esther married Mr. Anthony [perhaps this is true]. They had Caroline, Hannah and Jane.

Esther was born August 30, 1806; see Edith above.

Hannah M., was born about 1808. She married H. Weeks.

Edith died August 10, 1818; Jonathan died in 1842. His will written February 23, 1835 in Ledyard, NY, was proved August 30, 1842, naming all children but Jonathan, and grandchildren Caroline, Hannah and Jane Anthony.

References: (68); (81) 1800 p.432; (83); (148) p.295; (187) Book A1.

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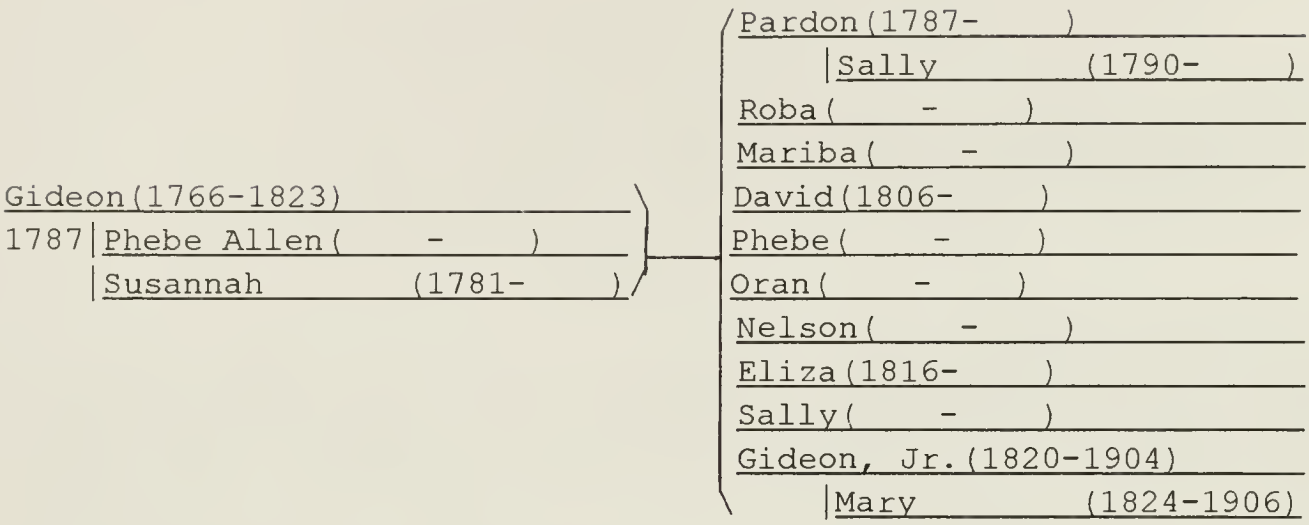
Gideon [5]

Richard [1], James [2], Jonathan [3], Jonathan Jr [4] page 49



Gideon Sisson was born July 27, 1766 in Westport, RI. On September 2, 1787 he married in Dartmouth Phebe Allen. He married second Susannah ( ). We do not known which woman is the mother of which children. Susannah was born circa 1781. The family lived in Saratoga, NY, in 1801 and in Otsego, NY, in 1817. There were ten children known:

Pardon, born December 8, 1787 is discussed on page 228.
Roba was born about 1790.
Mariba was born about 1792.
David was born in 1806.
Phebe was born about 1809.
Oran was born about 1812.
Nelson was born about 1814.
Eliza was born circa 1816 in Otsego County, NY.
Sally was born about 1818.
Gideon, Jr., born circa 1820 is discussed on page 229.

Gideon's will was signed June 19, 1823 and proved January 10, 1824 in Friendship, Allegheny County, NY. The will names "wife Susan; eldest son Pardon, daughters Roba and Mariba, son David, daughters Phebe, Eliza and Sally, three younger sons, Oren, Nelson and Gideon. Five dollars to each child down to Phebe, then 100 dollars to the support of each thereafter. Witnesses John and Joseph Utter and Sylvanus Merriman, executor Susannah." Also mentioned in the will are Allen, see page 398; Urial (Uriah below), and Hyram Sisson.

References: (23); (83); (188); (189) 1800.
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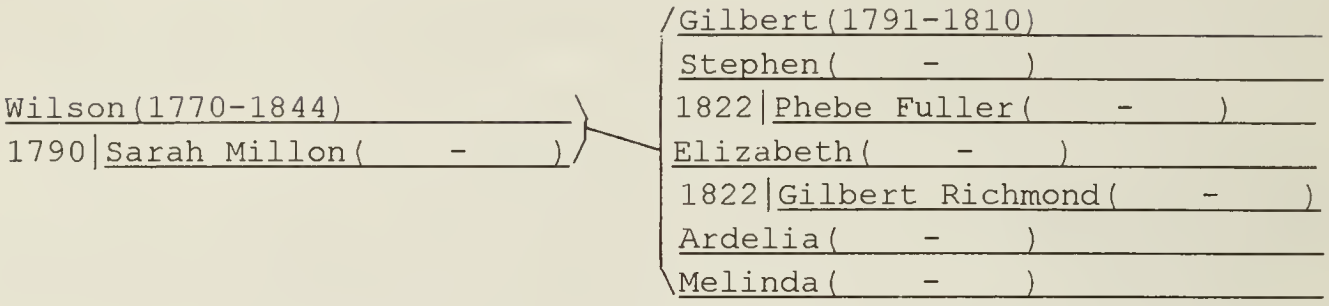
Wilson [5]

Richard [1], James [2], Jonathan [3], Jonathan Jr [4] page 50



Wilson Sisson was born October 25, 1770 in Westport, RI. He was a laborer and tanner. On January 14, 1790 he married Sarah Liscomb Millon of Dartmouth. Wilson and Sarah had five children:

Gilbert was born circa 1791 and died September 1, 1810 age 19 years.

Stephen was born about 1793. On September 17, 1822 he married Phebe Fuller, daughter of Capt. Liscomb O. and Elizabeth ( ) Fuller. They were married by Elder Wright.

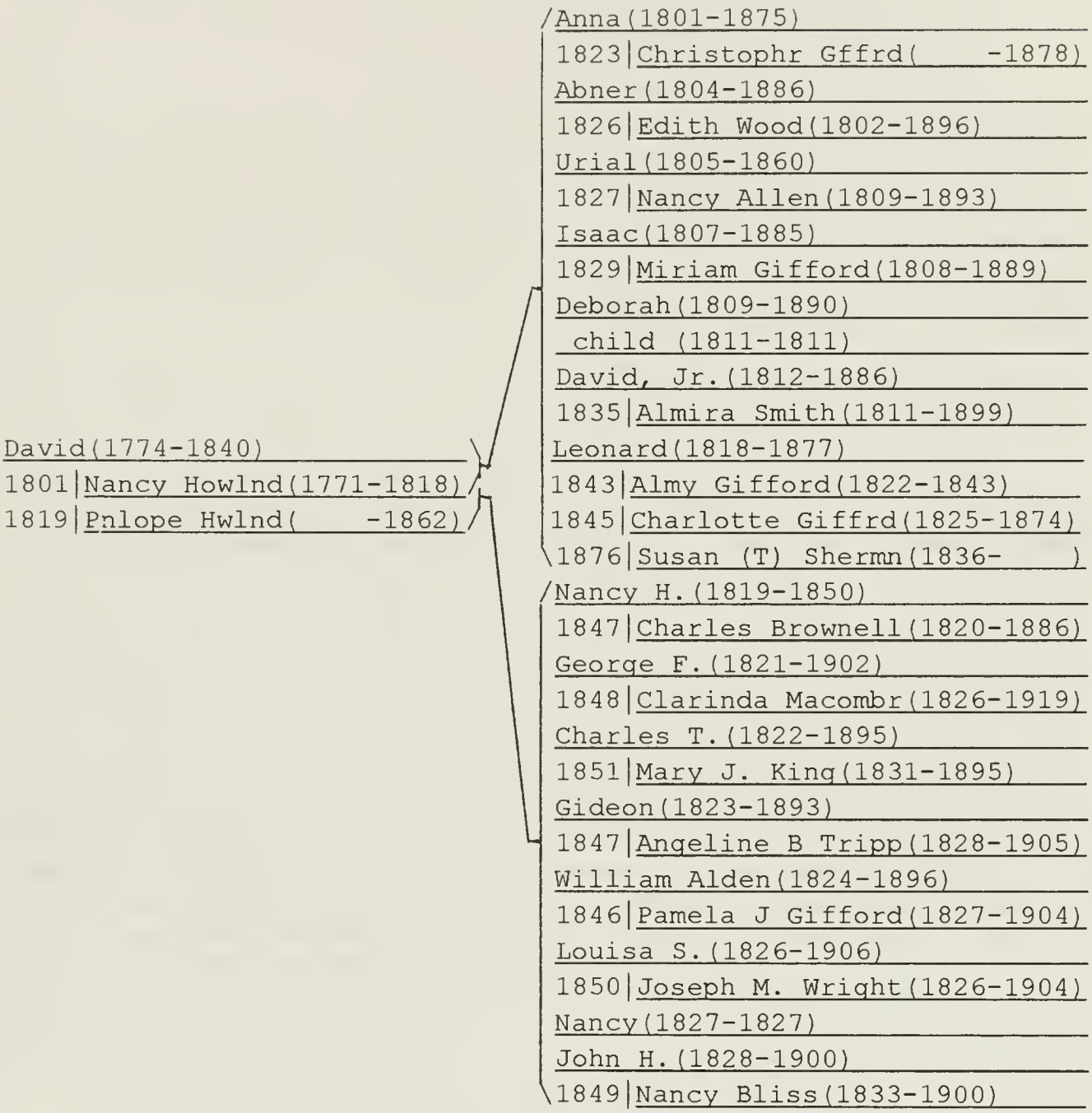
Elizabeth was born about 1795. On April 7, 1822 she and Gilbert Richmond published intent to marry with Elder Wright.

Ardelia was born about 1797. It has been reported that she married George Douglas [see Ardelia 1794, daughter of Gardiner and Esther Sisson page 67].

Melinda was born about 1799. It has been reported that Melinda married Edward Usher [see Belinda 1776, daughter of Gideon and Abigail Sisson page 32].

Wilson died June 3, 1844 in Westport.

References: (7) 8:317, 349, 390; (23); (68); (83); (190) 1790.



David Sisson was born April 4, 1774 in Westport, MA. His birth year has been misinterpreted as 1779. He was a tanner. His homestead was on Pine Hill Road, Westport. On February 22, 1801 he married first Nancy Howland, daughter of Prince and Phebe (Tripp) Howland. Nancy was born July 14, 1771. David and Nancy had eight children, all born in Westport:

Anna was born November 18, 1801. On November 27, 1823 she married Christopher Gifford. They had no children. Anna died July 1, 1875; Christopher died June 16, 1878.

Abner, born March 27, 1804 is discussed on page 229.

Uriel, born September 25, 1805 is discussed on page 230.

Isaac, born October 8, 1807 is discussed on page 231.

Deborah was born July 13, 1809. She died a spinster January 30, 1890. Her will mentions brothers, sisters, nieces, and nephews.

A baby was born April 19, 1811 and died the same day.

David, Jr., born November 17, 1812 is discussed on page 232.

Leonard, born July 2, 1818 is discussed on page 233.

Nancy died July 11, 1818. She is buried on the old homestead farm on Pine Hill Road. On June 13, 1819 David married second Penelope Howland, sister to Nancy. David and Penelope had seven children, also born in Westport:

Nancy H. was born December 14, 1819. On February 18, 1847 in Westport she married Charles F. Brownell, a farmer in Tiverton. Charles was the son of Ezekiel and Hannah (Sisson) Brownell, see Hannah page 105. Charles was born November 16, 1820. Nancy died October 10, 1850; Charles died February 22, 1886.

George F., born January 25, 1821 is discussed on page 234.

Charles T., born February 16, 1822 is discussed on page 235.

Gideon, born May 26, 1823 is discussed on page 235.

William Alden, born June 24, 1824 is discussed on page 236.

Louisa S. was born July 28, 1826. On July 3, 1850 in Westport she married Joseph M. Wright, son of Joseph and Sarah ( ) Wright. Joseph was born in 1826 in Vermont. Joseph died November 15, 1904; Louisa died June 18, 1906 and is buried in the Maple Grove Cemetery.

Another daughter Nancy was born December 11, 1827 and died December 22 of that year.

John H., born September 17, 1828 is discussed on page 237.

Father David died February 22, 1840 in Westport. David left no will; son Abner was appointed administrator April 7, 1840, the same day wife Penelope was appointed guardian of minor children Louisa and John H.; and John Howland was appointed guardian of Nancy H., Charles, Gideon and William A. Sisson. Inventory of David's estate filed May 5, 1840: real estate $3,503.00; total $6,395.78. Penelope died June 26, 1862. Both are buried next to Nancy (Howland) Sisson. The children of David sold the "widow's dower" real estate April 5, 1869.

References: Jonathan, Jr.'s will; (11) Vol. II, pp.76, 80-82, 135; (23); (68); (77); (83); (191).

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Peleg [5]

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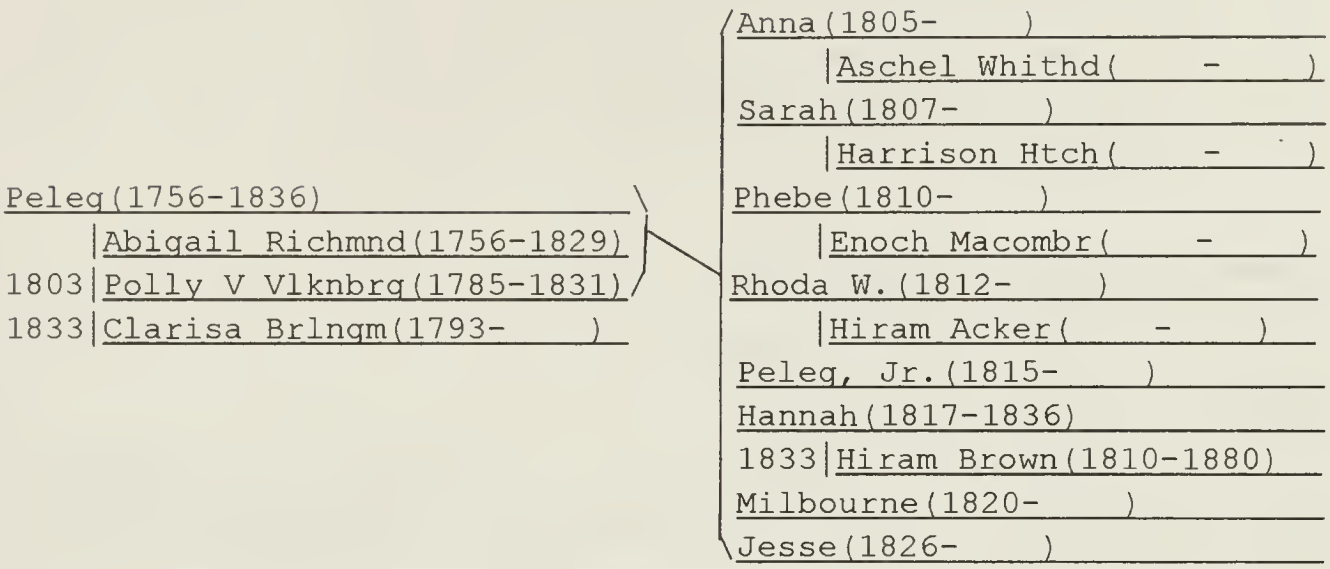

Peleg Sisson was born January 18, 1756 in Dartmouth, MA. He also gave a false birthdate of May 22, 1754. He served three-and-a-half years as a minuteman, nine months in 1776 as an orderly sergeant with Capt. John Salsbury, and six months in 1777 as a private with Gen. Burgoyne. He moved to Claverack, Albany County, NY [which became Columbia County]. He also lived in Dutchess County, NY. He married first Abigail Richmond of Hillsdale, NY, daughter of Edward and Elizabeth (Powell) Richmond. Abigail was born circa 1756 and died April 15, 1829 in Hillsdale. It has been reported that Peleg deserted Abigail. Columbia County Mortgage Records show the purchase of land in Hillsdale, Columbia County, in 1800 (Book D, pp.39,40) and in 1804 (Book B, p.569). Peleg married second in 1803/4, Polly Van Valkenburg. Polly was born in 1785. Peleg witnessed the wills of Benjamin Tiffany and Benjamin Allen in 1808 and moved to Genesee County, NY, shortly afterward. Peleg and Polly had at least eight children, all born in New York. The Richmond Genealogy says that Peleg had nine daughters:

Anna was born November 11, 1805. She married Aschel Whitehead.

Sarah was born October 6, 1807. She married Harrison Hatch.

Phoebe was born June 17, 1810. She married Enoch Macomber.

Rhoda W. was born November 12, 1812. She married Hiram Acker.

Peleg, Jr. was born March 20, 1815.

Hannah was born September 29, 1817. In 1833 she married Hiram Brown. Hiram was born in 1810. They had Francis H. in 1835, who married Mary A. Warner. Hannah died in 1836; Hiram died in 1880.

Milbourne was born July 18, 1820. Harrison Hatch, his brother-in-law, was appointed his guardian September 19, 1836.

Jesse was born January 14, 1826 in Genesse County. Aschel Whitehead, his brother-in-law, was appointed his guardian September 13, 1836. He may have moved to Ohio in 1880.

Polly died April 30, 1831. Peleg married third September 8, 1833 Clarissa Burlingame in Murray, Orleans County, NY [this portion of Genesse County became Orleans County]. Clarissa was born in 1793. Peleg applied for a Revolutionary War pension August 23, 1832. Peleg died August 11, 1836 in Murray. His widow applied for pension June 18, 1853 "age 60". She applied for "BLW" April 11, 1855 at Burlington, Branch County, MI. Peleg and all three wives are buried in the Clarks Cemetery, Ridge Road, Murray (these stones are still intact).

References: DAR record #129581; (23); (95) NY line, W2361, BLW #26878-160-55; (192) p.161; (193) pp.48-9.

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Stephen [5]

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Stephen(1765-1807)
1792 | Hannah Sears(1773-1849)

- Phebe(1794-)
  - Dolbear(-)
- Rebecca(1796-)
- Stephen, Jr.(1798-)
  - (-)
- Horatio(1800-1867)
  - 1822 | Clotilda Taylor(1801-1860)
- Judah(1802-1871)
  - Theodora Morehse(1805-1887)
- Charles(1804-1842)
  - Cordelia Luther(1805-1856)
- Hannah(1806-)
  - Levi Thompson(-)

Stephen Sisson was born June 8, 1765 in Dartmouth, MA. His family moved to New York state in 1771. In 1792/3 in Bristol, NY, he married Hannah Sears, daughter of Alden and Phebe (Walker) Sears. Hannah was born in 1773 in Dighton, MA. It has also been reported that he married Ruth Lawton, who died in Greene County, NY. Stephen and Hannah had seven children, all born in Bristol, Ontario County, NY:

Phebe was born October 7, 1794. She married Mr. Dolbear. They "moved south".

Rebecca was born September 7, 1796. She was a tailoress and lived in Bristol with her brother Judah. She was not married and was living with her nephew Horace in Ontario County, NY, in 1870.

Stephen, Jr., born March 19, 1798 is discussed on page 237.

Horatio "Horace", born January 1, 1800 is discussed on page 238.

Judah, born November 25, 1802 is discussed on page 239.

Charles, born in March, 1804 is discussed on page 240.

Hannah was born March 9, 1806. She married Dr. Levi Thompson, son of Dr. Joseph and Mary (Sisson) Thompson, see Mary daughter of John and Naomi Sisson page 51. They moved to Ohio.

Stephen died March 25, 1807; Hannah died March 1, 1849 age 76; both died in Bristol, NY.

References: (11) Vol. II, p.83; (23); (81) 1800 p.350; (194) Sept. 15, 1937; (195) Vol. 335, p.8.

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Stephen, Jr. [5]

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Stephen, Jr.(1767-1843)
1791|Patience Tuckr(1769-)

- Sarah(1792-)
  - 1817|Joseph Devol(-)
- Edward(1794-1824)
- Joseph(1797-)
  - 1818|Phebe T. White(-)
- Stephen, III(1799-1861)
  - 1820|Sarah B. Morton(1802-1843)
  - 1845|Lucy Russell(1799-)
  - 1857|Sarah I. Baker(-)
- Patience(1802-)
- Phebe Tucker(1804-)
- Rebecca(1812-)
- Abraham T.(-)

Stephen Sisson, Jr., was born July 15, 1767 in Dartmouth, MA. On September 22, 1791 he married Patience Tucker, daughter of Benjamin and Sylvia (Ricketsen) Tucker. Patience was born March 5, 1769 in Dartmouth. They had eight children, probably all born in Dartmouth:

Sarah was born March 18, 1792. On April 10, 1817 she married Joseph Devol.

Edward was born December 27, 1794 and died in December of 1824 at Dartmouth.

Joseph, born February 2, 1797 is discussed on page 240.

Stephen, III, born January 30, 1799 is discussed on page 241.

Patience was born May 7, 1802.

Phebe Tucker was born December 3, 1804.

Rebecca was born August 5, 1812.

Abraham T. was born about 1815 and is assumed to be another son but is not mentioned in the Dartmouth Vital Records.

Stephen died March 9, 1843 in New York.

References: (7) 21:558; (11) Vol. I, p.125; (23).

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Richmond(-)
1755 Eliz. Corliss(1716-)

- Ruth(1757-)
- 1781 Isaak Manchester(1754-)
- Elizabeth(1757-)
- Mary(1759-)
- 1778 Robert Carr(-)

Richmond Sisson was probably born between 1724 and 1733 in Portsmouth, RI. He was a Quaker. On November 30, 1755 he married Elizabeth (Shrieve) Corliss, daughter of John and Mary (Soule) Shrieve, and widow of Nathaniel Corliss. They were married in Portsmouth by Robert Lawton, Asst. Elizabeth was born November 8, 1716. Richmond and Elizabeth had three daughters, all born in Portsmouth:

Ruth was born May 6, 1757. On December 30, 1781 in Portsmouth she married Isaak(c) Manchester, son of Thomas and Jane (Cook) Manchester. Isaak was born January 24, 1754 in Portsmouth. Ruth has been confused with Ruth, 1758, daughter of Joseph and Ruth Sisson, see page 102. Ruth and Isaak had two children: John, May 17, 1782; and Ruth, May 19, 1784. Ref: (21).

Elizabeth, born May 6, 1757, twin to Ruth, is discussed on page 241.

Mary was born October 18, 1759. On November 27, 1778 she married Robert Carr, son of Mary ( ) Carr. Both were of Providence Plantation, RI. Ref: (162). In 1792 they received land from his mother, and leased additional land and buildings for $140. In that same year they sold 2 and 3/4 acres of "her" land. Between 1779 and 1800 Mary and Robert had eight children: Richmond, Job, Mary, Ruth, and four other daughters. This Mary has been confused with a Mary born about 1758, who married Benjamin Fuller in 1778. Ref: (56) III.

Richmond and Elizabeth are mentioned in her father's will dated 1770. On August 28, 1786 she inherited land from her brother, John Shrieve. This land was leased March 25, 1792 to Robert and Mary Carr.

References: (7) 4:40, 97; (81) 1800 p.336; (149) 6:189 p.68; (152) Vol. 3; (196) 7:238-9; (197).

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John, IV [5]

Richard [1], John [2], John, Jr. [3], John, III [4] page 52

John, IV(-1783)
1756 Ruth Fish(1737-)

- Mary(1757-)
  - 1783 Hugh Wright(-)
- Preserved(1759-)
  - Catherine Rutherford(-)
- Allan(1761-)
- John, V(1763-)
- Matthew(1765-)
- George(1768-)
- Ann(1770-)
- Matthew(1773-)
- Pardon(1775-1866)
  - 1798 Mary Slocum(1778-1864)
- Lavis(1779-)

John Sisson, IV was born about 1735. John was a cordwainer like his father. On July 8, 1756 John married Ruth Fish, daughter of John and Mary (Allen) Fish. They were married in Portsmouth by Robert Lawton, Asst. Ruth was born May 25, 1737 in Portsmouth. On March 27, 1770 John took a mortgage on land in Portsmouth including a house for 17¾ Spanish silver milled dollars. John is also reported as having the children assigned to John and Naomi (Smith) Sisson see page 51. Ruth and the children have also been assigned to John, Jr. [4] on page 38. John and Ruth had ten children, all born Portsmouth:

Mary was born January 23, 1757. On October 16, 1783 she married Hugh Wright. They were married by Rev. Gardiner Thurston.

Preserved, born Feburary 6, 1759 is discussed on page 242.

Allan was born November 3, 1761.

John, V was born October 25, 1763. [It has been reported that he married Abigail Cook, daughter of Job Cook; see John, son of John and Elizabeth Briggs page 187.]

The first Matthew was born October 17, 1765 and died young.

George was born June 10, 1768.

Ann was born October 23, 1770.

The second Matthew was born September 23, 1773.

Pardon, born September 23, 1775 is discussed on page 243.

Lavis was born May 10, 1779.

John and Ruth are mentioned in the will of Ruth Fish (her grandmother?) dated 1762 and in the will of her father dated 1773. John died intestate probably of smallpox early in 1783. Much of the family was lost in the smallpox epidemic except Ruth, Mary, Preserved, and Pardon. On March 10, 1783 Ruth was granted administration of his estate valued at £26-12s-16d recorded Book 7, pages 40-1. The estate was closed April 12, 1784. Ruth paid off the property's mortgage April 27, 1785.

References: (7) 4:41 & 97, 7:365; (11) Vol. II, p.7; (14) Vol. 10, p.308; (35); (78) 6:171; (88); (149) 7:1:35, 7:1:44 & 7:2:40-1.

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Edward [5]

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Edward(1741-1809) } < at least one son
1765|Mary Chase(1739-1821) }

Edward Sisson was born June 18, 1741 in Jamestown, RI. On January 27, 1765 he married Mary Chase, daughter of James and Alice ( ) Chase of Middletown. Mary was born July 6, 1739 in Freetown, RI. She was a member of the Society of Friends. In 1774 in Newport, RI, Edward and Mary had one son and two black slaves; in 1790 they had a family of four males and three females. Both Edward and Mary are mentioned in her father's will dated 1780. Edward died February 7, 1809; Mary died March 30, 1821, both in Newport, reported in the Providence Gazette.

References: (7) 7:32, 74, 120 & 13:27 & 14:274 & 19:126 & 21:558; (14) Vol. 10, p.305; (134) 1790.

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Joseph [5]

Richard [1], John [2], John, Jr. [3], John, III [4] page 52

Joseph(-) } Penelope(1766-)
1766|Ruth Shrieve(1746-) } Esther(1772-)
Richmond(1777-)
1799|Mary Weaver(-)
Mary(1782-)
Ruth(1789-)

Joseph Sisson may have been born about 1740. He was a laborer and butcher. On July 24, 1766 in Portsmouth, RI, he married Ruth Shrieve, daughter of Thomas and Ruth (Weaver) Shrieve. Ruth was born November 13, 1746 in Portsmouth. In 1771 they purchased property then sold half of it to Richmond, his brother and neighbor. Joseph and Ruth had five children, all born Portsmouth, recorded in Tiverton:

Penelope was born October 29, 1766.

Esther was born May 9, 1772.

Richmond was born August 17, 1777. On July 6, 1799 he published intent to marry Mary Weaver of Tiverton, RI. Ref: (68).

Mary was born October 31, 1782. It has been reported that she married Job Fish (born September 26, 1777). A Mary born March 1, 1790, daughter of Preserved and Catherine (Rutherford) Sisson married a Job Fish see page 242.

Ruth was born June 18, 1789.

Ruth and the children have also been assigned to Joseph, [5] page 93. Joseph and Ruth are mentioned in her father's will dated 1785. Joseph apparently had difficulty several times before the Town Council of Portsmouth with suits brought against him, beginning about 1781. At times they also lived in Little Compton, and Tiverton in 1803.

References: Portsmouth Town Council and Probate Records 8:1:65; (7) 4:41, 106; (14) Vol. 10, p.308; (35); (88); (149) 8:93; (151) p.169; (332) 6:388.

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Caleb [5]

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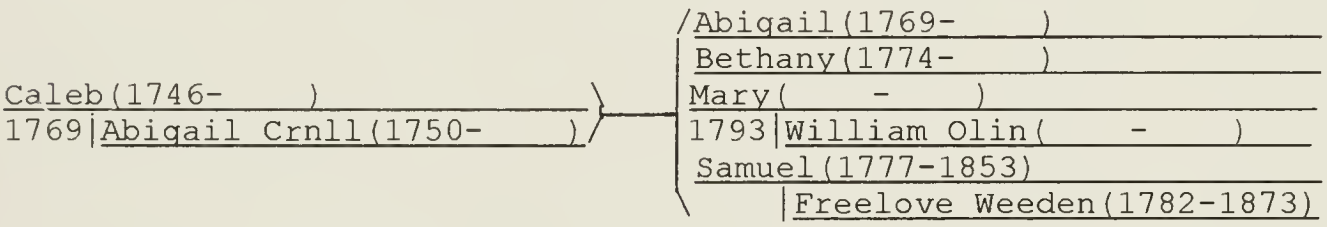

Caleb Sisson was born in 1746 in Portsmouth, RI. He also lived in North Kingstown, RI. On August 27, 1769 he married Abigail Cornell. They were married in North Kingston by George Northup, Justice. She was the daughter of George and Abigail (Sisson) Cornell. [Abigail (Sisson) may be the daughter of John, Jr. and Abigail Sisson, page 21]. Abigail was born in 1750 in Portsmouth. Caleb and Abigail had four children:

Abigail was born November 23, 1769 in North Kingstown.

Bethany was born January 1, 1774 in North Kingstown. This is not the Bethany who married John Crandall; that Bethany was born in England.

Mary was born about 1776 in Rhode Island. On May 23, 1793 in West Greenwich she married William Olin, son of Henry Olin, Jr. Ref: (144) 2:148.

Samuel, born in 1777 is discussed on page 244.

An Abigail (Cornell) Sisson "of Richard [and Mary]" was mentioned in a will dated 1780. Ref: (52) 3:338-9.

References: (7) 1:46 & 5:42, 98; (14) Vol. 7, p.316; (198).

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GENERATION [6]

Richard [6]

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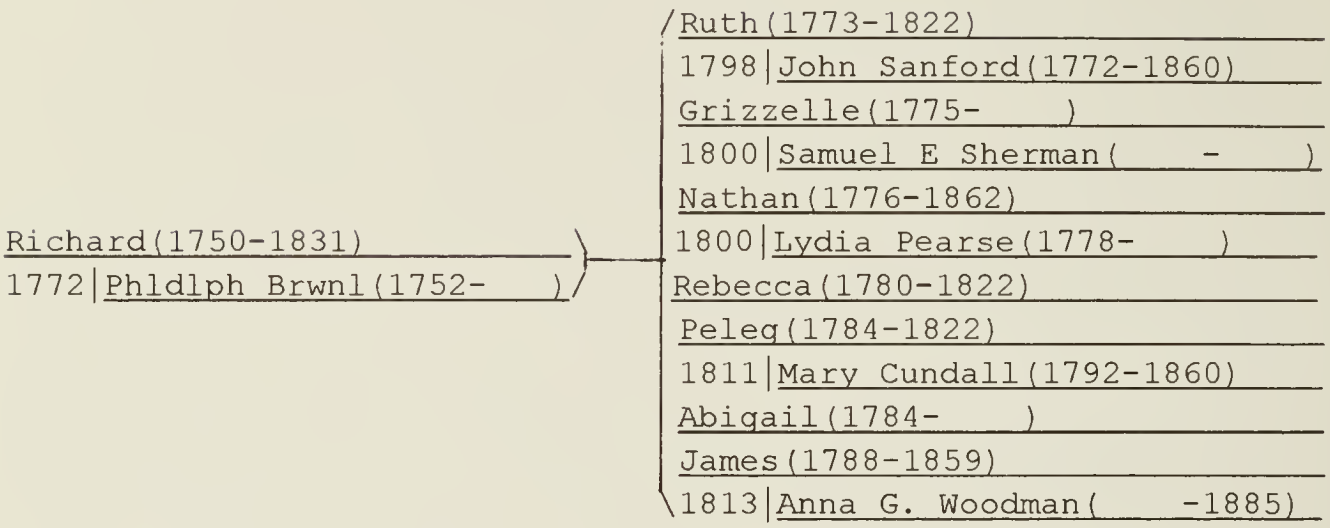

Richard Sisson was born in Portsmouth, RI, September 16, 1750. On December 10, 1772 in Portsmouth he married Philadelphia Brownell, daughter of Joseph and Rebecca (Tripp) Brownell. They were married in Portsmouth by John Almy, Asst. Philadelphia was born May 17, 1752 in Portsmouth. They owned property on the Sakonnet River. Richard and Philadelphia had seven children, all born in Portsmouth:

Ruth was born September 10, 1773. On November 22, 1798 she married John Sanford of Newport, RI, son of Giles and Elizabeth (Smith) Sanford. John was born October 26, 1772. Ruth and John had five children: Richard Sisson, October 26, 1801; Philadelphia B., October 16, 1803; Ann, October 18, 1804; Amy; and Giles, circa 1807. Ruth died February 12, 1822 in Middletown, RI. John died November 22, 1860. Ref: (18).

Grizzelle was born March 16, 1775. On January 16, 1800 she married Samuel E. Sherman, son of Joseph (or Samuel) Sherman. Grizzelle and Samuel had five children: Sarah Ann, May 30, 1801; Peleg, March 2, 1803; Samuel Elam, June 15, 1805, married Ruth T. Sisson, daughter of Job and Elizabeth (Tabor) Sisson, see page 141; Philadelphia Howland, August 27, 1808; and Hannah, April 18, 1812. Grizzelle and Samuel are mentioned in her father's will dated 1831.

Nathan, born October 14, 1776 is discussed on page 262.

Rebecca was born May 19, 1780, was not married and died in February, 1822.

Peleg, born December 17, 1784 is discussed on page 262.

Abigail was born December 17, 1784, a twin to Peleg; she died young.

James, born September 16, 1788 is discussed on page 263.

Richard and Philadelphia are mentioned in her father's will dated 1795 and her mother's will dated 1803. In 1811 Richard conveyed 8 acres each on the Sakonnet to his sons Peleg and James. Philadelphia died before Richard, who died April 29, 1831 in Ports mouth ["Newport Mercury" obituary, April 23, 1831, p.3.]. His will probated May 9, 1831 named his sons James and Nathan as executors.

References: (7) 4:41, 95 & 14:274 & 19:126 & 21:558; (11) Vol. II, p.1; (14) Vol. 10, pp.307-8; (199); (200) p.66.

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Isaac [6]

Richard [1], George [2], Richard [3], George [4], George, Jr. [5] page 59

Isaac(1762-)
Mary Biddle(-)
1791 Elizabeth Gardner(1763-)

- Mary(1793-)
- Eunice(1795-)
- Anna(1798-)
- Elizabeth(1803-1806)

Isaac Sisson was born August 4, 1762 in Portsmouth, RI. He married first Mary Biddle; we have no information about her. On August 7, 1791 in Nantucket, MA, he married second Elizabeth Gardner of Sherbourn, [state unknown], daughter of Thomas and Anna (Worth) Gardner. Elizabeth was born June 3, 1763. Isaac and Elizabeth had four daughters, all born in Rhode Island:

Mary was born May 7, 1793.
Eunice was born March 30, 1795.
Anna was born November 8, 1798.
Elizabeth was born July 6, 1803 and died January 1, 1806.

The family appears in the 1817 census for Cincinnati, OH.

References: (7) 4:97; (11) Vol. II, p.4; (201); (202) 1800 p.15; (203); (204).

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Peleg [6]

Richard [1], George [2], Richard [3], George [4], George, Jr. [5] page 59

Peleg(1766-1835)
1808 Abigail Irish(-)

- Mahala Hall(1809-)
  1835 Abiel T. Slocum(1804-1864)
- George(1812-)
  Frances White(-)
- Isaac P.(1812-1887)
  Amelia Devol(1815-1891)

Peleg Sisson was born November 23, 1766 in Portsmouth, RI. On November 15, 1808 in Portsmouth he married Abigail Irish. It has also been reported that she married Peleg born December 17, 1784; see page 262. Peleg and Abigail had three children:

Mahala Hall was born March 29, 1809. Mahala has also been reported as the daughter of Jabez Sisson. On July 19, 1835 in a ceremony performed by Rev. Zalman Tobey, she married Abiel T. Slocum, son of Oliver and Ruth (Sisson) Slocum see page 121. Abiel was born August 8, 1804 in Portsmouth. Mahala and Abiel had three children: Frank, 1837; Emily J., 1840; and Susan R., 1842. Abiel died August 23, 1864 in Newport, RI. Ref: (137).

George, born February 27, 1812 is discussed on page 264.

Isaac P., born February 27, 1812, a twin to George is discussed on page 264.

Peleg died in Portsmouth June 6, 1835 age 69 years.

References: (7) 4:97, 20:329; (11) Vol. II, p.4.

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George, III

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George, III (1768-1837)
1795 | Eleanor Earl (1770-1853)

Thomas (1796-1867)
1821 | Laura Hopkins (1803-1853)
1855 | Sabery Ann Flint (-1865)
Waite (1798-1871)
| (-)

George Sisson, III, was born March 22, 1768 in Portsmouth, RI. On December 1, 1795 he married Eleanor Earl(e), daughter of Thomas and Ruth (Wenton) Earl. They were married in Portsmouth by William Anthony, Justice. Eleanor was born August 13, 1770. The family lived in Albany County, NY. George and Eleanor had two children, and adopted their daughter Waite's son, Noel E.

Thomas, born September 5, 1796 is discussed on page 265.

Waite, born December 3, 1798 is discussed on page 265.

George died February 1, 1837. Eleanor died March 31, 1853. Both died in Berne, NY, and are buried in the Turner Cemetery, West Mountain, in Berne.

References: (7) 4:41, 97; (11) Vol. II, p.4.

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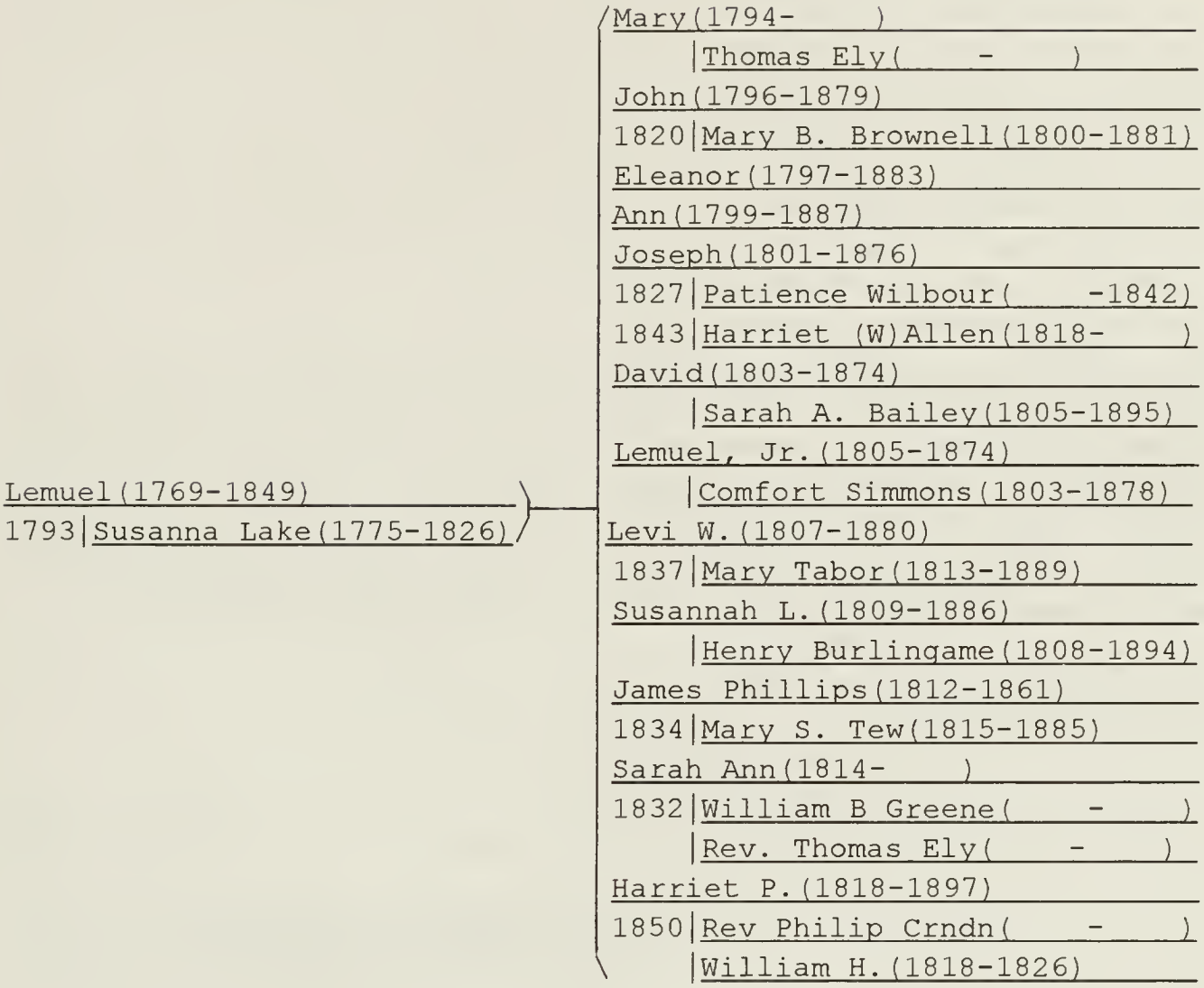
Lemuel [6]

Richard [1], George [2], Richard [3], Richard, Jr. [4], Mary [5] page 60



Lemuel Sisson was born April 21, 1769 in Portsmouth, RI. He was a tenant farmer. On September 29, 1793 he married Susanna Lake, daughter of David Lake. They were married in Portsmouth by Gideon Dennis, Justice. Susanna was born April 28, 1775 in Portsmouth. In 1812 they moved to Newport and in 1816 to Little Compton, RI. Lemuel and Susanna had thirteen children, all but the last two born in Portsmouth:

Mary was born October 1, 1794. She married Thomas Ely. She was baptized a Methodist July 7, 1821 in her father's home.

John, born January (July) 23, 1796 is discussed on page 266.

Eleanor was born November 25, 1797. She was not married, died March 29, 1883 and is buried in the Little Compton Cemetery.

Ann(a) was born February 4, 1799. She also was not married, died March 1, 1887 and is buried in the Little Compton Cemetery.

Joseph, born February 12, 1801 is discussed on page 267.

David, born February 14, 1803 is discussed on page 267.

Lemuel, Jr., born May 27, 1805 is discussed on page 268.

Levi W., born March 19, 1807 is discussed on page 268.

Susannah L. was born March 10, 1809. She married Henry Burlingame, who was born in 1808. Susannah died June 24, 1886 in Little Compton. Henry died in 1894.

James Phillips, born June 24, 1812 is discussed on page 269.

Sarah Ann was born January 9, 1814. On May 20, 1832 she married William B. Greene. They were married by Elder James A. McKensie. She married second Rev. Thomas Ely [possibly her sister Mary's widower?]. Ref: (7).

Harriet P. was born January 19, 1818 in Little Compton. In 1850 she married Rev. Philip Crandon of Warwick. Harriet died April 5, 1897 in Little Compton.

William H. was born January 19, 1818 in Little Compton, a twin to Harriet. William died March 26, 1826.

Lemuel and Susanna are mentioned in her father's will dated 1819. In 1820 Lemuel organized Methodist meetings in his home. He was baptized July 7, 1821 in their home, along with Job Sisson, probably his uncle. Property in Little Compton was conveyed by Alexander R. Brownell to Lemuel, Lemuel Jr., Joseph and John. Lemuel's portion was divided between the remaining children at his death. Susanna died February 29, 1826 in Little Compton; Lemuel died April 25, 1849 in Seaconnet Point, RI; both are buried in the Little Compton Cemetery.

References: (7) 4:41, 97; (11) Vol. IV, pp.10, 11; (14) Vol. 10, p.306; (89) Vol. III, p. 200; (205); (206).

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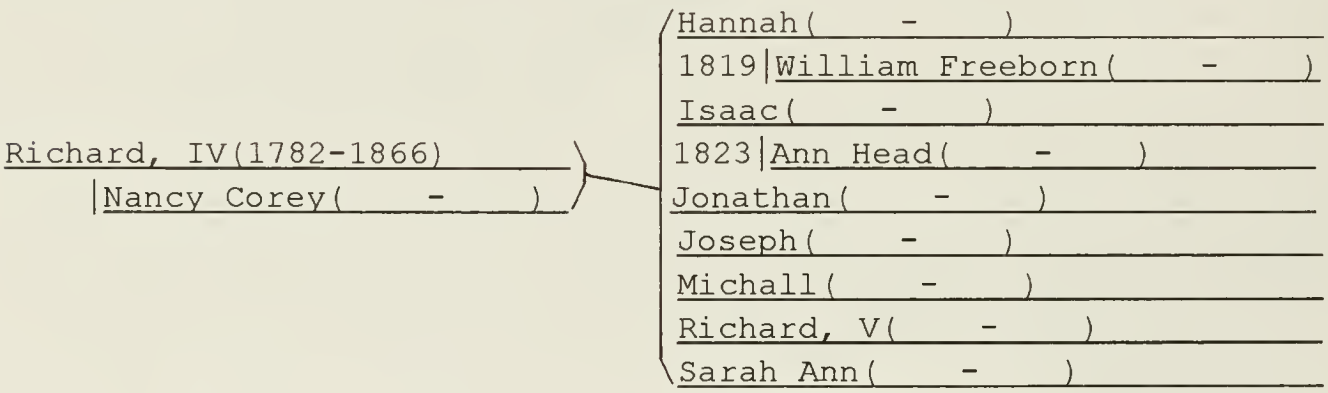
Richard, IV [6]

Richard [1], George [2], Richard [3], Richard [4], Richard [5] page 61



Richard Sisson, IV was born February 12, 1782 in Portsmouth, RI. He married Nancy Corey, daughter of Thomas and Hannah ( ) Corey. They had seven children:

Hannah was born about 1802. She was married in January, 1819 in Newport, RI, to William (or Henry) Freeborn. They had no children.

Isaac, born about 1804 is discussed on page 270.

Jonathan was born about 1807.

Joseph was born about 1809.

Michall was born about 1812.

Richard, V, was born about 1814.

Sarah Ann was born about 1817.

Richard and Nancy are mentioned in her father's will dated 1826. Richard died March 3, 1866 in Portsmouth, age 84 years, "a widower and pauper".

References: (7) 4:97, 18:48; (11) Vol. II, p.6; (14) Vol. 10, p.307.

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Job [6]

Richard [1], George [2], Richard [3], Richard [4], Richard [5] page 61

Job(1786-1860) = Eliz. Tabor(1786-1853)

- Job, Jr.(1808-)
  - 1834 Phebe F. Hubbard(-)
- Ruth T.(-)
  - 1830 Samuel E Sherman(1805-)
- William(-)
- Sarah(1815-)
- Eliza(-)
  - Hazard Cary(-)
- John F.(-)
  - Emily A. Smith(-)
- Frances(-)
  - Ripley(-)
- Susan(-)
  - George Talbot(-)
- Maria(-)

Job Sisson was born December 16, 1786 in Portsmouth, RI. He was a laborer. He married Elizabeth Tabor, daughter of Jeremiah Tabor. Elizabeth was born in 1786. Job and Elizabeth had nine children:

Job, Jr., born September 8, 1808 is discussed on page 271.

Ruth T. was born about 1810. On December 16, 1830 in Portsmouth she married Samuel Elam Sherman, son of Samuel E. and Grizzelle (Sisson) Sherman see page 136. Samuel was born June 15, 1805. They lived in Portsmouth and had two children: William and Susan.

William was born about 1812.

Sarah was born circa 1815 in Rhode Island. She was not married.

Eliza was born about 1818 and married Hazard Cary.

John F., born about 1820 is discussed on page 271.

Frances was born about 1822; she married Mr. Ripley.

Susan was born about 1824 and married George Talbot.

Maria was born about 1826.

Elizabeth died December 26, 1853; Job died July 12, 1860 in Portsmouth.

References: (7) 4:97, 20:330; (11) Vol. II, p.6.

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William [6]

Richard [1], George [2], Richard [3], Richard [4], Richard [5] page 61

William(1790-1884)
1815|Margaret Hrt(1791-1888)

- Samuel(1816-1894)
- William, Jr.(1818-)
- 1843|Phebe A. Esleeck(1817-1903)
- Albert A.(-)
- 1844|Jane C. Tallman(-)
- Emeline Almy(1824-1851)
- |Oliver Wilcox(-1867)
- Henry Jones(1826-)
- 1847|Eliza B. Hoar(-)
- Sarah Ann(1828-)
- 1844|Benjamin Almy(1813-1895)
- Richard(1833-)
- 1856|Almira A. Slocum(-)
- 1869|Anna M. Smith(-)
- Mary Brayton(1837-)
- 1854|Charles Gould(1812-)

William Sisson was born July 18, 1790 in Portsmouth, RI. He was a farmer and lived "on the original farm at Portsmouth". On October 4, 1815 he married Margaret Hart of Troy, MA, daughter of Samuel and Mary (Brayton) Hart. They were married in Portsmouth by William B. Canady, Justice. Margaret was born January 11, 1791 in Tiverton, RI. William and Margaret had eight children, all born in Portsmouth:

Samuel was born July 24, 1816. He was not married, and was a laborer. Samuel died October 27, 1894 in Fall River, MA.

William, Jr., born June 28, 1818 is discussed on page 272.

Albert A., born about 1820 is discussed on page 272.

Emeline Almy was born April 1, 1824. She married Oliver Wilcox. They lived in Tiverton. Emeline died June 23, 1851 in Portsmouth. She is buried in St. Mary's Cemetery. Oliver died circa 1867.

Henry Jones, born November 10, 1826 is discussed on page 273.

Sarah Ann was born October 17, 1828. In 1844 in Portsmouth she married Benjamin Almy. Benjamin was born November 28, 1813. He died February 19, 1895. Both are buried in Union Cemetery, Portsmouth.

Richard, born circa 1833 is discussed on page 273.

Mary Brayton was born July 11, 1837. On November 16, 1854 in Middleton, RI, she married Charles Gould of Boston, son of Samuel Gould. Charles was born in 1812. They had five children: Mary; Myrna; Samuel; Winnie; and Annie. The family was living in Boston in 1882.

William died December 25, 1884; Margaret died March 12, 1888. Both are buried in St. Mary's Cemetery, Portsmouth.

References: (7) 4:41, 97/8; (11) Vol. II, p.84.

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Haile Mason [6]

Richard [1], George [2], George [3], George [4], James [5] page 63

Haile Mason, Esq.(1782-1843)
1807|Deborah Lthr(1787-)

/Sarah G.(1807-1833)
1832|George B. Dean(-)
Catherine(1809-)
1827|Benjamin Barton(-)
Lydia(1811-)
1832|Stephen Mason Jr(1808-1844)
\Mary(1813-1880)

Haile Mason Sisson was born January 1, 1782 in Warren, RI. He was a farmer and we have no indication when he took the title of Esquire. On January 25, 1807 he married Deborah Cole Luther of Summerset, MA, daughter of Ezra and Mary (Sisson) Luther. [Deborah's mother was the daughter of Gilbert Sisson, see page 30.] They were married in Warren by Elder Philip Slade. Deborah was born in Swansea, MA, February 8, 1787. Haile Mason and Deborah had four children, all born in Warren:

Sarah G. was born about 1807. On January 2, 1832 in Warren she married George B. Dean of Providence. They were married there by Rev. Mr. Pickering. Sarah and George had one child: George Sisson. Sarah died June 3, 1833 in Warren "in her 27th year". She is buried in Sisson Ground on Touisset Neck. Ref: (7) 19:495.

Catherine was born about 1809. On November 25, 1827 in Warren she married Benjamin Barton, Jr. Catherine and Benjamin had four children: Caroline Frances; Rodman; Sarah; and Benjamin Haile.

Lydia was born February 21, 1811. On June 4/11, 1832 she married Stephen Mason, Jr. of Warren. They were married in Providence by Rev. Mr. Pickering. Stephen was born October 1, 1808. Lydia and Stephen had four children: James; Haile; Lydia Jane; and Henry Warren. Stephen died November 1, 1844. He is buried in the Warren Cemetery. Ref: (7) 17:476.

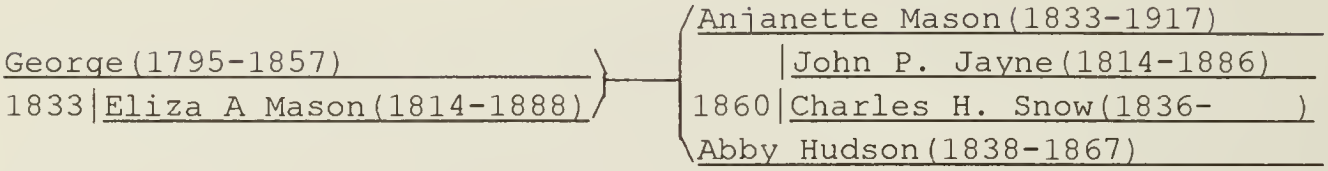
Mary was born in 1813. She was not married but had a son Silas Herbert Sisson born about 1832, who died unmarried January 13, 1876. Mary died in Warren June 11, 1880 age 67. Both are buried in the Sisson Ground.

Haile died January 25, 1843 and is buried in the Sisson Ground. His will dated January 23, recorded March 20, 1843 in Warren, Book 4, page 483 mentions wife Deborah C; daughters Catherine Barton, Lydia Mason and Mary Sisson "as long as she [Mary] remains single"; grandson George Sisson Dean "of my deceased daughter Sarah", grandson Silas Herbert Sisson of daughter Mary. Deborah, Mary and Silas are mentioned in the same household in the 1850 census.

References: (7) 6:37, 90, 18:49, 20:330; (11) Vol. II, p.87; (34) p.347; (53) p.298; (93).

George [6]

Richard [1], George [2], George [3], George [4], James [5] page 63



George Sisson was born July 22, 1795 in Warren, RI. He was a farmer in Swansey, MA. On January 13, 1833 he married Eliza Ann Mason, daughter of Benajah and Ruth (Robinson) Mason. They were married in St. Mark's Church, Warren by Rev. George W. Hathaway. Eliza was born February 21, 1814 in Swansea. George and Eliza had two children, both born in Warren:

Anjanette Mason was born November 14, 1833. She married first John P. Jayne (or Payne), captain on a whaler. John was born August 11, 1814. Anjanette and John had two sons: George Sisson, January 25, 1855 to February 5, 1856; and George Sisson, November 30, 1856 to June 27, 1858. John died August 17, 1886 and is buried in Thomas Cemetery, Swansea beside his two sons. Anjanette married second December 17, 1860 in North Providence, Charles H. Snow of Swansea, son of Edward and Mary A. Snow. He was born in 1836 in Providence. He was a carriage maker. Anjanette died June 7, 1917. She is buried in Mt. Hope Cemetery, Swansea.

Abby Hudson was born April 12, 1838. She was not married. She died January 29, 1867 and is buried in Mt. Hope Cemetery.

George died September 15, 1857. His estate was settled September 4, 1858 in Warren, Book 7, page 408. On March 1, 1864 Eliza, Jeannette M. Snow and Abby H. Sisson sold land partly in Warren and partly in Swansea. Eliza died December 28, 1888 in Providence. Both are buried in Mt. Hope Cemetery.

References: (7) 6:37, 90 & 7:90 & 8:114 & 20:330; (11) Vol. II, p.89, Vol. III, p.2.

Benoni [6]

Richard [1], George [2], George, Jr. [3], John [4], George [5] page 64

Benoni(1781-1833)
1816 Mary Meek(1799-1876)

- James Franklin(1817-1896)
  - 1839 Jane Lince(1819-1861)
  - 1862 Harriet E Pierce(1828-1929)
- Jonathan(1819-)
- Stephen(1822-1902)
  - Hannah Loundsbry(1830-1902)
- Reuben(1824-1886)
- Samuel(1826-1884)
  - Deborah Hill(-1868)
  - Mary E. Mumah(1852-)
- Benjamin(-)
- John(-1892)
  - Ingraham(-)
- Gilbert(-)

Benoni Sisson was born September 16, 1781 in Rhode Island. In 1816 he married Mary Meek, daughter of James and Mary Anne ( ) Meek. Mary was born in 1799 (or 88). Benoni and Mary had eight sons and probably daughters as well, all born in Yates County, NY:

James Franklin, born May 4, 1817 is discussed on page 274.

Jonathan was born in 1819.

Stephen, born in 1822 is discussed on page 275.

Reuben was born in 1824 and died September 7, 1886.

Samuel, born April 22, 1826 is discussed on page 276.

Benjamin was born about 1828.

John was born about 1830. He married Miss Ingraham. She died soon, without issue. John died in 1892.

Gilbert was born about 1832.

Benoni died June 20, 1833 and is buried in "Cootes" Cemetery, now "Luther Sisson" Cemetery in Jerusalem, Yates County, NY. Mary was living in Jerusalem on September 30, 1835, a widow with nine (?) children. Mary died in 1876/7.

We have no additional references.

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Jonathan [6]

Richard [1], George [2], George, Jr. [3], John [4], George [5] page 64

Jonathan(1784-1857) | Cath. Vosbinder(1787-1857)

- Sarah M.(-1820)
- Bethana(-1891) | Willam Genung(1807-1863)
- William(-) | Melssa Genung(1825-)
- George A.(1817-1867)
- David(-1850) | Charlote Cns(1828-1913)
- Joshua(1821-1867)
- Harrison(1827-1901) 1852 | Charlote Sssn(1828-1913)

Jonathan Sisson was born in 1784 in Portsmouth, Rhode Island. He was a farmer and a Quaker. The family moved to City Hill, NY, and then to Jerusalem, Yates County, NY. He was worth $4,000 in the 1850 census of Yates County. Jonathan married Catherine Vosbinder of Milo, NY. Catherine was born in 1787 in New Jersey. Jonathan fought in the War of 1812 under Aaron Remer and received 160 acres of land, lot 4, Guernsey's Survey, Jerusalem. Jonathan and Catherine had seven children:

Sarah M. was born about 1808. She died in 1820 and is buried with her parents and perhaps an infant sister [1830?] in Luther Sisson Cemetery.

Bethana was born about 1810 in Jerusalem. She married William Genung, Jr., son of William and Eunice (Angel) Genung, and brother of Melissa, her brother William's wife. William was born in 1807. They were Methodists. They moved to Italy, NY. Bethana and William had three children known, and others who died before 1873: Sarah M., born Jerusalem, married Allen B. Chase; Esther A., born Italy Hill, married Major George W. Waddel; and Carrie, July, 1852, married Edward J. Sisson, son of William and Melissa (Genung) Sisson, below [a double cousin]. William died in 1863; Bethana died in 1891. Ref: (207); (208).

William, born about 1815 is discussed on page 276.

George A. was born in 1817 in New York. He was a lumberman and lived in Addison, Steuben County, NY. George died in 1867.

David, born in Jerusalem about 1820 is discussed on page 277.

Joshua was born in 1821 in New York. He was not married and died April 21, 1867.

Harrison H., born in 1827 (or 29) in Jerusalem is discussed on page 277.

Jonathan died May 21, 1857; Catherine died June 25 of the same year. Both are buried in Cootes or Luther Sisson Cemetery in Jerusalem.

References: (94); (210) pp. 99, 613; (211).

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Luther [6]

Richard [1], George [2], George, Jr. [3], John [4], George [5] page 64

Luther (1793-1871)
1822 | Sarah M. Brown (1799-1847)
1850 | Patience (1810-)

Charles H. (1843-)
1871 | Frances Seeley (-)

Luther Sisson was born December 28, 1793 in Warren, Newport County, NY. He was among the first settlers of Milo, NY. He was a school teacher in Jerusalem, NY, starting in 1812. In 1818 he became the first inspector of common schools in the town of Milo, and in 1832 he was a justice of the peace; he was also a merchant and farmer. On February 7, 1822 he married Sarah Marie Brown of Torrey, NY. Sarah was born in 1799 in New York. Luther and Sarah had a son, born in Penn Yan, Lancaster County, NY:

Charles H. (or M.), born June 25, 1843 is discussed on page 277.

Sarah died August 17, 1847. Luther probably married second Patience ( ), born circa 1810, as recorded in the 1850 census. This is probably the Luther who was worth $7,000 in the 1850 census of Benton, Yates County, NY. Luther died January 2, 1871 at home in Dresden, NY [reported in the "Yates County Chronicle", January 5, 1871].

Reference: (212).

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Thomas [6]

Richard [1], George [2], George [3], John [4], Esek [5] page 66

Thomas (1793-1859)
| Elmira Kelly (1800-1858)

Charles S. (1835-)
| Payne (-)
Mary Vail (-)
| Shuball (-)
Elmira Kelley (-)

Thomas Sisson was born June 4, 1793 in Swansea, Bristol County, MA. He was a cooper and married Elmira Kelley of Rhode Island, daughter of Duncan Kelley. Elmira was born circa 1800. Thomas and Elmira had three children:

Charles S. was born circa 1835. He married Miss Payne. In the 1850 census he had Sarah L., 19, of Rhode Island, and Hanabel N., 14, of Rhode Island, in his household. [ed note: Charles was only 15 in 1850.]

Mary Vial was born about 1837. She married Mr. Shuball.

Elmira Kelley was born about 1839.

Elmira died in September, 1858; Thomas died September 8, 1859 in Warren.

Reference: (11) Vol. II, p.19; (41); (213) 8:563.

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Luther [6]

Richard [1], George [2], George [3], John [4], Esek [5] page 66

Luther(1796-1868)
1827|Hannah Chrch(1808-1887)

John Humphry Thompson(1828-1864)
1850|Lydia A Williams(1832-)
Luther Sabra(1829-1909)
1856|Sarah M Humphrey(1839-1903)
Hannah Church(1832-1859)
1853|George Williams(-1859)
Asa Church(1834-1925)
1854|Ellen F. Randall(1835-)
Jonathan Thomas(1836-1913)
1866|Alomie F. Ghen(1845-)
Sarah Malinda(1838-1903)
1855|Orrin B. Swift(1832-1870)
Eleanor Jones(1841-1887)
1869|Norman A. Ghen(1847-)
Henry Fones(1843-)
1869|Nellie P Boynton(-1884)
|Cora Post(-)

Luther Sisson was born February 8, 1796/7 in Swansey, Bristol County, MA. He was a machinist. On January 28, 1827 in a ceremony performed by Dr. Edward Richmond in Dorchester, MA,he married Hannah S. Church, daughter of Asa or Gideon and Hannah (Small) Church. Hannah was born October 22, 1808 in Harwich, MA. Luther and Hannah had eight children; the first two were born in Dorchester, MA, the other six in Easton:

John Humphrey Thompson, born January 26, 1828 is discussed on page 278.

Luther Sabra, born December 29, 1829 is discussed on page 278.

Hannah Church was born January 10, 1832. On May 26, 1853 in North Easton she married George Williams, son of Thaddeus and Eliza ( ) Williams. They had two children: Ira Luther, March 18, 1855 to 1862; and Luella Frances, June 27, 1858 to October 13, 1859. George died March 9, 1859. Hannah died in 1859 and is buried in Furnace Village, Easton.

Asa Church, born June 11, 1834 is discussed on page 279.

Jonathan Thomas, born June 18, 1836 is discussed on page 280.

Sarah Malinda was born May 27, 1838. On April 5, 1855 she married Orrin Brown Swift, son of Roland G. Swift. Orrin was born February 17, 1832. Sarah and Orrin had eight children: Ada Lester, March 26, 1856; Henry Rosco, May 27, 1859; Lizzie Etta, March 25, 1861; Howard O. Lewis, June 25, 1863; Edward Bradford, July 27, 1865; Freddie, July 27, 1865 to 1866; Luther Everett, November 28, 1866; and Mary Lottie, June 11, 1870. Sarah was a member of the

Eastern Star. Orrin died January 26, 1870; Sarah died December 10, 1903 in Easton.

Eleanor Jones was born November 1, 1841. On November 3, 1869 she married Norman A. Ghen, son of Ephraim and Mary (Collins) Ghen. Norman was born August 31, 1847 in Provincetown, MA. They had four children: Minnie Collins, June 16, 1870; Edith Sisson, March 19, 1873 to August 20, 1873; Lena Church, April 26, 1875, married Samuel Cheatham; and Elmer Russell, February 7, 1882. Eleanor died December 20, 1887 in Easton and is buried in Furnace Village.

Henry Fones, born October 31, 1843/7 is discussed on page 280.

Luther died April 25, 1868; Hannah died April 13, 1887. Both died in Easton, MA. They are buried in Furnace Village.

References: (11) Vol. II, p.19; (41); (54); (99); (162) 16:517; (214); (215); (216).

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Jonathan [6]

Richard [1], George [2], George [3], John [4], Gardiner [5] page 67

Jonathan (1790-1865)
Abigail (1800-1884)

- Bethany A. (1834-)
- Elnora (1835-)
- 1856 Caleb D. Mayhew (1831-)
- Alfred Pearce (1836-1857)
- 1857 Catherine Collns (1839-)
- George (1838-)
- Esther Woodmansee (1840-)
- 1856 Henry Doty (-)
- Gardiner Woodmansee (1841-)
- 1859 Ellen Burke (-)
- 1865 Isadore F A Goff (-)
- 1882 Amanda Peterson (-)
- Nathan (1842-)

Jonathan Sisson was born in 1790 in Warren, RI. He was a wheelwright and married Abigail ( ) of Rhode Island. "Abby" was born September 3, 1800. Jonathan and Abby had seven children, all born in Rhode Island:

Bethany A. was born circa 1834; she has also been reported as born 1824.

Elnora was born in 1835 in North Kingston. On July 4, 1856 in Warren she married Caleb D. Mayhew, son of David and Cynthia ( ) Mayhew of Martha's Vineyard. Caleb was born in 1831.

Alfred Pearce was born January 23, 1836 in Warren. On September 17, 1857 in Bristol he married Catherine Collins. Catherine was born in 1839 in Scotland. Alfred died December 7, 1857 in Bristol.

George was born circa 1838.

Esther Woodmansee was born February 8, 1840 in Bristol. She married November 24, 1856 in Bristol Henry Doty, son of Simeon and Hannah Luther (Ingraham) Doty.

Gardiner Woodmansee was born in 1841 in Warren. He married first July 9, 1859 in Providence Ellen Burke. He married second September 19, 1865 in Providence Isadore F. A. Goff. Ref: (217) p.450. He married third June 6, 1882 in Fall River, MA, Amanda Peterson.

Nathan was born circa 1842. This could be the Nathaniel A. born 1843 in North Kingston, RI, son of "John" of Newport, RI.

Jonathan died April 23, 1865 in Warren, age 76 years. Abby died January 3, 1884 in Bristol.

References: (11) Vol. II, p.90; (14) Vol. 9, p.220.

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James [6]

Richard [1], George [2], George [3], Gilbert [4], Isaac [5] page 68

James(1798-1824) ⎫ ⎧Hannah Luther(1824-)
1822 Betsey Anthony(1792-) ⎭ ⎩1841 Mervin Chance(-)

James Sisson was born September 21, 1798. This James has been assigned also to Isaac [5] p 63; the reference simply says "James, son of Isaac". On December 1, 1822 in Summerset he married Betsey Anthony, daughter of Gardner and Sarah (Slade) Anthony. Betsey was born July 2, 1792. James and Betsey had a daughter:

Hannah Luther was born February 12, 1824 in Fall River, MA. On October 25, 1841 there she married Mervin A. Chance.

James died September 22, 1824 "age 27" in Swansea. His estate was probated in 1825, inventory $154.97. After his death Betsey married second John Livesey.

Reference: (7) Vol 14, p.274: "Providence Gazette".

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George [6]

Richard [1], George [2], George [3], Gilbert [4], Isaac [5] page 68

George(1801-1876) ⎫ ⎧Harriet(1828-)
1825|Ann Anthony(1801-1859) ⎭ | 1854|William Sandeen(1828-)
1867|Abby(W)Allen(1816-1891) | Mary Maria(1829-)
| 1866|Charles P Lamb(-)
| Caroline K(1831-)
| |Edwin Abbott(-)
| Elizabeth(1833-)
⎩1864|Philip Roberts(1835-)

George Sisson was born September 27, 1801 in Swansea, MA. He married first on November 15, 1825 in Swansea Ann Maria Anthony, daughter of Gardner and Sarah (Slade) Anthony and sister of his brother James's wife. Ann was born November 5, 1801. George and Ann had four daughters, all born in Fall River, MA:

Harriet was born January 30, 1828. On June 5, 1854 in Fall River she married William H. Sandeen, son of Ezra and Sarah ( ) Sandeen. William was born in 1828 in Palmyra, NY.

Mary Maria was born October 8, 1829. On January 17, 1866 in Warren, RI, she married Charles P. Lamb, son of Lyman and Leona ( ) Lamb of Providence.

Caroline K. was born September 24, 1831. She married Edwin Abbott.

Elizabeth was born October 22, 1833. On March 2, 1864 in Fall River she married Philip Roberts, son of William and Elizabeth ( ) Roberts. Philip was born in 1835 in England.

On December 12, 1843 George sold 100 acres in Swansea which he inherited from his father Isaac. Ann died February 14, 1859 in Fall River and is buried in Oak Grove Cemetery. George married second in Fall River April 2, 1867 Abby (Welch) Allen as her second husband. Abby was born April 2, 1816. George died June 19, 1876; Abby died April 18, 1891. Both are buried in Oak Grove Cemetery. George's will dated April 20, 1869 proved July 14, 1876 Fall River Book 187, page 72 mentions wife Abby, daughters Harriet Sandeen, Mary Maude? Lamb, Caroline Abbott and Elizabeth Roberts. His inventory July 22, 1876 was $3717.21.

Reference: (11) Vol. II, pp.94-5.

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Freeborn, Jr. [6]

Richard [1], George [2], George [3], Gideon [4], Freeborn [5] page 69

Freeborn, Jr.(1810-1864)
1832 | Henrtta Blsh(1811-1857)

- Charles Trott(1833-)
  - 1855 | Stella Peironnet(1836-1896)
- Edward Freeborn(1839-)
  - | Jennie Sublette(-)
- Jane Maxwell(1845-)
  - 1864 | Sidney van Dusen(-)
- Oscar Pratt(1852-)

Freeborn Sisson, Jr. was born April 17, 1810 in Warren, RI. A brother Freeborn was born in 1808 but died young. On June 30, 1832 in Philadelphia, PA, he married Henrietta Blish, daughter of Joseph, VI, and Mehitable (Freeman) Blish. They were married by the Rev. Mr. Alden. Henrietta was born November 23, 1811 in Maine. In 1832 they moved to Tioga County, NY, where he was a merchant and was involved in several land transactions. The family is listed in the Salisbury, LaSalle County, IL, 1850 census. Freeborn was a soap maker at 603 State Street and lived at 506 State Street in Chicago,

IL, in 1859-60; he left Chicago in 1860. Freeborn and Henrietta had four children:

Charles Trott was born in 1833 and moved to Waco, TX. He is discussed on page 281.

Edward Freeborn was born in 1839 in Gasconade County, MO. He married Jennie Sublette in Columbus, KY. Edward was also a soap manufacturer in Chicago in 1869. In 1870 he was in sales with Henry Thomas and Company. He was a manufacturer of powder in 1874-5; he lived at 595 Wabash in Chicago from 1868 to 1875. [The soap manufacturer may have been his uncle Edward, Freeborn Jr's brother.]

Jane Maxwell "Jennie" was born in April 16, 1845 in Ray County, MO. On August 24, 1864 in Jo Daviess County, IL, she married Sidney Clark Van Dusen. Sidney was administrator of Freeborn's estate. Jane's brother Charles was associated with Van Dusen and Sisson in Chicago in 1869. The family lived in Chattanooga, TN.

Oscar Pratt was born in 1852. He was an actor.

Henrietta died February 6, 1857 at their estate "Fairview" in Warren Township, Jo Daviess County, IL. Freeborn died August 25, 1864 in Warren, leaving no will and no widow. "The property of said estate consists of personal property only worth about $440, being money due from parties in Rhode Island." Documents name children: Charles T. Sisson, Edward F. Sisson, Jane M. van Dusen, and Oscar P. Sisson. His estate was administered by his son-in-law Sidney van Dusen. Documents also indicate funeral expenses of: one coffin, $40; one box for same, $3; digging grave, $1.50; carriage hire, $12.50; doct. bill, $125; nursing, $50; shroud and incidentals, $10.

References: (7) 6:90; (218); (219) 1859-1898; (220) 1832; (221) Book 9, pp.256 & 500, 1832/3.

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John(1769-1848)
1789|Mary J Jones(1771-1862)
1815|Mercy Vorce(-1849)

John, Jr.(1790-1859)
|Betsey Buckman(1796-1870)
Anna(-)
|H. Washburn(-)
Zuba(-)
|H. Maynard(-)
Reuben J.(1797-)
1820|Rebecca Pratt(-)
Hiram(1803-1865)
1824|Eliza Johnson(1809-1888)
Zera(1805-1888)
|Rhoda Vorce(1806-1859)
|Martha (1808-1865)
|Julia (1834-)
Hulda(1810-)
|Silas Buckman(1809-)
George Washington(1813-1858)
1834|Sally A Scofield(1809-1868)

John Sisson was born in 1769 (or 67) in Hoosic, NY. In 1789 he married Mary J. "Polly" Jones, daughter of Zebulon, Jr., and Mary (Cooley) Jones. Mary was born September 20, 1771 in Somers, Tolland County, CT, (also reported as Vermont). In 1792 the family moved to Cornwall, VT, and in 1805 to Crown Point, Essex County, NY. John and Mary had eight children:

John, Jr., born in 1790 in Hoosick is discussed on page 282.

Anna was born about 1792 in New York. She married H. Washburn and moved to Canton, Bradford County, PA.

Azuba (or Zuba) was born about 1794 in New York. She married Herman Maynard. Legal papers from her father's estate were sent [to her] in Severan, Essex County, NY.

Reuben J., born in 1797 in Cornwall is discussed on page 284.

Hiram, born January 28, 1803 in Cornwall is discussed on page 285.

Zera, born September 10, 1805 in Crown Point is discussed on page 286.

Hulda was born in November 17, 1810 in Crown Point. She married Silas (or Cyrus) Buckman. Silas was born in 1809 in New Hampshire. They lived in Severan. He is mentioned in Crown Point assessor's rolls in 1835, which also list a Polly Sisson, a widow born in 1771 in Vermont [she was actually born in Somers, CT], in the household [ed. Mary Jones, her mother]. Hulda and Silas had seven children, all born in Crown Point: George, 1833; Feonlis, 1834; Oscar W., 1837; Augusta, 1839; Ira "Ahiry" 1845; Harriet A/F, 1848; and Almeda Elliott, 1849 [but she is not listed in the 1850 census]. Refs: (222) 1850 and 1860.

George Washington, born in 1813 in New York is discussed on page 287.

Apparently Mary (Jones) Sisson left the family between 1813 and 1815. Mary is reported as having married second Mr. Eaton. She died December 3, 1862 and is buried in Ironville Cemetery, Crown Point; her headstone states both John and Mary [ED: Mary was a very interesting person. A more complete report of her activities is given in reference (228)]. In 1815 John married Mercy Ann ( ) Vorce, widow of Sgt. Thomas Vorce. Mercy Ann was probably born in 1773, although one family Bible states 1760. Mercy Ann had ten children with Thomas Vorce: Sally, who married a Mr. Tyler; Harvey; Hannah; Naomi; Rhoda, 1806 (who married Zera Sisson above); William, 1807; Ann, who married Mr. Clark; George Washington, 1810; David W., 1812; and Asa M., 1814.

In 1830 John and Mercy moved to Edinboro, PA. In 1838 John and Mercy purchased land in the town of Washington for $500 (Vol. L, p.481). In 1848 they sold a portion of this land to Asa P. Sisson for $200 (Vol. T, p.153). John died November 8, 1848. Erie, PA vital records show "Sisson, Mrs. John [Mercy] died in McKean January 21, 1849. Mrs. Sisson, widow of John Sisson, mother-in-law [sic] of Asa Vorce, age 70(?)...." Mercy is buried in Golden Cemetery, one-half mile from the intersection of Route 99 and _____, Edinboro, PA.

References: (222) 1810 & 1820; (223) 1790; (224) 1800; (225) 1830; (226); (227); (228) pp.8-13.

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Samuel, Jr. [6]

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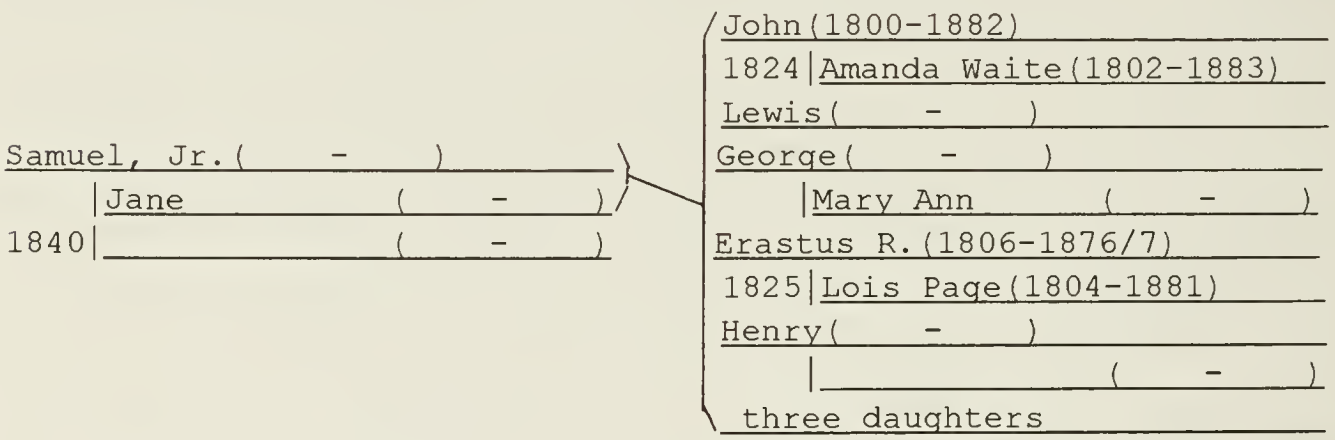

Samuel Sisson, Jr., was born about 1775, in Hoosick, Rensselaer County, NY. He married first Jane ( ). Jane was born about 1780 in New York. Samuel, a farmer, was named in a land grant in 1796 in Unadilla, NY. They lived in Tioga County, NY, in 1800; in Germantown, NY, in 1810; in Pennfield, NY, in 1820. They moved from Otsego County, NY, in 1824 to Charlotte, Chautauqua County, NY, then in 1840 to Jackson County, MI, with four youngest sons. Samuel and Jane had five sons and three daughters; we do not know the names of the daughters:

John, born in Otsego County January 1, 1800 is discussed on page 288.

Lewis was born about 1802 in Unadilla; in 1825 he went to Dunkirk, NY, and then in 1842 to Jackson, MI, with his three brothers.

George, born about 1804 in Albany County, NY, is discussed on page 289.

Erastus R., born circa 1806 in Milford, Albany County is discussed on page 290.

Henry, born about 1812 in Albany County is discussed on page 291.

Samuel married second in 1840. We do not know the name of his second wife. Samuel died in Michigan.

Reference: (229).

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John, Jr. [6]

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John, Jr.(1773-)
1793|Hannah Grdnr(1770-1833)

Alcha Olive(1794-1873)
|David Osborne(1790-)
William(-)
1817|Ellen Crandall(-)
Lydia(1799-)
|Aaron Osborne(-)
Daniel Higby(1800-1878)
1821|Sarah M. Eves(1805-1892)
Zenas L.(1803-1881)
1826|Eliz. (M) Basstt(1807-1895)
Trypenna(-)
1820|David Herron(1800-)
Hannah(-)
|Jacob Paget(-)
|James Riley(-)
Mary "Polly"(1811-1869)
1829|John Murphy(1806-)
John, III(1812-)
1834|Delia Young(1806-)
Pamelia(-1849)
1830|Elisha Sisson(1813-)

John Sisson, Jr., was born June 20, 1773 in Hoosic, NY. He was an ensign in the Westerly County Militia under Capt. Henry Wells in June, 1792. He became a captain in 1795. Circa 1793 he married Hannah Gardner, daughter of Nathan and Hannah (Thompson) Gardner. Hannah was born in 1770. The family moved to Longbottom, Meigs

County, OH, circa 1814 and then to Vevay, IN, circa 1818. John and Hannah had ten children, probably all born in Unadilla, NY:

Alcha Olive was born August 1, 1794. She married David Osborne, son of Josiah and Hannah (Scott) Osborne. David was born June 19, 1790. Alcha and David had ten children, all born in Chester: Cyrus, 1816; Zenus, 1818, married Eliza I.; child; child; Conrad David, 1824, married Mary; John Sisson, 1828; child; Daniel, 1832; Lewis Waller, 1836; and Mary, 1839. Alcha died July 13, 1873 in Chester, OH. Ref: (130) 1860 p.143 [also in household, David Osborne, age 12, born Iowa].

William, born about 1796 is discussed on page 291.

Lydia was born in 1799; she married Aaron Osborne, brother to David above. The family moved to Longbottom. Lydia and Aaron had eight children, the first two born in Ohio, the remainder born in Indiana: Aaron, Jr., 1817; Daniel; Moses, 1824; Cyrus; Almira, 1833; John M., 1837; Lydia; and Jane.

Daniel Higby, born December 22, 1800 is discussed on page 292.

Zenus L., born January 29, 1803 is discussed on page 294.

Tryphenna was born about 1805. On July 17, 1820 in Vevay, she married David (Abiah?) Herron. David was born July 17, 1800.

Hannah was born about 1807. She married first Jacob Paget and second James Riley.

Mary "Polly" was born in 1811. On September 17, 1829 in Vevay, she married John Murphy. John was born in 1806. He was a farmer with $2,000 real estate and $500 personal property value in 1860. Mary and John eight children, all born in Indiana: George, 1831; Francis H., 1835; Jesse, 1837, married Eliza; Lucinda, 1840, married Mr. Works; Hannah, 1842; John M/H, 1845; Marida, 1853; and Indiana, 1856. Mary died March 10, 1869 in Bennington. Refs: (231); (232) 1860 p.116 [with Lucinda Works, age 20, in the household].

John, III, born circa 1812 is discussed on page 295.

Pamelia (or Parmelia) was born about 1814. On August 15, 1830 in Vevay, she married Elisha Sisson, son of Simeon and Susan (Potter) Sisson, see page 311; her father John, Jr., consented to the marriage. Elisha was born circa 1813. Pamelia and Elisha had nine children, all born in Meigs County. Pamelia died April 8, 1849 and is buried in Temple Cemetery, Meigs County, OH. Ref: Marriage license granted August 12.

John, Jr. is reported to have died circa 1822, but he gave verbal consent to daughter Pamelia's marriage, and had several land dealings in Switzerland County after 1822. Hannah died July 8, 1833 in Bennington, IN. She is buried near there.

References: (35); (233).

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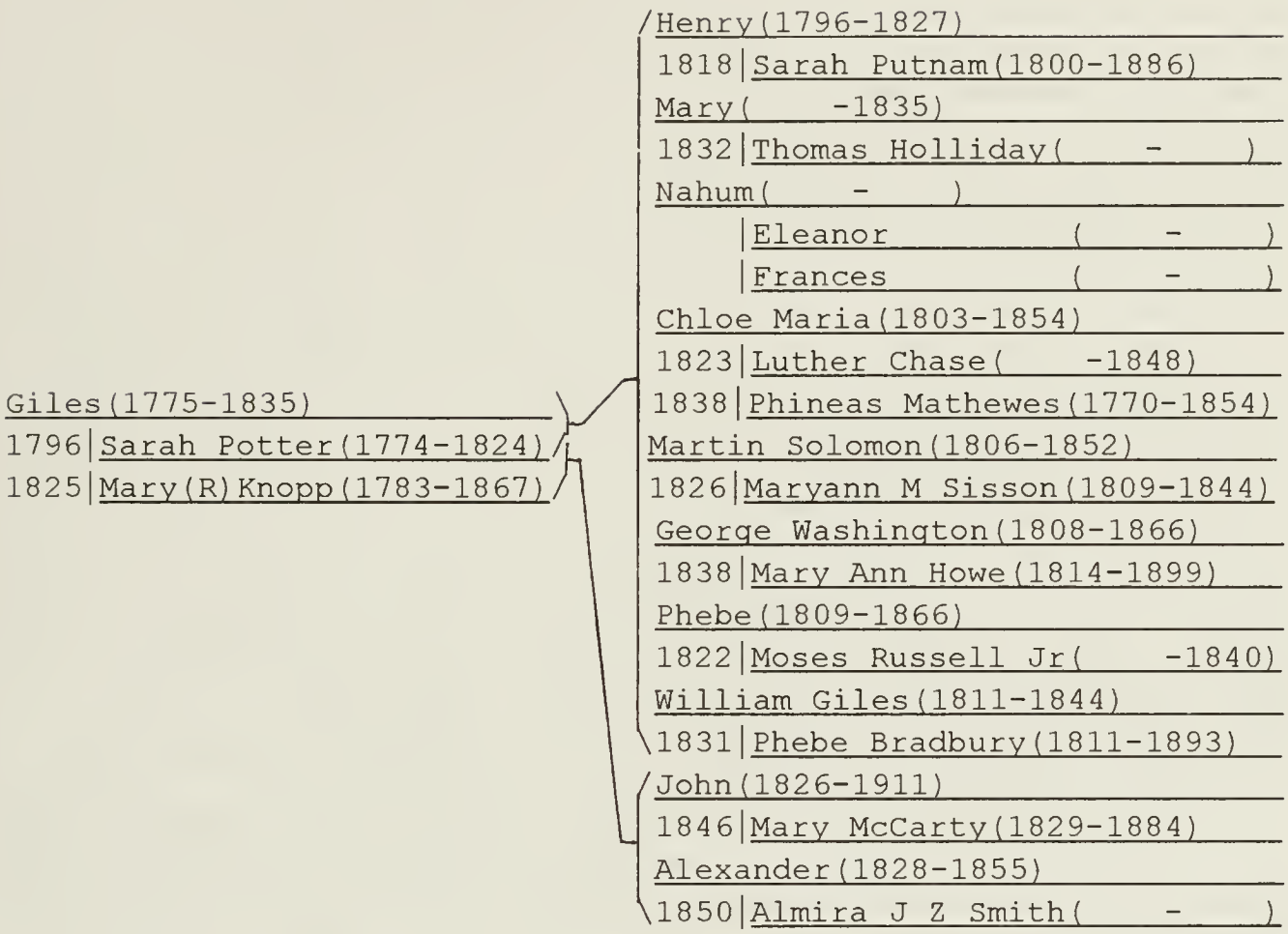

Giles Sisson was born April 12, 1775 in Unadilla, Otsego County, NY. Circa 1796 in Dutchess County, NY, he married Sarah "Sally" Potter. Sarah is the sister of Susanna Potter, wife of his younger brother Simeon; we do not know their parents. Sarah was born April 7, 1774 in Dutchess County. In 1800 Giles lived in Unadilla with one son. Sarah had a great longing for the "lovely region" near Lake Seneca, NY, where she had lived at one time; this is confirmed by a letter written by Giles (July 14, 1811) to Mary (Potter) Birdsall, Sarah's sister. The letter is written from Reading, Steuben County, NY, and speaks of the beauty of their surroundings, the health of his wife Sarah, and the birthing of a son. In 1817 the family moved to Chester, Gallia County, OH. In 1803 Giles was deeded 60 acres by his father John. He sold this land in 1813 to his brother Aaron. On July 3, 1813 he sold 30 acres in Unadilla to Aaron Sisson for $300. Giles and Sarah had eight children; all but the last was born in Unadilla:

Henry, born April 7, 1796 is discussed on page 296.

Mary was born about 1798. On November 11, 1832 she married Thomas L. Holliday of Galliopolis, OH. They were married by Rev. David Smithers. Mary and Thomas had twins who died young and a son John. Mary died in 1835. Ref: (234) Vol. 1, p.221.

Nahum, born about 1801 is discussed on page 297.

Chloe Maria was born March 15, 1803. On August 10, 1823, she married Luther Case, a widower with no children, from Connecticut; they were married by Rev. David Smithers. Chloe and Luther had three children: Giles, May 30, 1825 to December 27, 1848, married Clarissa Mackaboy; Henry, died young; and Lucy, married John Berry. Luther died December 27, 1848 in Galliopolis [same date as son Giles?]. Chloe and Luther were apparently separated, for on August 5, 1838 Chloe married second Phineas Mathews. Phineas was born in July of 1770. Chloe and Phineas had two children: Luther Increase, July 31, 1839 who became a doctor in Carthage, MO; and Sarah Abigail, October 16, 1841 who married Mr. Rogers. Chloe died March 18, 1854; Phineas died April 2 of the same year. Ref: (234) Vol. 1, p.123.

Martin Solomon, born July 14, 1806 is discussed on page 297.

George Washington, born May 26, 1808 is discussed on page 298.

Phebe was born in 1809. On November 3, 1822 in Gallia County, she married Moses Russell, Jr.; they were married by Rev. David Smithers. Phebe and Moses had nine children: Milton; Helen, married Mr. Hamilton; Horace, who was in the Civil War and died in California; twins Owen D. who was also in the Civil War, and Mary, who married Mr. Ingalls; Harriet, married Mr. Perry; William A., also in the Civil War; Savanus; and Eliza. Moses died circa 1840 in Salem Township, Meigs County, OH, and is buried in Strong Cemetery. In 1855 the family moved to Indianola, IA. Phebe died February 28, 1866. Ref: (234) Vol. 1, p.116.

William Giles, born May 26, 1811 is discussed on page 299.

Sarah died August 5, 1824 in Meigs County and is buried in the Putnam Burial Ground below Silver Run, OH. On June 26, 1825 Giles married Mary Magdalena(?) (Roush) Knopp, daughter of Philip and Catherine ( ) Roush. Mary was born June 4, 1783 in Virginia. Giles and Mary had two children:

John, born August 12, 1826 is discussed on page 300.

Alexander, born January 5, 1828 in Glens Falls, NY, is discussed on page 301.

Giles died in May, 1835; Mary died March 23, 1867 in Cheshire. Both are buried in Roush Cemetery in Cheshire Township. Some of the stones, but not bodies, were moved later from this cemetery to Gravel Hill Cemetery.

References: Marriage certificate of Giles and Mary; Letter belonging to Mrs. Hobart, a descendent of Mary Birdsall; (235); (236) 1820; (237); (238).

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Wilson Crandall [6]

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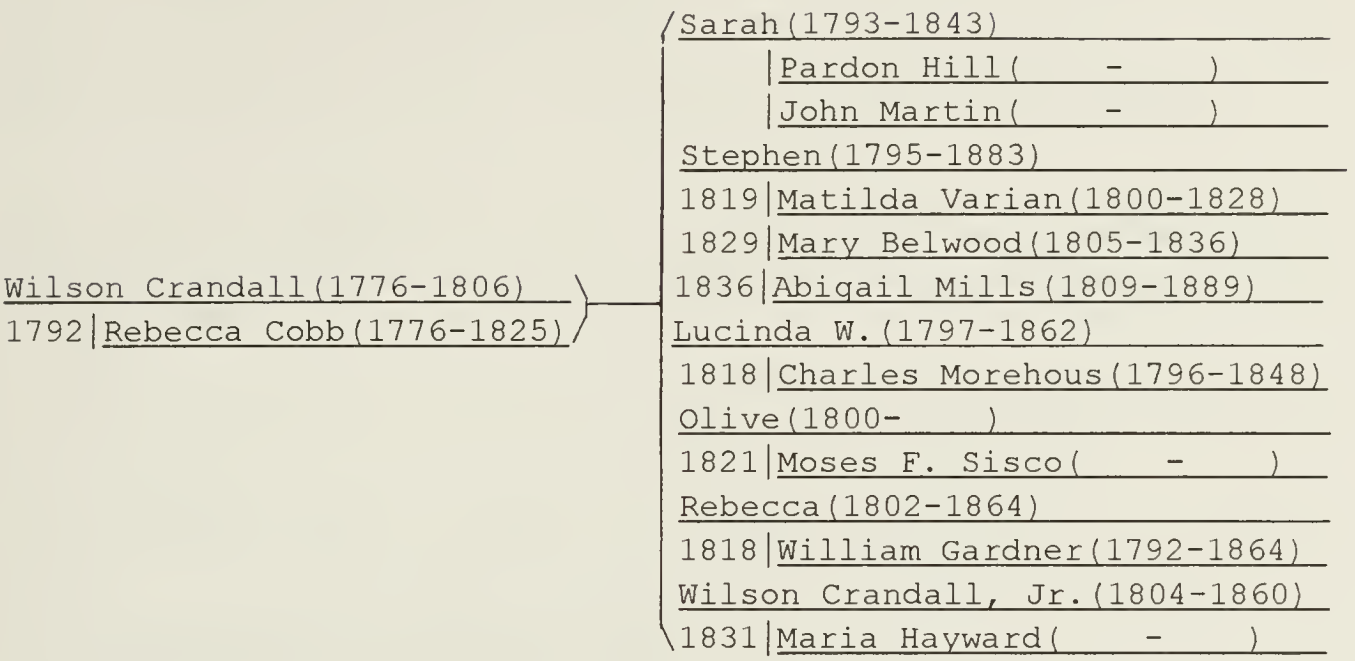

Wilson Crandall Sisson was born May 21, 1776 in Unadilla, NY. In 1792 he married Rebecca Cobb, daughter of Stephen, Jr., and Olive (Armsbury) Cobb. Stephen Cobb is a Mayflower descendent by Howland and Tilley. Rebecca was born August 22, 1776. Wilson was deeded land by his father John in 1803. Wilson and Rebecca had six children, probably all born Otsego County, NY:

Sarah was born May 6, 1793. She married first Pardon Hill and second John Martin. Sarah and Pardon had two children: Lucretia, who married Mr. Phelps and moved to Illinois; and Nathan Henry. Sarah and John had three children: James, who moved to Illinois; George, who moved to West Virginia; and Fanny, who married Mr. Smith.

Stephen, born January 30, 1795 is discussed on page 302.

Lucinda W. was born March 5, 1797. On June 23, 1818 in Gallia County, OH, she married Charles S. Morehouse; they were married by Samuel Barlow, J.P. Charles was born in 1796. Lucinda and Charles had seven children: Sarah, September 11, 1820, married Mr. Sawyers; Mary, February 28, 1822, married Mr. Guinn; Edward; Rachel C., March 18, 1823, married Mr. Parker; Elnathan B., January 1, 1831; Daniel W., May 18, 1835, married Miss Owen; and a child who died young. Charles died November 23, 1848 in Connecticut, NH. Lucinda died November 23, 1862 in Porter, OH. Ref: (234) Vol. 1, p.77.

Olive was born June 16, 1800. On January 18, 1821 in Gallia County, she married Moses "Francis" Sisco; they were married by Jacob Young, J.P. Ref: (234) Vol. 1, p.99.

Rebecca was born February 22, 1802. On August 26, 1818 she married William Gardner, son of Nathan and Martha (Thompson) Gardner. William was born in 1792. The family moved to Ohio in 1820. They had thirteen children: Stephen Sisson, April 18, 1819 to July 11, 1830; Hester Ann, April, 1820, married Mr. Fillmore; William Lewis, October, 1822, married Miss Beard; Almira, April,

1824, married Mr. Fillmore; Mary, October, 1826, married Mr. Kerr; Perrin, May 11, 1828, married Miss Walker; Silas, January, 1830; Wilson, July, 1832; Rebecca, March, 1834; Charlotte, May, 1836; Sihon, May, 1841; Elliott, August, 1844 to 1885; and Samuel, July, 1846. Both Rebecca and William died September 13, 1864, she fifteen minutes after he.

Wilson Crandall, Jr., born March 2, 1804 is discussed on page 303.

Wilson, Sr. died March 10, 1806 in Unadilla. His widow Rebecca married Rufus Hill, was divorced, and moved to Ohio in 1810 or 16. Rufus Hill was convicted in 1808 of killing his [former?] wife's youngest child. Rebecca died August 29, 1825 in Galliopolis.

We have no further references.

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Aaron [6]

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Aaron(1780-1865)
1803|Mary Sisson(1787-1857)

- Samuel(1806-1889)
  - 1827|Harriet Cole(1806-1889)
- Ann(1806-)
  - |Stephen Egnor(-)
- Christopher T.(1808-1892)
  - 1831|Nancy Burras(1811-1885)
- Rosemond(1811-)
  - |Henry Hitt(-)
- Putnam(1813-)
  - |Sally Merriman(1814-1859)
  - |Esther Perry(1822-1898)
- Theodore H.(1815-1872)
  - |Charlotta (-)
  - |Nancy Eggleston(1817-1880)
- Alanson(1817-1891)
  - 1841|Maria Earle(1819-1905)
- Alvin(1822-)
  - |Miriam Morse(1823-1853)
- Sarah Ann(1825-1872)
  - 1844|Willis Le Suer(1824-1908)
- Harriet(-1891)
  - |Charles H. Earl(1829-1916)

Aaron Sisson was born September 4, 1780 in Hoosic, NY. In 1803 he married Mary "Polly" Sisson, daughter of Samuel and Lucy ( ) Sisson, his first cousin, see page 72. Mary was born in Unadilla, NY, July 11, 1787. Aaron was a farmer, a "Jackson Democrat", and a Baptist. He was involved in several land transactions from 1813 through 1820 in Unadilla. The 1850 census of

Unadilla says both Aaron and Mary were born in Massachusetts. They came to Otsego County circa 1807 and owned the homestead after his father John died. Aaron was named executor of his father's estate in 1818 along with his brother Wright. Aaron and Mary had ten children, probably all born in Unadilla:

Samuel, born August 16, 1806 is discussed on page 304.

Ann was also born August 16, 1806. She married Stephen Egnor and had one daughter, Harriet, who married Mr. Grary. Later in life Ann lived with her sister Rosemund and died there.

Christopher T., born July 5, 1808 is discussed on page 305.

Rosemund (or Rosemond) was born in 1811. She married Henry Hitt and moved to McClane, Erie County, PA. Rosemund and Henry had two children: Florence, who married George Crandall; and Frank Forest, who died young. They have also been reported as having a third child, Fanny, who married Mr. Morrison.

Putnam (or Putman), born circa 1813 is discussed on page 306.

Theodore H., born January 28, 1815 is discussed on page 308.

Alanson, born March 10, 1817 is discussed on page 309.

Alvin, born circa 1822 is discussed on page 310.

Sarah Ann was born February 14, 1825. On October 26, 1844 she married Willis Le Suer, son of John and Nancy (Potter) Le Suer. Willis was born November 24, 1824. Sarah and Willis had three sons: John Henry, March 31, 1848 to December 21, 1911, married Elva Teresa Francis; Charles Aaron, November 11, 1849 to March 11, 1930, married first Sarah Jane Lockwood, and second Amanda Melvina Manross; and Frederick, January 21, 1864 to March 17, 1944, married Hannah Ada Fuller. Sarah Ann died February 14, 1872; Willis died February 2, 1908 in Edinboro, PA.

Harriet was born September 18, about 1829. She married Charles H. Earl. Charles was born March 10, 1829. Harriet and Charles had four children: Eva, September 18, 1854, to March 13, 1919, married in 1875, Charles Smith; Frederick, 1862, married Josephine Palmer; Frank, twin to Frederick, died May 24, 1832, married first Effie Patterson, and second Etta Drake Page; and Arthur, May, 1870 to January 25, 1937, married first Olive Doolittle, and second Miss Jackson. Harriet died November 17, 1891; Charles died February 17, 1916.

Mary died January 27, 1857; Aaron died May 29, 1865; they are buried in the Sisson Family Cemetery.

References: Will of son Samuel; (104) [with some differences]; (239) 1850; (240).

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Wright [6]

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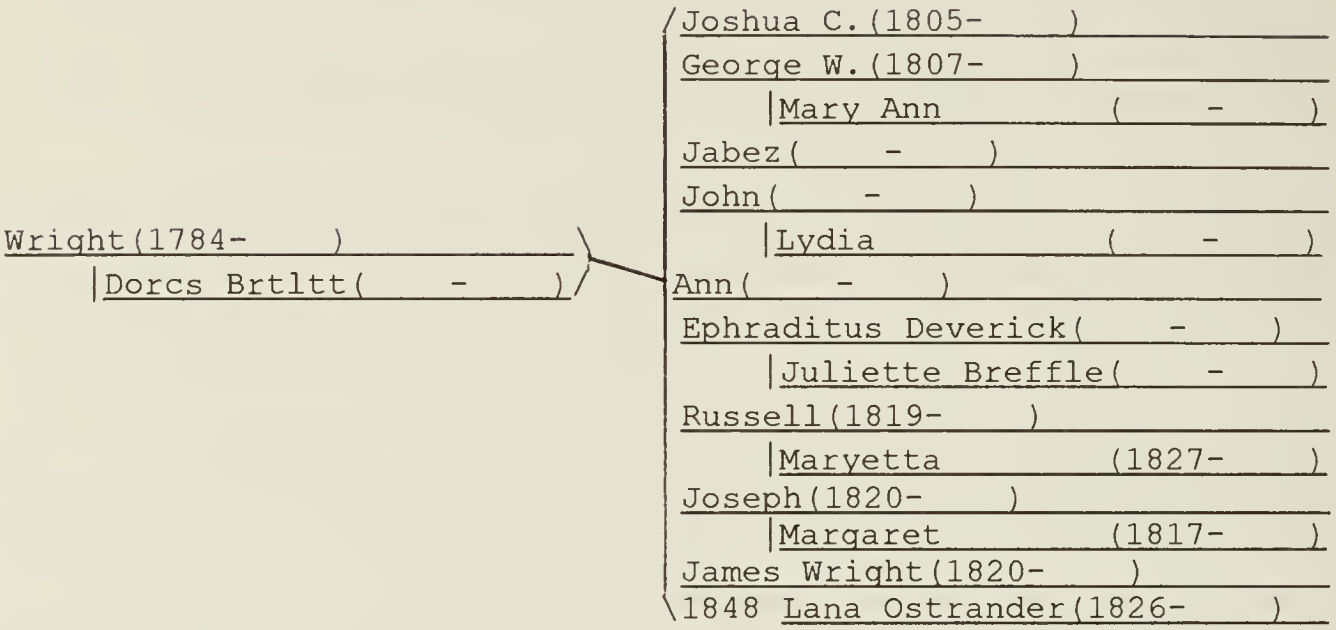

Wright Sisson was born December 8, 1784. He married Dorcas Bartlette. They lived in Unadilla, NY, in 1819. He is probably the Wright with four males and one female under 10, one male 10 to 16, two males 16 to 26, one male and one female 26 to 45, and one male over 45, in the 1830 census for Unadilla. Wright and Dorcas had nine children:

Joshua C. was born in 1805. He has been confused with Joshua Cottrell Sisson, see page 177. Ref: (195) Vol. 188.

George W. was born in 1807. He married Mary Ann ( ). They moved from Hartwick, [NY?] in 1837 to Westford, NY, in 1838. Ref: an 1844 deed.

Jabez was born about 1810 and lived in Summit, [NY?] in 1849.

John was born about 1812. He married Lydia ( ) and moved to Pittsfield, Otsego County, NY. Refs: 1839 and 1847 deeds.

Ann was born about 1815. She lived in Westford.

Ephraditus Deverick, born about 1817 is discussed on page 310.

Russell, born circa 1819 in New York is discussed on page 311.

Joseph was born in 1820. He was a laborer and probably married Margaret ( ) who was born circa 1817. On April 14, 1849 they bought two acres of Lot 18 in Cherry Valley for $150 from John and Joanna (Platner) Sisson. In the 1850 census for Cherry Valley there was an Abby, born 1772, in their house. Ref: (151) p.194.

Another son is probable: James Wright Sisson born September 13, 1820 in Unadilla. On April 16, 1848 he married Lana Maria Ostrander, daughter of Benjamin and Jemima (Tagett/Tigot) Ostrander. Lana was born circa 1826 in New York. James died in Cohocton, Steuben County, NY, recorded in Bath. Refs: (242) 1850; (243) 1855; (244) 1870 with mother Dorcas Sisson.

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Simeon [6]

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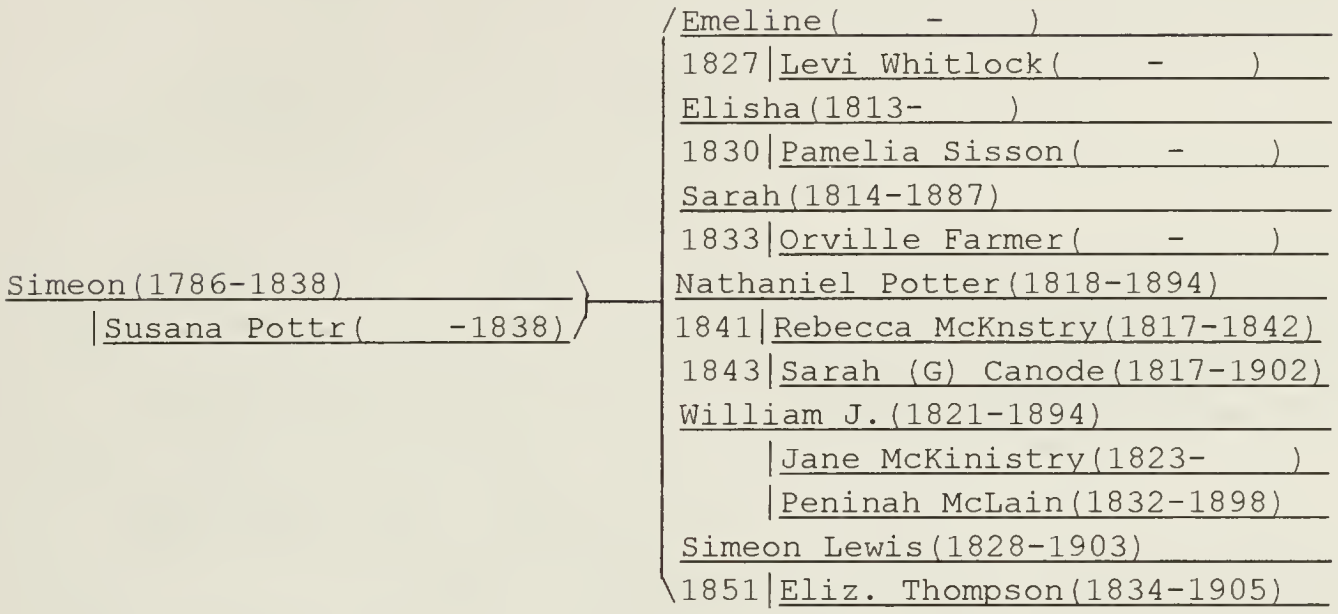

Simeon Sisson was born April 2, 1786 in Otsego County, NY. He married Susanna Potter of Round Top, NY. She was a sister to Sarah Potter, wife of Simeon's older brother Giles. They moved from New York to Galliopolis, Gallia County, OH, in 1817. They built a home at the mouth of Story Run, OH, using the lumber of a flatboat they used to come down the Ohio River from Pennsylvania. Simeon and Susanna had six children, the first three born in New York:

Emeline was born about 1810. On November 25, 1827 in Gallia County, she married Levi Whitlock; their marriage papers were signed by Phineas Mathews, J.P. They were farmers in Middleport then Columbia, OH, and then in Wynona, MN, where they moved in 1858. Emeline and Levi had ten children: Susanna, Levi, Olive, George, Elisha, Rebecca, Henry, James, Josiah and Sumaria. Ref: (234) Vol. 1, p.168.

Elisha, born circa 1813 is discussed on page 311.

Sarah was born May 14, 1814 in Otsego County, NY. On March 16, 1833 she married Orville Farmer. Sarah and Orville had eight children: Lovisa, Nathan, William, Lovina, Clarissa, Lewis, Perry, and Bert. They lived in Middleport, OH, where Sarah died October 15, 1887.

Nathaniel Potter, born September 16, 1818 in Galliopolis is discussed on page 312.

William J., born March 7, 1821 in Gallia County is discussed on page 313.

Simeon Lewis, born February 15, 1828 in Cheshire, OH, is discussed on page 314.

Simeon and Susanna both died in a cholera epidemnic along the Ohio River, Susanna May 14 and Simeon July 19, 1838. Both are buried at the Middleport, Ohio lower cemetery.

Reference: Bible records.

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Benjamin [6]

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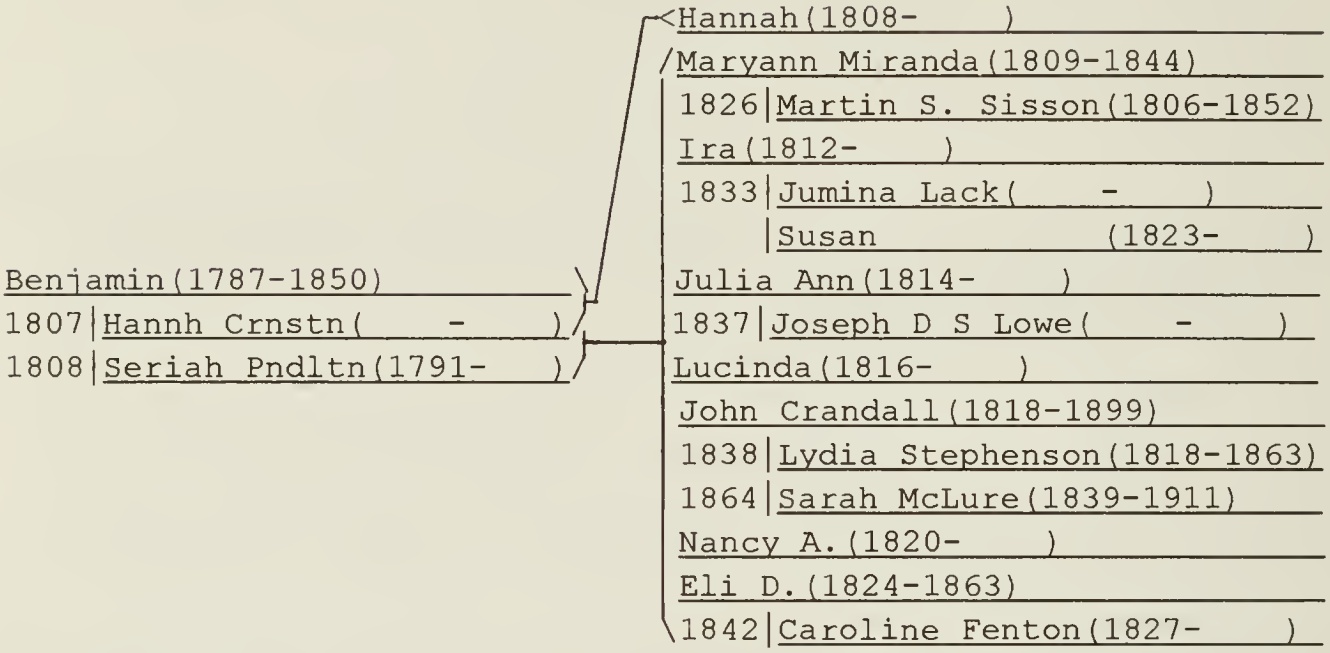

Benjamin Sisson was born October 18, 1787 in Unadilla, NY. In 1807 in Otsego County, NY, he married Hannah Cranston. Benjamin and Hannah had one daughter:

Hannah was born in 1808 in Unadilla.

Apparently Hannah died soon; circa 1808 Benjamin married second Seriah (or Sophia) Pendleton, daughter of Simeon and Tabitha (Niles) Pendleton. She has been reported with various names including Zerviah and Sarah. Seriah was born October 11, 1791 in Westerly, RI. Benjamin is reported to have had a previous wife Nancy McClura. He was a farmer, mill owner, and Methodist. On March 7, 1816 Benjamin sold 86 1/2 acres in Unadilla to Martin Hemenway; on March 23 he sold 3 acres with a mill (site?) for $100 to Martin. The family moved to Kentucky near Patriot, IN, and then moved to Vevay, Switzerland County, IN. Benjamin and Seriah had seven or eight children:

Maryann Miranda was born April 27, 1809 in New York. On December 3, 1826 in Gallia County, OH, she married Martin Solomon Sisson, page 297. Martin was born July 14, 1806. They lived in Kentucky near Indiana. They had three daughters and two sons. Maryann died September 5, 1844; Martin died July 28, 1852.

Ira, born in 1812 in New York is discussed on page 315.

Julia Ann was born in 1814. On January 16, 1837 she married Joseph D. S. Lowe.

Lucinda was born in 1816.

John Crandall, born August 3, 1818 in Hazelton, IN, is discussed on page 316.

Nancy A. was born in 1820.

Eli D., born in 1824 in Ohio is discussed on page 318.

A daughter Marcy born about 1822, has also been reported.

Seriah was reported as blind in the 1850 census. Both Seriah and Benjamin died in Knox County, IN. Benjamin died July 8, 1850 of cholera.

References: Brother Aaron's Bible; (37); (245) Book II, 3-23-1816; (246); (247) 1830; (248) 1850; (249).

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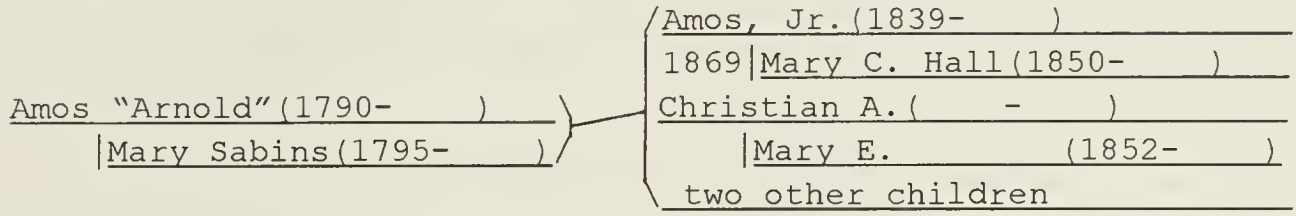
Amos [6]

Richard [1], George [2], Thomas [3], Giles [4], John [5] page 74



Amos (or Arnold) Sisson was born November 1, 1790 in Unadilla, NY. In 1817 he moved to Gallia County, OH. He lived in Springfield, OH, in 1822 and later moved to Indiana. He married Mary "Polly" Sabins. Mary was born circa 1795. Amos and Mary had four known children:

Amos, Jr., born in 1839 in Ohio, is discussed on page 319.

Christian A. is reported as born in 1851 in Ohio, when his mother would have been 56 years old. He is discussed on page 319.

We do not know the names of two other children.

We have no additional References.

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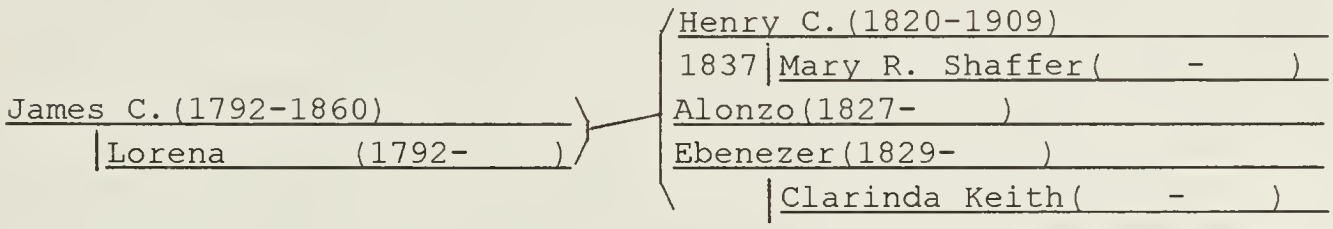
James C. [6]

Richard [1], George [2], Thomas [3], Giles [4], John [5] page 74



James C. Sisson was born April 22, 1792 (or 1790, see below) in Unadilla, NY. [He is ***not*** the James who married Mary "Polly" Cartmill in Virginia; he was 15 at that time. It is unreasonable to assume that a 15-year-old Quaker boy went from New York to Virginia among another clan of Sissons, promptly married a local belle, owned a large estate and many servants, and founded Sissonville, West Virginia.] James married Lorena ( ), (Laranda in the 1850 census) also reported as Irene Arnold. Lorena was born circa 1792 in New York. James sold land in Hoosick in 1820 and 1824. They went to

Ohio and Indiana. James and Lorena had three sons born in Ohio and perhaps other children:

Henry B., born April 22, 1820 is discussed on page 320.

Alonzo was born about 1827.

Ebenezer, born about 1829 is discussed on page 320.

James died December 17, 1860 in Gallatin County, KY, and is buried at Ten Mile Cemetery near Napolean, KY. His headstone states "age 70 y, 7 m, and 25 d" (this gives a birthyear of 1790 which conflicts with his brother Amos above). Lorena is buried next to James; her headstone says "Lorena, wife of...." Stone broken, but cemetery records state "wife of J.C."

References: (247) 1840 & 1850; (250) 1820; (251).

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Giles [6]

Richard [1], George [2], Thomas [3], Giles [4], Arnold [5] page 76

Giles (1805-1882)
1835 | Harriet Wyborn (1814-1860)

- Celinda Jane (1836-1916)
- Julia M. (1838-1896)
- Harvey (1840-1920)
- Anna (1843-1934)
- Alta A. (1843-1925)
- Lucy (1846-)
  1870 | Felix Strouts (-)

Giles Sisson was born in 1805 in Livonia, NY. He was a farmer. On July 7, 1835 he married Harriet Wyborn (or Wiborn), daughter of Bevin Granville and Keturah (Van Velzer) Wyborn. [Bevin and Prudence Wyborn (Giles' mother) were siblings.] Harriet was born August 7, 1814 in Syracuse, NY. Giles and Harriet had six children, all born in Le Roy, NY:

Celinda Jane was born in 1836 and died in 1916 unmarried.

Julia M. was born in 1838 and died in 1896 unmarried.

Harvey was born in 1840 and died in 1920 in Machpela, NY. He was probably not married but has been reported as married to Jennie or Jane ( ).

Anna was born circa 1843 [listed as age 7 in the 1850 census] and died in 1934, unmarried. Her will of July, 1934 named nieces Mrs. Hope (Strouts) McPherson and Mrs. Ruth (Strouts) Bryce. Anna had one daughter: Edna O. was born in 1862, was raised by her grandfather Giles, and died in 1882. Edna's death certificate names her mother Anna and "no father"; she is also buried in Machpela.

Alta A. was born in 1843, apparently a twin to Anna. She died in 1925.

Lucy was born circa 1846. On November 16, 1870 she married Felix Strouts. Lucy and Felix had five children: Hattie; John;

Edith; Hope, who married Mr. McPherson; and Ruth, who married Mr. Bryce.

It has been reported that only one child, Lucy, was married. Harriet died in 1860. Giles' will is dated 1880 and he died March 5, 1882. Both parents and all the children except Lucy are buried in the Machpela Cemetery, Le Roy, Genesee County, NY.

References: (110) 1850; (111).

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Joseph [6]

Richard [1], George [2], Thomas [3], William [4], Oliver [5] page 76

Joseph(1763-)
1788|Elizabeth Smith(-)

- Polly Park(1789-)
- Abigail(1791-1849)
- Joseph Francis(1793-)
- Charles Hempsted(1796-1872)
  1839|Lucy Powers(-)
- Oliver(1797-)
- Elizabeth(1800-)
- Sabra(1801-)
- Harriet P.(1803-)
  1828|Charles Flagg(-)
- Frances(1806-)
- William(1808-)

Joseph Sisson was born June 12, 1763 in Preston, CT. On April 27, 1788 in the Congregational Church of New London, Ashford, CT, he married Elizabeth Smith. Elizabeth was born about 1763. Joseph and Elizabeth had ten children, all born in Ashford (or New London):

Polly Park was born May 22, 1789.

Abigail was born May 22, 1791 and died May 28, 1849 in Ashford.

Joseph Francis was born April 27, 1793.

Charles Hempsted was born in 1796. He was a private in Regiment 6, in the War of 1812. On May 24, 1839 in Ashford, he married Lucy Powers. Charles died December 13, 1872.

Oliver was born September 20, 1797.

Elizabeth was born January 4, 1800. There has been some confusion that her brother Charles above, was born on this date.

Sabra was born October 30, 1801.

Harriet P., was born August 17, 1803. On September 23, 1828 in Ashford, she married Charles Flagg of Boston. It has been reported that she married Joseph Johnson November 20, 1828; see Harriet daughter of Nathan, Jr. below.

Frances was born February 15, 1806.

William was born July 22, 1808.

References: (37) p. 569; (252) Vols. 35 and 36.

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Elisha [6]

Richard [1], George [2], Thomas [3], William [4], Nathan [5] page 77

Elisha(1763-1844)
1786|Eliz. Chappel(1763-1826)

- William(1787-1863)
  - 1814|Betsey Gale(1791-1847)
  - 1849|Caroline Deitz(1815-1892)
- Elizabeth(1789-)
- Hannah Burdick(1796-)
- Bloomey Chappel(1811-1811)

Elisha Sisson was born December 18, 1763 in Westerly, RI. He went from Westerly to Wilbraham, MA; to Barre, VT; to Scipio, NY; to Fayette, NY; to Lyons, NY; to Sodus, NY, and back to Lyons. On May 25, 1786 in Hebron, CT, he married Elizabeth Chappel, daughter of Jonathan and Rememberance (Perry) Chappel. Her stepmother's maiden name was Daggett. Elizabeth was born April 1, 1763 in Andover parish, Hebron. Elisha was a captain and Revolutionary War Volunteer from Connecticut. As a member of the Rhode Island General Assembly he was a Commissioner to the U.S. Elisha and Elizabeth had four children:

William, born November 12, 1787 is discussed on page 321.

Elizabeth was born July 22, 1789 in Massachusetts.

Hannah Burdick was born April 4, 1796 in Vermont.

Bloomey Chappel was born April 4 and died September 6, 1811 in New York.

Elizabeth died March 8, 1826. There was a silver plate on her coffin engraved: "Mrs. E. Sisson, died March 8, 1826, aged 62 years". Elisha died April 23, 1844; both are buried in Presbyterian Cemetery near John Smith's in Lyons, NY.

Reference: (253).

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Augustus [6]

Richard [1], George [2], Thomas [3], William [4], Nathan [5] page 77

Augustus(1766-1856)
1790|Margrt Stbbns(-1834)
1842|Lovina (-)

- Lucia(1791-1830)
  - |Judah Elz(-)
- Telotes(1793-1873)
  - 1814|Sarah Converse(1795-1881)
- Augustus Lyman(1794-1878)
  - 1815|Harriet Potter(1795-1855)
- Alonzo(1797-)
  - 1822|Nancy Bird(-)
- Lucretia(1800-)
  - |William Eaton(-)
- George(1804-)
  - |Lucia Bartholmw(-)
- Olonzo(1805-)

Augustus Sisson was born August 22, 1766 in Westerly, RI. He was a cabinetmaker and merchant. On October 11, 1790 he married Margaret Stebbins in Wilbraham, MA. Augustus and Margaret had seven children:

Lucia was born in July, 1791. She married Judah Elz and died in 1830.

Telotes, born May 7, 1793 is discussed on page 322.

Augustus Lyman, born June 16, 1794 in Hampton, MA,is discussed on page 323.

Alonzo was born in 1797 in Wilbraham, MA. On April 12, 1822 he married Nancy Bird of Hartford, CT.

Lucretia was born December 14, 1800. She married William Eaton.

George was born July 14, 1804. He married Lucia E. Bartholomew of Lewis Valley, La Crosse County, WI.

Olonzo was born October 21, 1805.

Another son Olonzo C. has been reported, born February 20, 1843, died December 14, 1860, son of Augustus and Lovina.

The family spent six weeks in a wagon on their way to Ohio in 1822. Augustus was the principal founder of the largest Methodist-Episcopal Church in Hambden, Geauga County, Ohio. He was a postmaster, a justice of the peace, and a major in the Ohio militia. Margaret died November 11, 1834. On December 29, 1842 Augustus married second Lovina ( ). Augustus died in 1856.

References: (35); (117) 1800 p.233; (254); (255) pp.365, 367, 369.

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Nathan, Jr. [6]

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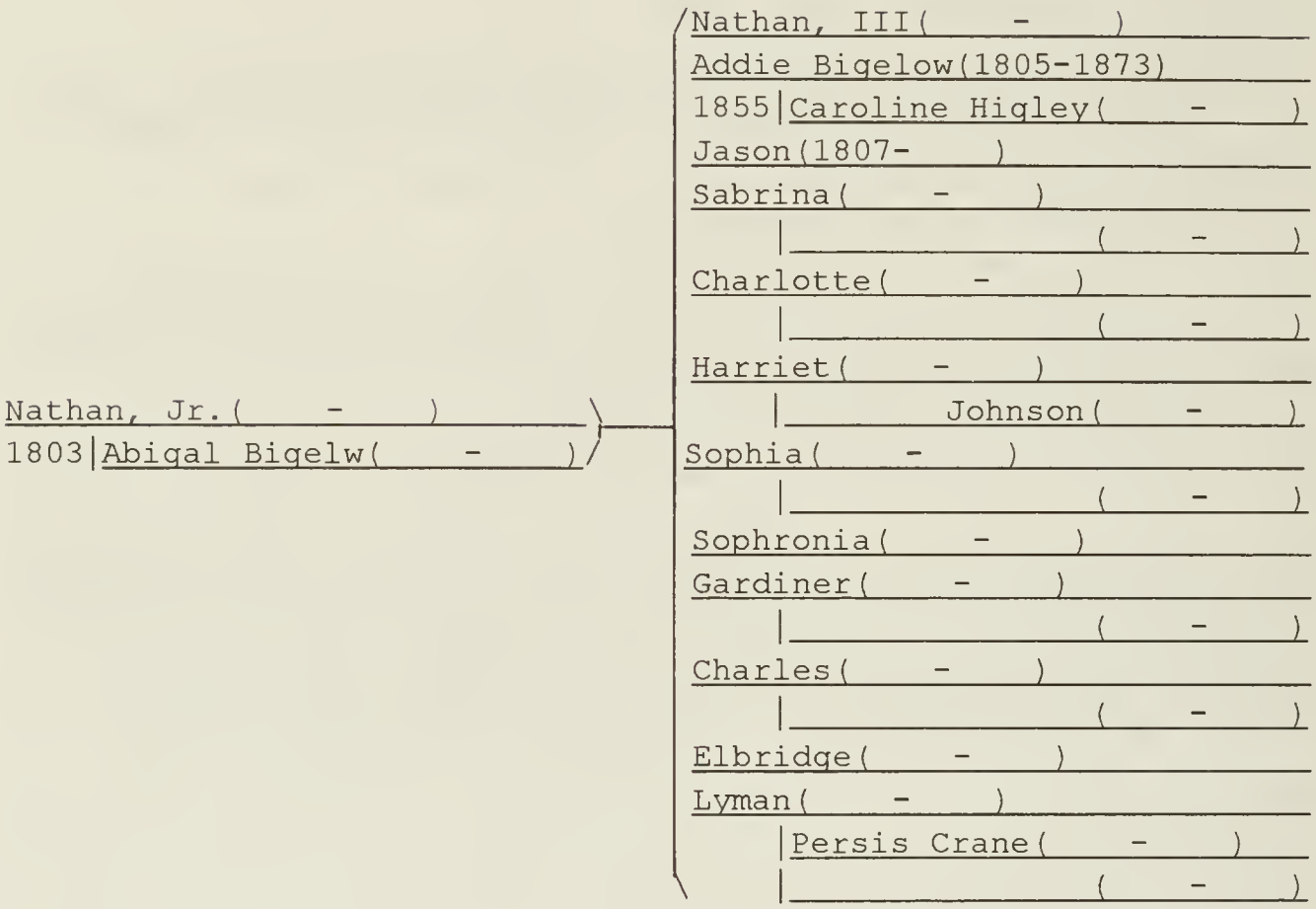

Nathan Sisson, Jr. was born about 1776 in Westerly, RI, or in Vermont. He was a farmer, builder and joiner. He once reaped with a sickle, bound and shocked twelve acres of rye in five and a half days. On April 24, 1803 in Barre, VT, he married Abigail Bigelow of Montpelier, VT. Nathan and Abigail had twelve children:

Nathan, III, was born about 1804. He was not married.

Addie Bigelow, born in 1805 in Wilbraham, MA is discussed on page 323.

Jason was born June 9, 1807.

Sabrina was born about 1809, was married and had three children.

Charlotte was born about 1811, was married and had two children.

Harriet was born about 1813, married Mr. Johnson and had seven children. She has been confused with Harriet P., daughter of Joseph and Elizabeth (Smith) Sisson see page 167.

Sophia was born about 1815 in Hartford, CT. She was married and had three children.

Sophronia was probably a twin to Sophia, and died in childhood.

Gardiner, born about 1818 is discussed on page 324.

Charles was born about 1821. He married and had three children. The family lived in Terrytown, NY.

Elbridge was born about 1824 and was lost at sea.
Lyman, born about 1827 is discussed on page 324.

Nathan, Jr. died in Wilbraham, MA; Abigail died in Enfield, CT.

Reference: (75).

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James [6]

Richard [1], George [2], Thomas [3], William [4], Nathan [5] page 77

James (1785-1820)
1811 | Abigail Prid (1789-1849)

- James Herbert (1812-1847)
  - 1833 | Nancy Pendleton (1815-1900)
- Hannah Amanda (1815-)
  - 1848 | Edward Richmond (-)
- Augustus W. (1818-)
  - | (-)
- Moses Henry (1820-)
  - 1849 | Caroline M White (1821-1881)

James Sisson was born September 12, 1785 in Westerly, RI. He was a cabinetmaker. On November 3, 1811 he married Abigail Pride of Norwich, CT. Abigail was born July 29, 1789. James and Abigail had four children:

James Herbert, born October 6, 1812 in Castile, NY, is discussed on page 325.

Hannah Amanda was born April 7, 1815. On October 15, 1848 she married Edward Richmond. They had three girls and one boy.

Augustus W. was born March 10, 1818. He married but we do not know his wife's name. They had three children. Augustus died in the Civil War.

Moses Henry, born October 5, 1820 is discussed on page 325.

James died March 9, 1820 in Albany, NY. Abigail died March 28, 1849 in Preston, CT.

We have no additional references.

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Gilbert [6]

Richard [1], George [2], Thomas [3], William [4], William Jr. [5] page 79

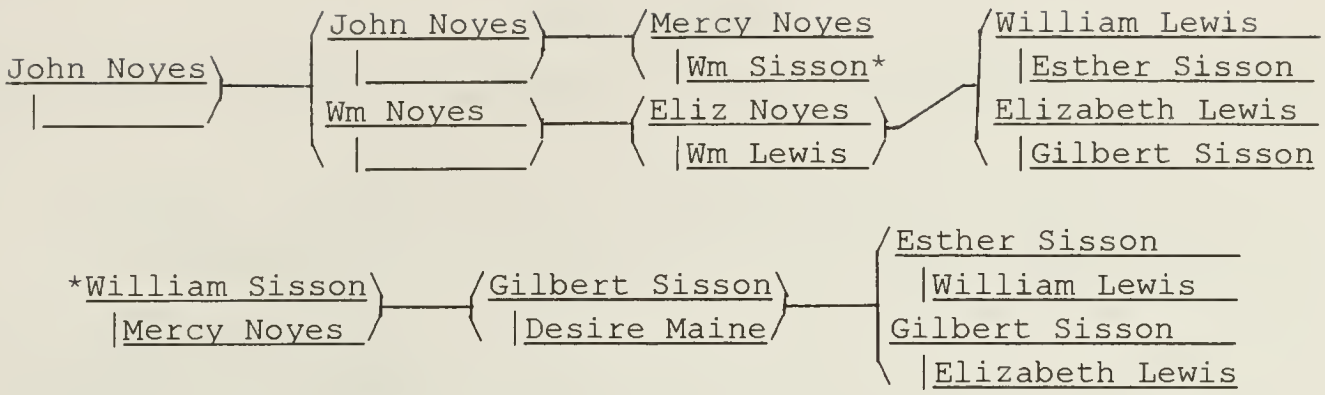
Gilbert(1769-1840)
1791|Desire Maine(1772-1842)

- Polly(1791-1794)
- Esther Ann(1793-1875)
  - 1816|William Lewis(1791-1879)
- Elizabeth(1796-1869)
  - |Clark Thompson(-)
- Noyes(1798-1872)
  - 1821|Eliza Browning(-)
  - 1832|Rachel B. Avery(-1841)
  - 1843|Mary H. Rogers(-)
- Gilbert, Jr.(1800-1876)
  - 1820|Elizabeth Lewis(1804-1886)
  - 1845|Eunice Ann Gray(1822-1895)
- William(1802-1875)
  - 1823|Abbie Browning(-)
- Lucy Ann(1804-1890)
  - 1822|Henry Bliven(-)
- Charles Grandison(1807-1874)
  - 1829|Martha Wheeler(1810-1839)
  - 1840|Nancy M. Hewett(-)
  - 1850|Mary Garrabrant(1834-1870)
- Emily(1809-1889)
  - 1836|Robert A. Bliven(-)
- Benjamin Franklin(1811-1885)
  - 1838|Marietta York(1815-1866)
  - 1867|Margaret Hillird(1833-)
- Cyrus Swan(1813-1813)
- Oliver A.(1816-1885)
  - 1841|Mary A. Segar(-)
  - 1855|Sarah M. Perry(-)

Gilbert Sisson was born March 13, 1769 in Stonington, CT. On March 22, 1791 in Stonington he married Desire Maine, daughter of Capt. Amos and Abigail (Brown) Maine. Desire was born March 31, 1772. At some point in his life, Gilbert took the title of Major. Gilbert and Desire had twelve children, the first five recorded in Stonington:

Polly was born November 17, 1791 and died August 17, 1794. A stone to her memory was placed in the Pownal Cemetery, VT.

Esther Ann was born December 8, 1793. On September 15, 1816 in Stonington she married William Lewis, son of William and Elizabeth (Noyes) Lewis. He was born April 26, 1791 in Stonington. William's sister Elizabeth married Esther's brother Gilbert below. Both couples were also related as follows:



In other words, Gilbert and Esther's grandmother (Mercy Noyes) was William and Elizabeth Lewis's second cousin! To continue: William was a hotel keeper and the family lived in Cooperstown, NY; he was commissioned mayor of that town by the governor of New York. Esther and William had five children: Charles Whiting, married Ellen Wilson, had one daughter, died in 1906; Edwin Palmer; Emily Esther, married A. H. Watkins, had one daughter; William Henry; and Caroline Elizabeth. Esther died February 18, 1875; William died in March, 1879. Ref: (126).

Elizabeth "Betsy" was born September 19 or 21, 1796. She married Clark D. Thompson and lived in North Stonington. They had two children, Mary Ann and Abby. Elizabeth died April 11, 1869.

Noyes, September 19, 1798 is discussed on page 326.

Gilbert, Jr., born August 31, 1800 is discussed on page 326.

William was born September 6, 1802. On March 20, 1823 in Stonington he married Abbie Browning of Westerly, RI. William died April 6, 1875.

Lucy Ann was born December 3, 1804. On November 28, 1822 she married Henry Bliven of Westerly. They lived in Tenafly, NJ. Lucy and Henry had several children: Lucy; Elizabeth; and other children who died young. Lucy died November 26, 1890 or 1896.

Charles Grandison, born April 15, 1807 is discussed on page 327.

Emily was born June 7, 1809. On July 25, 1836 she married Robert A. Bliven. They lived in Tenafly and had four children: Emma; Albert; Alice; and Charles. Emily died February 19, 1889 [Wheeler shows 1855].

Benjamin Franklin, born April 20, 1811 is discussed on page 328.

Cyrus Swan was born March 5, 1813 and died March 27 (or 22), 1813.

Oliver A. [Avery?] was born May 1, 1816. On May 9, 1841 he married Mary M. Segar. On September 18, 1855 he married Sarah M. Perry. Oliver died in July, 1885.

Gilbert died September 11, 1840; Desire died November 17, 1842. Both died in Pownal. His gravestone is labeled "Major Gilbert Sisson".

References: (11) Vol. II, pp.97-9; (37) p. 569; (62) p.194; (121) p. 347; (256) Vols. VI, XI, XII, 1895/6/8 & 1908.

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Jedediah [6]

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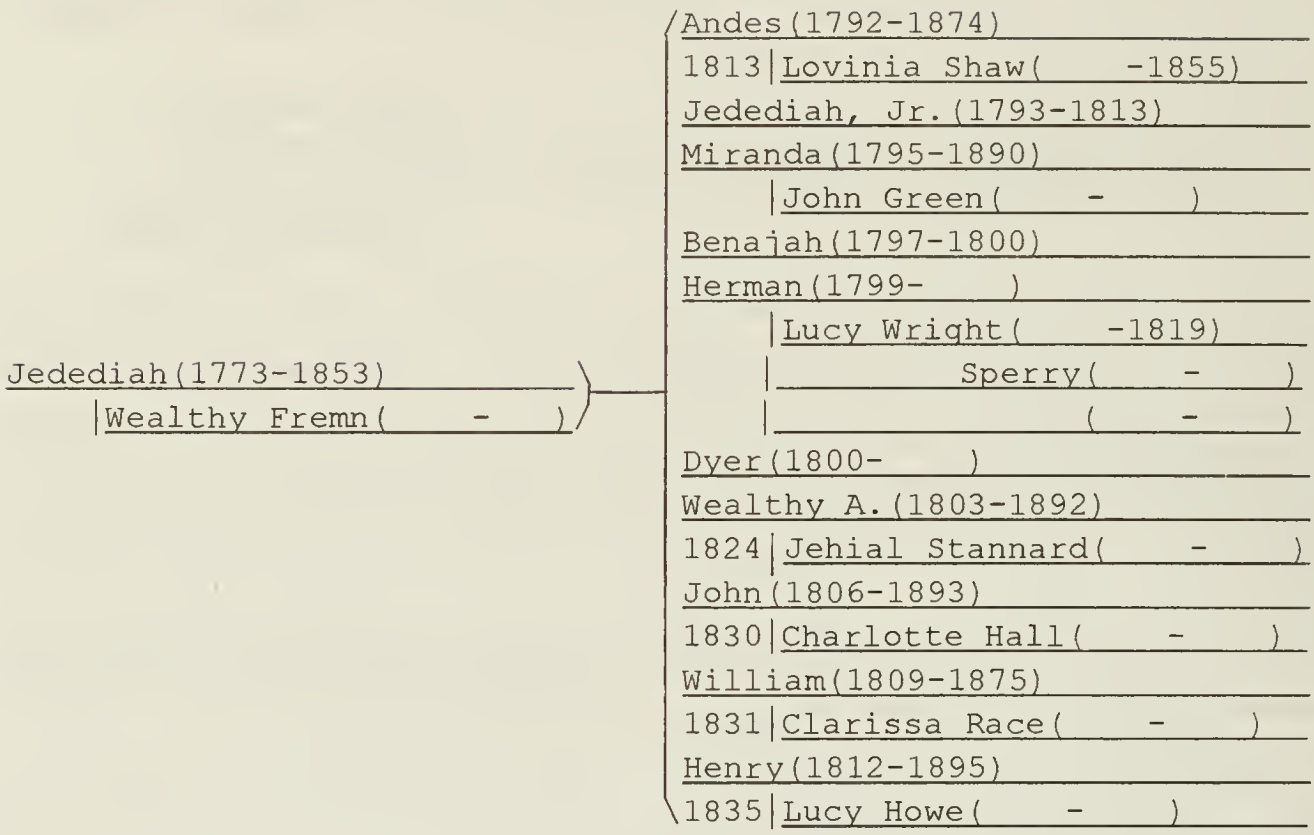

Jedediah Sisson was born January 14, 1773 in Stafford, CT. He was a blacksmith at Mill River, MA. The family lived in New Marlborough, MA. Jedediah married Wealthy Freeman. Jedediah and Wealthy had ten children:

Andes, born April 10, 1792 is discussed on page 329.

Jedediah, Jr., was born May 23, 1793 and died May 30, 1813.

Miranda was born July 14, 1795. She married John Green. They had: Edwin, 1817 to August 24, 1854. Miranda died January 1, 1890.

Benajah was born December 16, 1797 and died April 15, 1800.

Herman, born January 24, 1799 is discussed on page 330.

Dyer was born April 15, 1800. He died young.

Wealthy A. was born September 23, 1803. In December, 1824 she married Jehial Stannard, Jr. They had three children. Wealthy died May 28, 1892 or 1897.

John, born May 9, 1806 is discussed on page 330.

William, born September 7, 1809 is discussed on page 331.

Henry, born November 12, 1812 is discussed on page 331.

Jedediah died in Mill River January 22, 1853 (or 1833). His epitaph read "Mourn not for me, for I have gone with saints above to dwell. Mourn not for me, nor breathe a sigh. For God is love and all is well."

Reference: (257).

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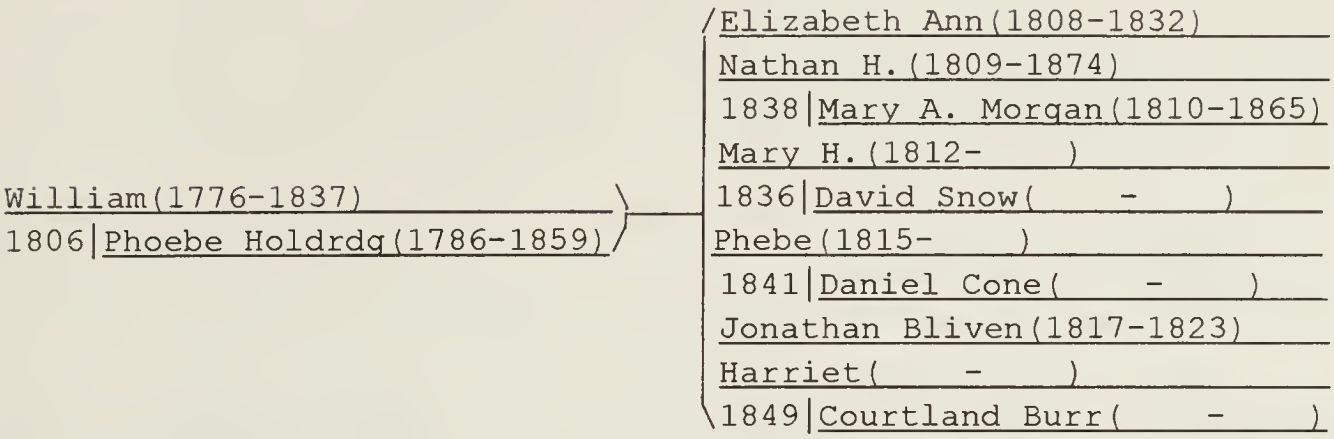
William [6]

Richard [1], George [2], Thomas [3], William [4], Jonathan [5] page 82



William Sisson was born October 5, 1776 in Westerly, Washington County, RI. On February 27, 1806 in Groton/Ashford, CT, he married Phoebe Holdredge of Connecticut. Phoebe was born May 29, 1786. Phoebe has also been reported as the wife of Jonathan, William's brother, below. William and Phoebe had six children, the first three recorded in Ashford, apparently the last three born in East Haddam, CT:

Elizabeth Ann was born January 7, 1808 in Lyme, CT. She died November 7, 1832 in Lyme.

Nathan H., born November 28, 1809 in Lyme is discussed on page 332.

Mary H. was born June 20, 1812 in Lyme. On February 28, 1836 in Ashford she married David Snow.

Phebe was born March 15, 1815. On August 28, 1841 in East Haddam she married Daniel Cone, son of Stephen Cone.

Jonathan Bliven was born October 27, 1817 and died October 7, 1823 in Lyme.

Harriet was born about 1827. On November 4, 1849 in Ashford, she married Courtland Burr (or Beers). He was a manufacturer.

William died February 8, 1837 in Lyme, CT. Phoebe died December 12, 1859.

References: (7) 5:133; (11) Vol. II, p.101; (39) Vol. 2, pp. 252-8; (127).

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Jonathan, Jr. [6]

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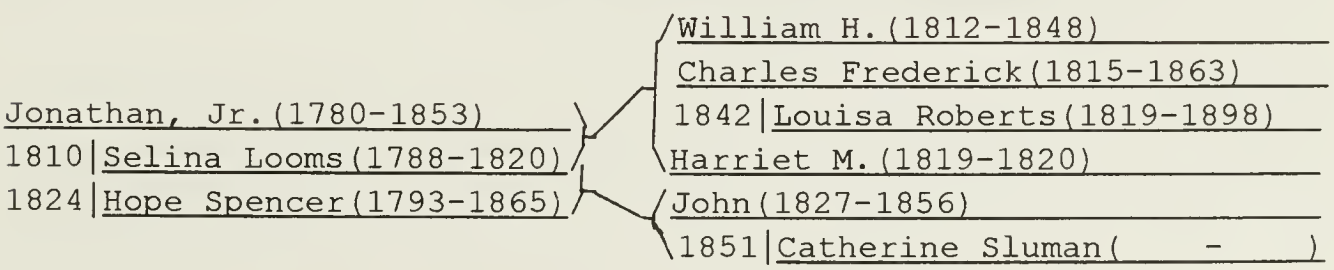

Jonathan Sisson, Jr. was born March 27, 1780 in Westerly, RI. It has been reported that Jonathan married Miss Holdredge in 1806; see his brother William above. On November 4, 1810 he married Selina Matilda Loomis, daughter of Jacob and Selina (Holmes) Loomis. Selina was born February 27, 1788 in Salem, CT. Jonathan was a private in the 33rd Regiment during the War of 1812. He and Selina had three children:

William H. was born July 24, 1812. He was lost at sea in 1848.

Charles Frederick, born December 7, 1815 in East Haddam, CT, is discussed on page 332.

Harriet M. was born July 19, 1819 and died November 13, 1820. She is buried in the Sisson Graveyard, Lyme.

Selina died October 11, 1820. She is buried in the Sisson Graveyard. On June 15 or July 14, 1824 in Lyme Jonathan married second Hope Spencer. Hope was born in 1793. Jonathan and Hope had one son:

John, born July 27, 1827 is discussed on page 333.

Jonathan died November 14, 1853; Hope died February 1, 1865 in East Lyme.

References: (7) 5:134; (11) Vol. II, p.102; (39) Vol. 2, pp.252-8; (157) Vol. 90, pp.20-2; (258); (259).

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Oliver [6]

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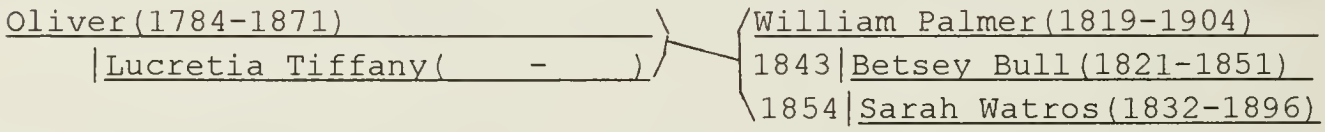

Oliver Sisson was born March 23, 1784 in Westerly, RI. [The children of Jonathan Sisson were reported as "all born in Westerly" while William Palmer's death certificate indicates father "born in Salem".] He served as a corporal in the 33rd Regiment in the War of 1812. Oliver married Lucretia Tiffany of Salem. They had one known son:

William Palmer, born February 28, 1819 in Ellington, CT, is discussed on page 334.

Oliver died November 14, 1871 in Lyme, CT and is buried there in the Pleasant View Cemetery (north part).

Reference: (7) 5:134.

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Henry Bliven [6]

Richard [1], George [2], Thomas [3], William [4], Jonathan [5] page 82

Henry Bliven(1798-1863)
1832|Lucinda Shalr(1800-1887)

- Simon(-1838)
- Lucinda S.(1835-1904)
- Henry Bliven, Jr.(-)
- 1861|Eleanor Hntngtn(-)

Henry Bliven Sisson was born August 12, 1798 in Westerly, RI, or Haddam, CT. He was a Democrat, Baptist, and Mason. On March 14, 1832 in Haddam or Ashford, he married Lucinda Shailer. Lucinda was born in 1800. They had three children:

Simon was born about 1833 and died September 11, 1838.

Lucinda S. was born in 1835 and died in 1904.

Henry Bliven, Jr. was born about 1838. He married November 19, 1861 Eleanor F. Huntington.

Henry died February 12, 1963 in North Lyme, CT. Lucinda died August 20, 1887. They are buried in the Sisson Cemetery, Lyme, CT.

References: (7) 5:134; (260) part 2, p.853.

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Joshua Cottrell [6]

Richard [1], George [2], Thomas [3], William [4], Thomas [5] page 84

Joshua Cottrell(1787-1845)
1814|Cath. Saunders(1795-1857)

- Stephen S.(1814-1837)
- Thomas N.(1817-1837)
- Fanny A.(1819-1890)
- 1842|Hiram Crandall(1818-1897)
- Joshua Gorton(1822-1879)
- 1844|Ruhannah Lewis(-1848)
- 1849|Louisa Clarke(1826-1870)
- 1872|Adaline Chsbrgh(1824-)
- Luther Spencer(1824-1887)
- 1851|Mary E. Loomis(1827-1899)
- Harriet A.(1827-1909)
- 1850|John E. Pratt(-1919)
- Sarah A.(1830-1833)
- Tacy Lucinda(1832-1890)
- 1855|Joseph C Rider(-1919)
- Albert Henry(1836-1837)
- Desire(-)

Joshua Cottrell Sisson was born September 2, 1787 in Westerly, RI. On February 6, 1814 in Westerly, he married Catherine Saunders, daughter of Stephen and Tacy (Stillman) Saunders. Catherine was born September 20, 1795 in Westerly. On May 15, 1816 they bought

66¾ acres and 31¼ acres for $1196 from Paul and Dorcas Palmiter; in 1827 Joshua sold one-half acre for $1.50 for a cemetery on the knoll behind his house; on March 27, 1839 they bought 13 acres from Alfred and Mary Maxon; on May 13, 1840 they bought a 64-rod "corner" for $6.40 from John Hinckley; and on May 23, 1840 they bought a 49-rod "corner" for $4.25 from John and Esther Hinckley. Joshua and Catherine had ten children, all but Stephen born in Plainsfield, NY:

Stephen S. was born December 19, 1814 in Hartford, CT. He was not married and moved to Otsego County, NY. Stephen died February 8, 1837.

Thomas N. (or M.) was born January 31, 1817. He was not married. He died January 21, 1837 and is buried in lot 39, in Plainsfield, NY.

Fanny A. was born August 30, 1819. On July 3, 1842 in Plainsfield she married (Dr.) Hiram S. Crandall. Hiram was born in January, 1818. They had five children: Stephen H., July 12, 1843; Mary De Ette, May 6, 1845; Lucius O., April 3, 1847; Lucinda A., June 14, 1852; and Charles S., September 24, 1858. Fanny died January 29, 1890 and Hiram died November 27, 1897.

Joshua Gorton, born February 13, 1822 is discussed on page 335.

Luther Spencer, born June 13, 1824 is discussed on page 336.

Harriet A. was born June 7, 1827. On December 23, 1850 in West Winfield (PA?) she married John E. Pratt. They lived in Girard, PA. Harriet died April 14, 1909; John died in 1919.

Sarah A. was born May 17, 1830 and died July 22, 1833.

Tacy Lucina was born August 18, 1832. On February 25, 1855 in Plainsfield she married Joseph C. Rider. They lived in Smith Center, KS. Tacy died July 27, 1890; Joseph died in 1918/19.

Albert Henry was born November 14, 1836 and died May 12, 1837.

Desire was born about 1840. She has been confused with Desire B. the daughter of Sanford and Caroline, see page 189.

Joshua and Catherine are mentioned in a will dated 1836 [Westerly Probate 4B:226, 228]. Joshua died November 23, 1845 and is buried on Lot 39 in Plainfield; Catherine died January 16, 1857 in Plainfield.

References: Thomas's will; (7) 5:134; (14) Vol. 2, p.288; (157) Vol. 10; (261).

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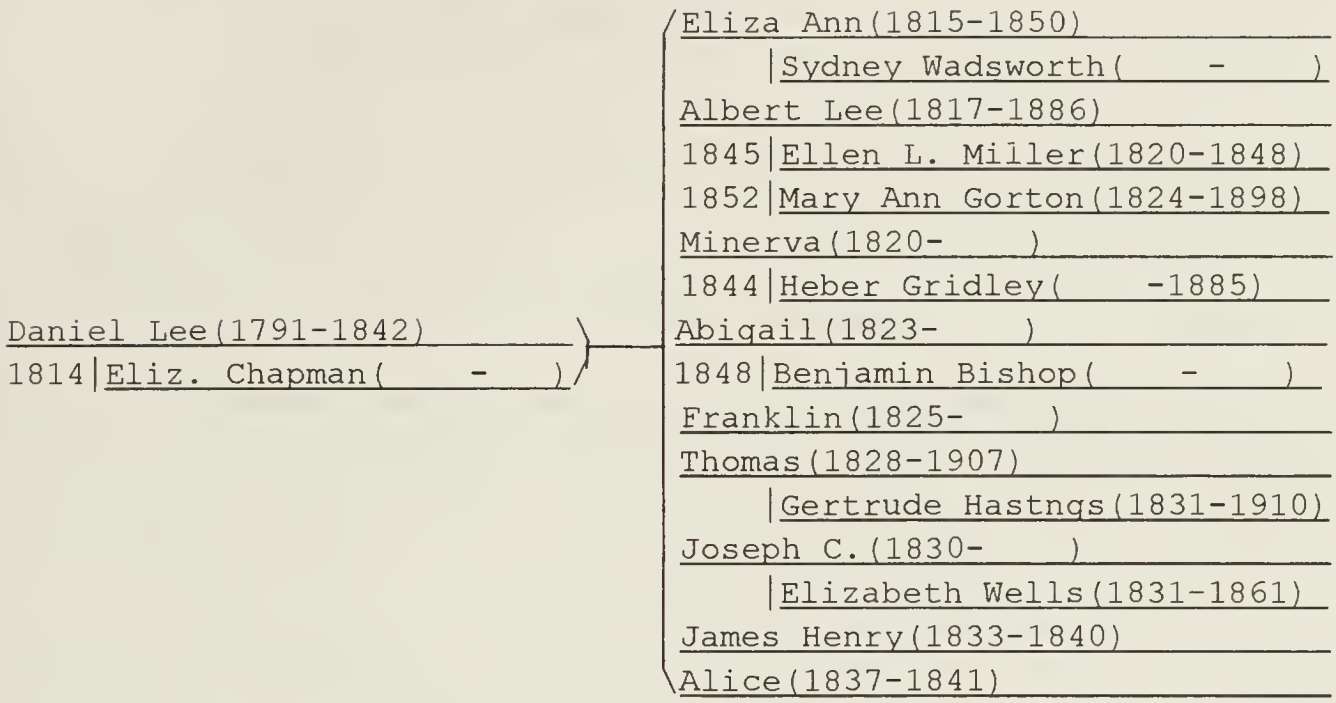
Daniel Lee [6]

Richard [1], George [2], Thomas [3], William [4], Thomas [5] page 84



Daniel Lee Sisson was born May 29, 1791 in Westerly RI. In 1814 in Westerly he married Elizabeth Chapman, daughter of Joseph Chapman of East Hartford, CT. Elizabeth was born in Westerly. The family moved from Bloomfield, CT, to Hartford, CT, in 1827. Daniel and Elizabeth had nine children:

Eliza Ann was born April 13, 1815. She married Sydney Wadsworth and had three children: Eliza; Caroline; and Daniel. Eliza Ann died in 1850.

Albert Lee, born November 8, 1817 is discussed on page 336.

Minerva was born June 20, 1820. On October 30, 1844 she married Heber Gridley. Heber died in 1885.

Abigail was born February 20, 1823. On March 1, 1848 she married Benjamin S. Bishop.

Franklin was born October 1, 1825.

Thomas, born June 15, 1828 is discussed on page 337.

Joseph C. was born December 19, 1830. He was a farmer and married Elizabeth Gay Wells. She was born in 1831 and died in 1861.

James Henry was born November 25, 1833 and died in 1840.

Alice was born April 5, 1837 and died in 1841.

Daniel died in 1842. Elizabeth Chapman Sisson is mentioned in a will dated 1856 [Westerly Probate 5B:176].

References: Headstone inscriptions, Cedar Hill Cemetery, Hartford, CT; (14) Vol. 5, p.312.

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Libbeous [6]

Richard [1], George [2], Thomas [3], William [4], Thomas [5] page 84

Libbeous(1795-1882) ⟩ <Abigail(1841-1889)
1839|Nancy G. Smith(1795-1877) ⟩

Libbeous Sisson was born August 12, 1795. On March 24, 1839 he married Nancy G. Smith. They were married in Westerly, RI, by Rev. Albert G. Palmer. Nancy was born in 1795. Libbeous and Nancy had one child:

Abigail was born in 1841 in Westerly. She was not married and died April 20, 1889 (or May 20, 1890 in Westerly).

Nancy died December 3, 1877. Libbeous died January 14, 1882 and is buried in the River Bend Cemetery, Westerly.

References: (7) 5:60; (14) Vol. 9, p.219; (262) p.148.

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Sion [6]

Richard [1], George [2], Thomas [3], Thomas Freeman [4], John [5] page 85

Jonathan Weldon(-)
|Martha (-)
John(-)
|Nancy Peckham(-)
George(-1884)
|Hulda Bliven(1805-1882)
Sion(1768-1847) ⟩ Betsey(1806-1864)
1791|Betsey Weldon(1767-1846) ⟩ 1825|Thomas Mariott(1805-)
Content(-)
|Ezra Potter(1814-1874)
Asa W.(1811-1880)
1836|Anna Place(1805-1882)

Sion (or Sihon) Sisson was born March 30 or April 16, 1768 in Westerly, RI. On December 11, 1791 in Stonington, CT, he married Betsey Weldon (or Welding) of Stonington. They were married by Valentine Rathburn, Justice. Betsey was born in Westerly on January 11, 1767. In 1830 they moved to Alfred, Allegany County, NY. Sion and Betsey had six children all born in Westerly:

Jonathan Weldon was born about 1794. He married Martha ( ) of Mystic, CT. He did not move to New York with the family.

John, born about 1796 is discussed on page 338.

George, born circa 1800 is discussed on page 339.

Betsey was born May 12, 1806. She married Thomas Mariott (or Meriott) on August 8, 1825. Thomas was born August 8, 1805. Betsey died November 15, 1864.

Content was born about 1808 and married Ezra Potter. Ezra was born in 1814 and died in 1874.

Asa W., born August 25, 1811 is discussed on page 340.

Betsey died February 13, 1846; Sion died March 5, 1847.

References: (63) p.133; (263) p. 576; (264).

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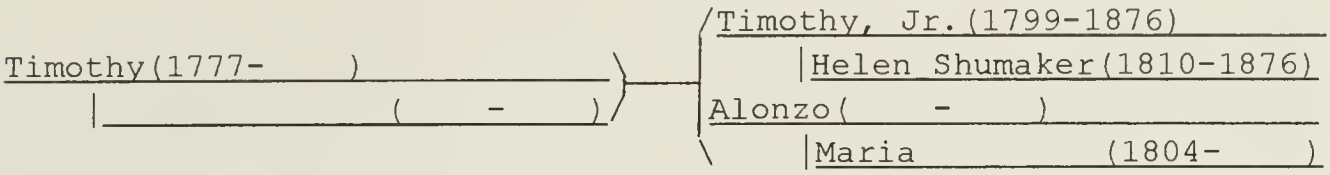
Timothy [6]

Richard [1], George [2], Thomas [3], Peleg [4], Peleg Jr. [5] page 86



Timothy Sisson was born July 22, 1777 in Westerly, RI. Timothy has been confused with his son Timothy, Jr., because of the similarity of their birth years (77 and 99). We do not know the name of Timothy's wife. They had two children probably both born in New York:

Timothy, Jr., born June 12, 1799 is discussed on page 341.

Alonzo, born about 1802 is discussed on page 341.

Reference: (7) 5:134.

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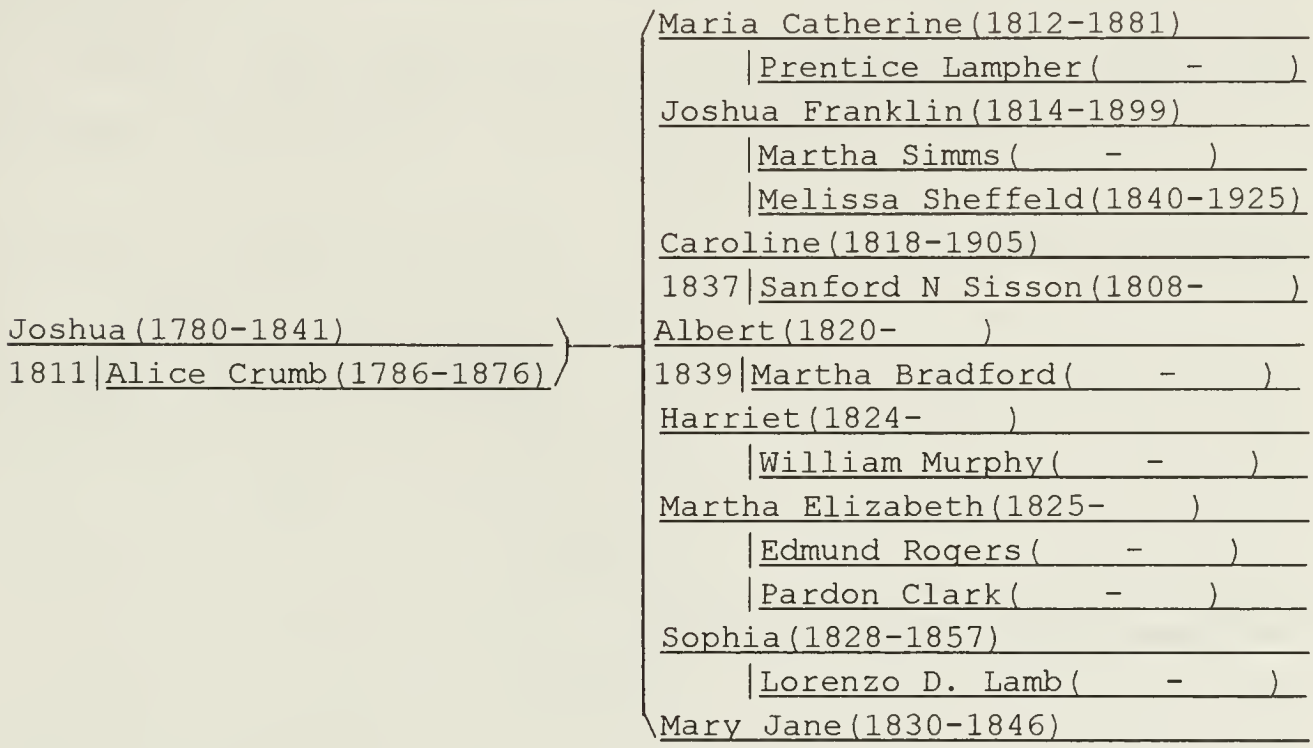
Joshua [6]

Richard [1], George [2], Thomas [3], Peleg [4], Peleg Jr. [5] page 86



Joshua Sisson was born February 14, 1780 in Westerly, RI. On May 20, 1811 in Westerly he married Alice/Elsie Crumb, daughter of Simeon and Hannah/Harriet (Pendleton) Crumb. They were married by Joseph Pendleton, Justice. Alice was born August 24, 1786 in

Westerly. Joshua and Alice had eight children, all recorded in Westerly:

Maria Catherine was born December 28, 1812. She married Prentice Lamphere. They lived in Westerly and had ten children: Ann Maria; Prentice Franklin; James Albert; Thomas, died young; John Andrew; Harriet E, married Horace F. Sisson (first cousin), son of her brother Joshua Franklin below; an infant death; Ellen; Nancy Mary; and Sarah Frances who also married Horace F. Sisson. Maria died April 6, 1881 before her husband, in Westerly.

Joshua Franklin, born September 28, 1814 is discussed on page 342.

Caroline was born October 11, 1818. On December 21, 1837 she married Sanford Noyes Sisson, son of Sanford and Elizabeth (Crumb or Chapman) Sisson. This family is discussed under Sanford on page 189. She is listed as the daughter of Joshua and "Elsie" by Beaman. Caroline died September 1, 1905 in Westerly.

Albert, born July 13, 1820 is discussed on page 343.

Harriet was born June 9, 1824. She married William Murphy and had four children: Martha Jane; Charles Henry; Alice Sophia; and Jeanette.

Martha Elizabeth was born July 11, 1825. She married first Edmund Rogers and second Pardon Clark. Martha had two children: Ann Eliza and Rowland.

Sophia was born March 24, 1828. She married Lorenzo D. Lamb and died December 25, 1857, without children.

Mary Jane was born August 8, 1830 and died June 10, 1846.

Joshua died September 23, 1841. Joshua, Mary Jane and Sophia are buried southeast of River Bend Cemetery, "on the east side of Mrs. Caroline Sisson". Alice died February 21, 1876 in Westerly.

References: (7) 5:60, 134; (11) Vol. II, pp.106, 113; (14) Vol. 3, p.252 & Vol. 9, pp.219, 222; (37) p.633; (265) p.297.

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Gilbert [6]

Richard [1], George [2], Thomas [3], Peleg [4], Peleg Jr [5] page 86

Gilbert(1783-1859)
1806|Phebe Babcck(1782-1867)

Ichabod Babcock(1802-1875)
|Abigail J Murphy(-)
1846|Bridget Kenyon(1810-1888)
Keturah(-)
1823|Thomas A. Dean(-)
Almira(-)
1826|John Gould(-)
Jeremiah(-1834)
Lucy P.(-)
1838|Peter Roche(-)
Elisha W.(-1848)
John Bixby(1823-1906)
1850|Cynthia E Sisson(1825-1888)
Rosina(-)

Gilbert Sisson was born April 10, 1783 in Westerly, RI. On February 16, 1806 in Westerly he married Phebe (Simms) Babcock, a widow, daughter of William and Rebecca (Chase) Simms. They were married by Samuel Bliven, Justice. Phebe was born April 29, 1782 in Westerly. Phebe had a son, Ichabod Babcock, who took the name of Sisson. Gilbert and Phebe had seven children [several additional children have been reported, but these were the children of Ichabod Babcock]:

Ichabod Babcock, born January 3, 1802 is discussed on page 344.

Keturah was born about 1807. On August 19, 1823 she married Thomas Andrew Dean of New York City. Keturah and Thomas had five children: Henry M.; James S.; Thomas A.; George; and Emma.

Almira was born about 1809. On June 25, 1826 she married John Gould. They lived in South Kingstown, RI. Almira and John had ten children: Thomas, died young; Julia, died young; Julia A.; Thomas A.; Martha; Louisa; Jeremiah; Dean; Phebe; and Prudence.

Jeremiah was born about 1812. He was not married and died in 1834, lost at sea.

Lucy P., was born about 1814. In May of 1838 she married Peter Roache (or Laroach). Lucy and Peter had five children: William; Peter; Gilbert, born 1849 in North Stonington, married Rhoda Frances Sisson, died October 14, 1904 in Westerly, see Robert and Mary (Anthony) Sisson page 363; James; and Lucy M.

Elisha W. was born about 1816, was probably not married, and drowned off Cape Horn in 1848.

John Bixby, born in August, 1823 is discussed on page 346.

Rosina was born about 1825. She was not married and was burned to death.

Gilbert died August 26, 1859; Phebe died May 10, 1867.

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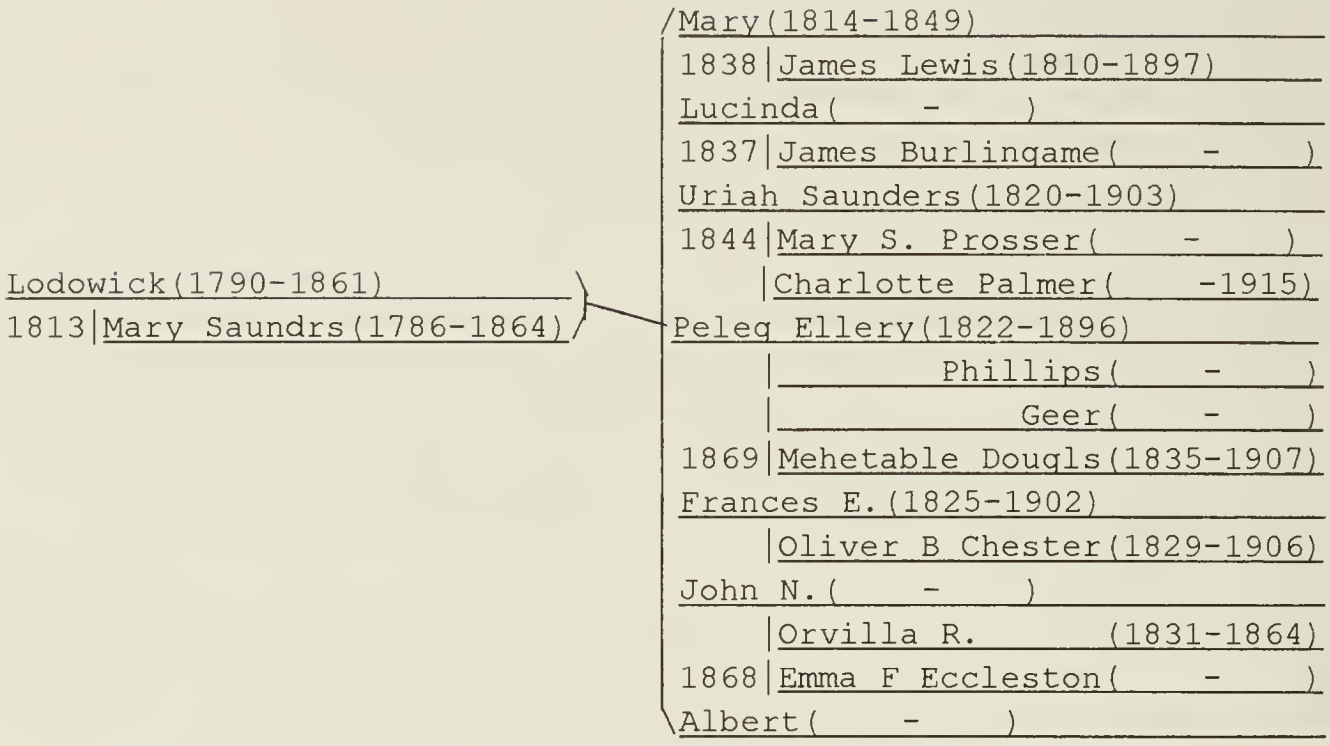

Lodowick Sisson was born July 14, 1790 in Westerly, RI. On March 27, 1813 in Westerly he married Mary Saunders, daughter of Uriah Saunders of Hopkinton, RI. They were married by Elder Matthew Stillman. Mary was born in 1786. Lodowick and Mary had seven children, probably all born in Rhode Island:

Mary was born September 14, 1814 (or October 3, 1812) in Hopkinton. Mary has been confused with Mary Ann, born about 1816, daughter of Rodman, Jr., see page 197. On September 2, 1838 in Exeter, RI, she married James Lewis, son of Nathan B. and Sally (Richmond) Lewis. James was born October 11, 1810 in Exeter. He was a farmer and owned over 1,000 acres in Exeter. Mary and James had seven children, all born in Exeter: James Harrison, August 10, 1840; Nathan Barber, February 26, 1842, was a judge in the second district court of Rhode Island, in West Kingston, married first Rowenda Lillibridge or Sarah Sisson daughter of Joshua Sisson page 342, then Nettie B. Chester, his mother's niece; James Courtland, January 22, 1843; Mary Frances, October 10, 1845; John Nelson, April 23, 1847; Saunders and Peleg, twins born May 3, 1849. Mary died May 3, 1849; James died February 4, 1897; both are buried in West Greenwich. Refs: (126) Vol. VI, #2, p.22-23, and Vol. VII, #9, p.133; (266) p.117.

Lucinda was born about 1819. On July 9, 1837 in Hopkinton, she married James Burlingame of Cranston, RI. Lucinda and James had two children: Frances, died an infant; and James C., December 29, 1838 in Providence, RI.

Uriah Saunders, born February 12, 1820 is discussed on page 346.

Peleg Ellery, born May 20, 1822 is discussed on page 347.

Frances E. "Fannie", was born September 30, 1825 in Hopkinton. She married Oliver B. Chester, son of Christopher and Olive ( )

Chester. Oliver was born January 16, 1829. Frances and Oliver had a daughter: Nettie B., May 31, 1850; Nettie married Nathan B. Lewis, son of sister Mary above. Frances died February 13, 1902 in South Kingston; Oliver died August 17, 1906. Both are buried in Hopkinton.

John N. was born about 1827. He married first Orvilla ( ). Orvilla was born July 7, 1831 and died January 25, 1864. John married second September 15, 1868 in Westerly Emma F. Eccleston, daughter of Samuel and Margaret ( ) Eccleston of Jewett City, CT.

Albert was born about 1830.

Lodowick, Mary, and sons Uriah S. and Peleg E. are mentioned in the will of Uriah Saunders dated August 15, 1831 proved April 6, 1835 in Hopkinton [Probate 6:241]. Lodowick died in 1861; Mary died in 1864. Both are buried in Hopkinton. Their gravestones in Hopkinton show Lodowick 1788-1861 and Mary his wife 1786-1864.

References: (7) 5:30, 60, 134; (11) Vol. II, p.108; (14) Vol. 2, p.148 & Vol. 3, p.252 & Vol. 4, p.288 & Vol. 7, p.316 & Vol. 9, p.220.

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Peleg, III [6]

Richard [1], George [2], Thomas [3], Peleg [4], Peleg Jr. [5] page 86

Peleg, III (1799-1872) and Lois Gavitt (1801-1866)

- Rebecca Louisa (1822-1871)
- William B. (1823-)
- Sarah Esther (1825-1886)
  - 1865 Charles G Warner (1833-)
- Artemus Courtland (1827-1857)
  - 1848 Harriet Bliven (-)
- Peleg Denison (1829-1895)
  - 1850 Mary Jane Holmes (-)
- Dudley Franklin (1831-1866)
  - 1851 Jane Eliz. Hill (1829-1892)
- Oliver Gavitt (1833-)
- Hannah Mary (1834-)
- Mary Matilda (1836-1899)
  - 1855 George F. Sisson (-)
- Oliver Edwin (1837-)
- James Albert (1839-1913)
  - 1863 Sarah Ann Milner (-)
- Hannah Jane (1840-1921)
  - 1860 William W Tucker (1839-)
- Harriet Emily (1842-1913)
  - 1862 William Sherman (-)
- Julia Ann (1844-1901)
  - 1865 John Kidd (-)
- Mercy Patience (1847-)
- Gertrude M. (1847-)

Peleg Sisson, III was born March 10, 1799 in Westerly, RI. About 1820 he married Lois Gavitt. Lois was born in 1801. Peleg and Lois had sixteen children:

Rebecca Louisa was born March 27, 1822. She was not married. She died December 24, 1871 in Stonington, CT.

William B. was born February 1, 1823. He died in California "at sea".

Sarah Esther was born January 25, 1825 in Westerly. On January 21, 1865 she married Charles G. Warner. Charles was born in 1833 in Germany. They had no children. Sarah died September 27, 1886 in East Greenwich, before Charles.

Artemus Courtland, born January 27, 1827 is discussed on page 347

Peleg Denison, born February 17, 1829 is discussed on page 348.

Dudley Franklin, born March 19, 1831 is discussed on page 348.

Oliver Gavitt was born June 3, 1833. He died young.

Hannah Mary was born June 30, 1834. She died young.

Mary Matilda was born January 6, 1836 in Westerly. On November 15, 1855 in Stonington she married George Franklin Sisson, born about 1834, son of John and Nancy (Peckham) Sisson see page 338. "Mary Matilda, wife of George" was admitted to the First Baptist Church, Westerly, April 23, 1853. Mary died in September, 1899.

Oliver Edwin was born November 26, 1837.

James Albert was born June 1, 1839 in Westerly. On December 26, 1863 he married Sarah Ann Milner. He died June 1, 1913 in Westerly, before his wife. They are both buried in Westerly.

Hannah Jane was born July 8, 1840 in Westerly. On November 25, 1860 in Stonington she married Willliam W. Tucker. William was born in 1839 in New Britain. Hannah died November 18, 1921.

Harriet Emily was born May 11, 1842 in Westerly. On September 2, 1862 in Westerly she married William L. Sherman, son of William L. and Harriet ( ) Sherman. William died November 15, 1884; Harriet died June 1, 1913.

Julia Ann was born May 28, 1844. On March 8, 1865 in Westerly she married John Kidd, son of William and Jane ( ) Kidd. Julia died in April, 1901.

Mercy Patience and Gertrude M., twins, were born April 1, 1847. They both died young.

Lois died August 8, 1866; Peleg died January 10, 1872. Both are buried in River Bend Cemetery in Westerly.

References: (7) 5:134; (11) Vol. II, pp.109-10; (14) Vol. 9, pp.221, 223; (262) p.148-9.

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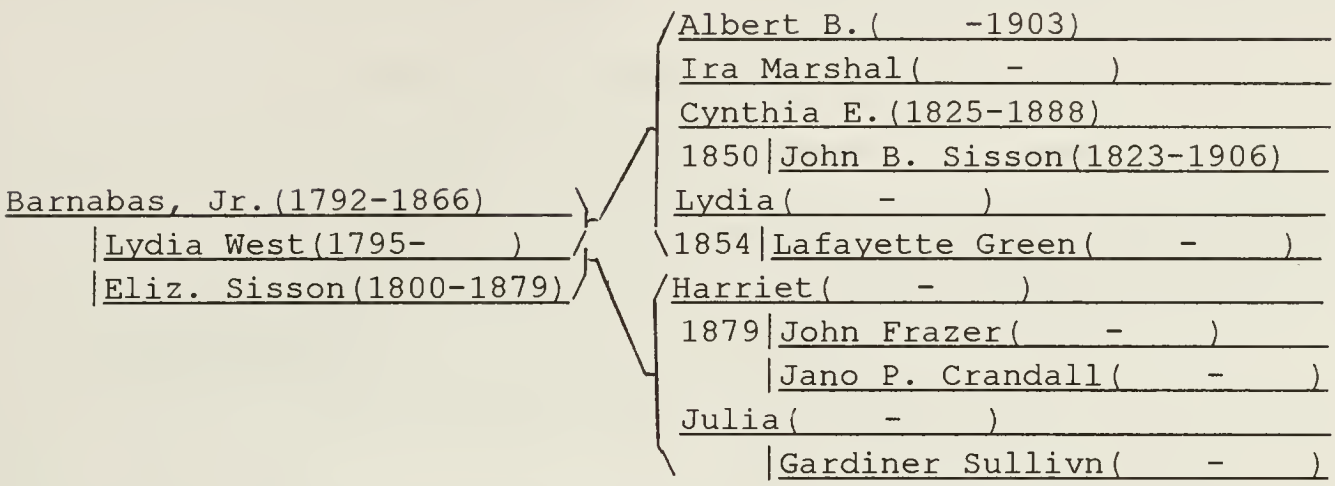

Barnabas Sisson, Jr., was born July 15, 1792; his birth was recorded in Westerly, RI. He married first Lydia West, daughter of Elisha and Lydia (Lamphere) West. Lydia was born September 12, 1795. Barnabas and Lydia had four children:

Albert B. was born about 1820 and died in 1903. He was probably not married.

Ira Marshal was born about 1822. He was not married and died without issue.

Cynthia E. was born in 1825 in Windham, CT. She married January 14, 1850 in Westerly John Bixby Sisson son of Gilbert Sisson, see page 346. John was born in August, 1823 in Hopkinton. John and Cynthia had five children, discussed under John. Cynthia died October 16, 1888 in Stonington, CT; John died July 28, 1906 in North Stonington.

Lydia M. was born about 1826. On October 1, 1854 in Westerly she married Lafayette Green.

Barnabas, Jr. married second Elizabeth Sisson, daughter of Sanford and Elizabeth (Chapman) Sisson, see page 89. Elizabeth was born July 20, 1800. Barnabas and Elizabeth had two daughters, born in Windham:

Harriet S. was born about 1830 in Greenville, CT. On May 6, 1879 in Westerly she married first John B. Frazer, son of William and Elizabeth ( ) Frazer of South Kingston, RI, as his third wife. She married second Jano P. Crandall.

Julia A. was born about 1832. She married Gardiner Sullivan.

The family moved to North Stonington in 1849 where Barnabas purchased land; it was sold in 1867 for $200. The will of Barnabas was dated August 27, 1866 probated February 5, 1867 in North Stonington; it mentions wife Betsey; daughters Cynthia E. Sisson, Lydia M. Green and Julia A. Sisson. Barnabas died December 22, 1866. His inventory March 6, 1867 was $456.45. Elizabeth died March 14, 1879 in Stonington. Both are buried in a cemetery near Gallups Station, North Stonington.

References: (7) 5:134; (11) Vol. II, p.111; (37) p.635; (63) p.143.

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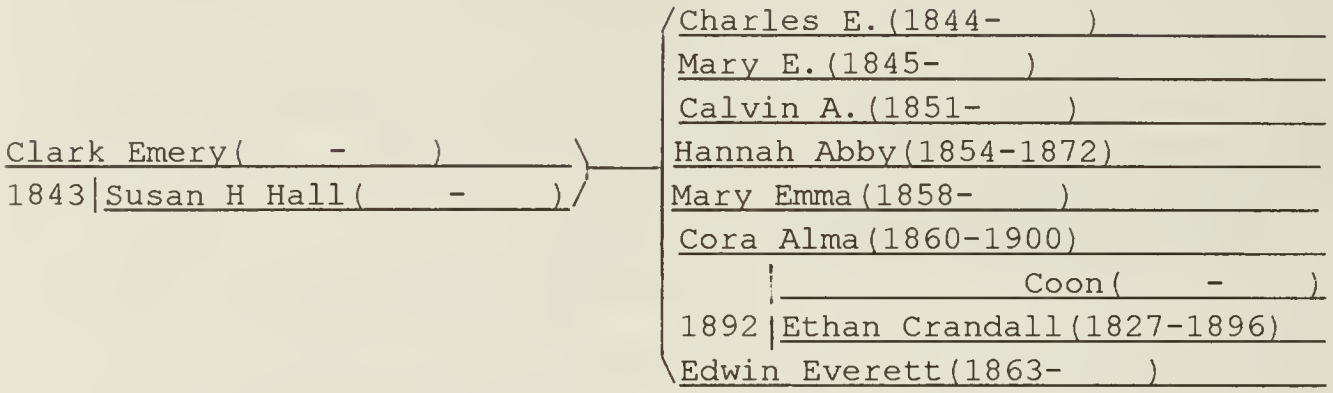
Clark Emery [6]

Richard [1], George [2], Thomas [3], Peleg [4], Barnabas [5] page 87



Clark (or Charles) Emery Sisson was born about 1807. On January 22, 1843 he married Susan Harriet Hall. They lived in Rhode Island. Clark and Susan had seven children, the first four born in Westerly [Beaman], the last three Hopkinton [Wood]:

Charles E. was born in 1844.

Mary E. was born in 1845. She probably died young.

Calvin A. was born in 1851.

Hannah Abby was born September 9, 1854. She died unmarried March 11, 1872 in Providence.

Mary Emma was born September 17, 1858.

Cora Alma was born January 18, 1860. She married first Mr. Coon and second June 5, 1892 Ethan Crandall, son of Joseph Crandall, as his third wife. Ethan was born in August, 1827 and died June 30, 1896. Cora died May 28, 1900 in Hopkinton.

Edwin Everett was born in 1863.

References: (14) Vol. 9, pp.219-222; (199) pp.480-1.

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William [6]

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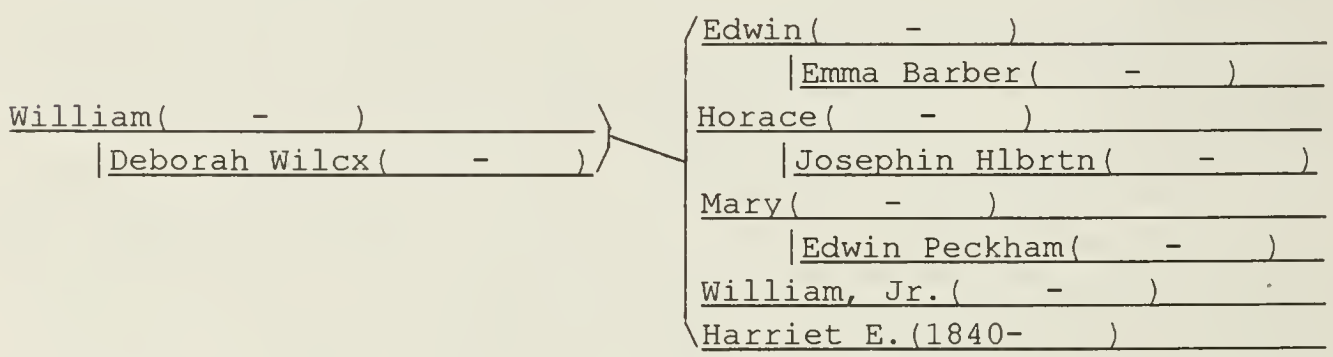

William Sisson was born about 1801. He married Deborah (Rider) Wilcox, a widow. William and Deborah had five children:

Edwin, born about 1825 is discussed on page 348.

Horace was born about 1830. He married Josephine Holburton.

Mary was born about 1832. She married Edwin Peckham.
William, Jr. was born about 1835.
Harriet E. was born in 1840 in Westerly, RI.

Reference: (14) Vol. 9, p.221.

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James [6]

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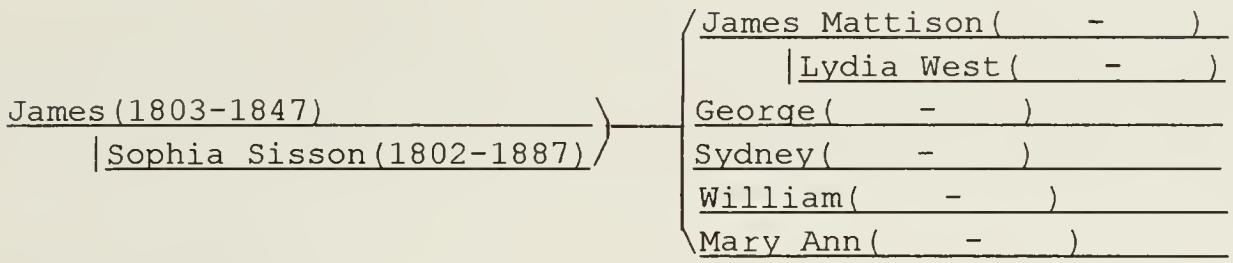

James Sisson was born in 1803. He lived in Westerly, Rhode Island and married Sophia Sisson, the daughter of Sanford and Elizabeth (Chapman) Sisson, see page 89. Sophia was born June 30, 1802. James and Sophia had five children:
James Mattison, born about 1825 is discussed on page 349.
George was born about 1828.
Sydney was born about 1831 and died at the age of 14.
William was born about 1834 and died young.
Mary Ann was born about 1839 and also died young.

James died August 8, 1847 and is buried southeast of River Bend Cemetery "on the east side of Mrs. Caroline Sisson". Sophia died August 22, 1887 in Westerly. She is buried in Niantic, CT.

Reference: (265) p.297.

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Sanford Noyes [6]

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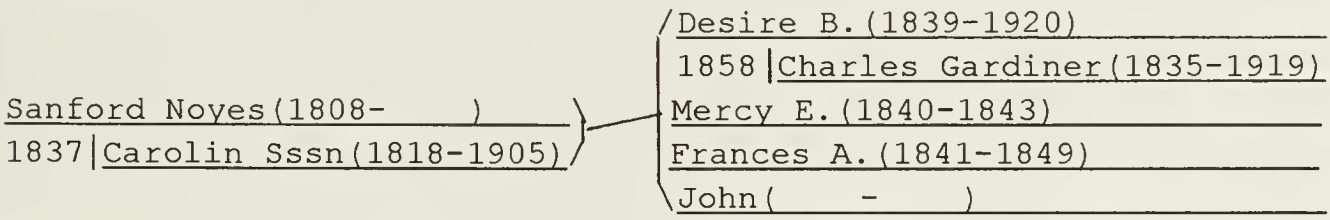

Sanford Noyes Sisson was born September 24, 1808. On December 21, 1837 he married Caroline Sisson, daughter of Joshua and Alice (Crumb) Sisson, see page 86. Caroline was born October 1, 1818 in Westerly, RI. Sanford and Caroline had four children:
Desire B. was born June 24, 1839 in Westerly. She is listed in Reference (262) p.148, as the daughter of Joshua and Caroline Sisson. She has been confused with Desire, the daughter of Joshua Cottrell and Catherine (Saunders) Sisson, see page 177. Desire

married January 7, 1858 in Westerly Charles P. Gardiner, son of William R. and Phebe ( ) Gardiner. Charles was born September 14, 1835 in Woodstock, CT. He died April 22, 1919; Desire died May 11, 1920; both died in Westerly.

Mercy E. was born November 19, 1840. She died October 25, 1843 in Westerly.

Frances A. was born October 16, 1841. She died March 18, 1849.

John was born about 1843.

It has been reported that Sanford drowned in the Pawcatuck River in 1842. A gravestone in River Bend Cemetery gives Sanford's death date as November 11, 1842, but Sanford's will, dated November 24, 1851 mentions widow Caroline and daughter Desire B. Caroline died September 1, 1905 in Westerly; she is also buried in River Bend Cemetery.

References: (11) Vol. II, p.113; (14) Vol. 9, pp.219-20; (37) pp.632-5; (40) p.288.

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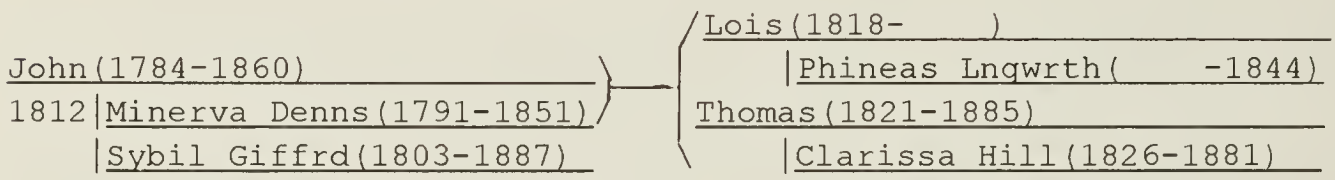
John [6]

Richard [1], George [2], John [3], Constant [4], George [5] page 91



John Sisson was born October 12, 1784 in Massachusetts. On January 9, 1812 in Cambridge, NY, he married Minverva Dennis. Minerva was born August 22, (or 26), 1791. John was a farmer in Pittstown (or Hoosick) NY, in 1850. John and Minerva had two children:

Lois was born December 17, 1818. She married Phineas Langworth. Phineas died April 29, 1844.

Thomas, born July 11, 1821 is discussed on page 349.

Minerva died October 25, 1851 in Buskirk, Renssalaer County, NY. John married second Sybil Gifford. Sybil was born January 7, 1803 in Renssalaer County. John died December 21, 1860 in Buskirk. Sybil died December 28, 1887 (or 82). John's will mentions his wife Sybil, his son Thomas, and a granddaughter Sarah. John and Minerva are buried in Island Hill Cemetery in Buskirk. Sybil is buried in the West Hoosick Baptist Cemetery.

Reference: (139).

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Constant [6]

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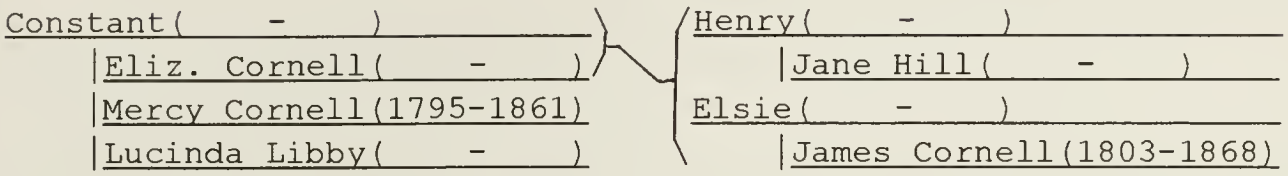

Constant Sisson was born about 1790. He lived in Cambridge and Washington County, NY. He married first Elizabeth Cornell, daughter of James Van Buren Cornell. Constant and Elizabeth had two children, both born in Washington County:

Henry was born about 1815. He married Jane Hill.

Elsie was born about 1817. She married James Cornell, son of James and Thankful (Briggs) Cornell. James was born February 14, 1803 and died in 1868.

Constant married second Mercy Cornell, Elizabeth's sister. Mercy was born June 22, 1795 and died March 11, 1861. Third Constant married Lucinda C. (Benson) Libby. Constant is buried across the river from Schaghticake, Washington County.

We have no additional references.

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Abner [6]

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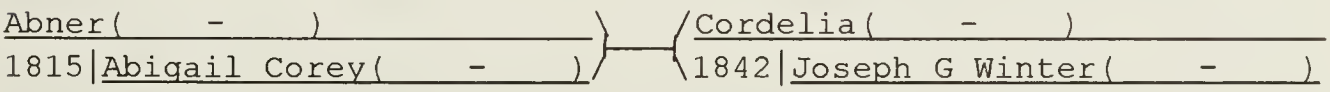

Abner Sisson was born about 1793. He lived in Washington County, NY. On January 29, 1815 he married Abigail "Abby" Corey (or Cary) and had one daughter:

Cordelia (Cornelia) was born about 1815. On December 28, 1842 she married Joseph G./C. Winter. The couple lived in Tiverton, RI, where they were married.

References: (35); (68).

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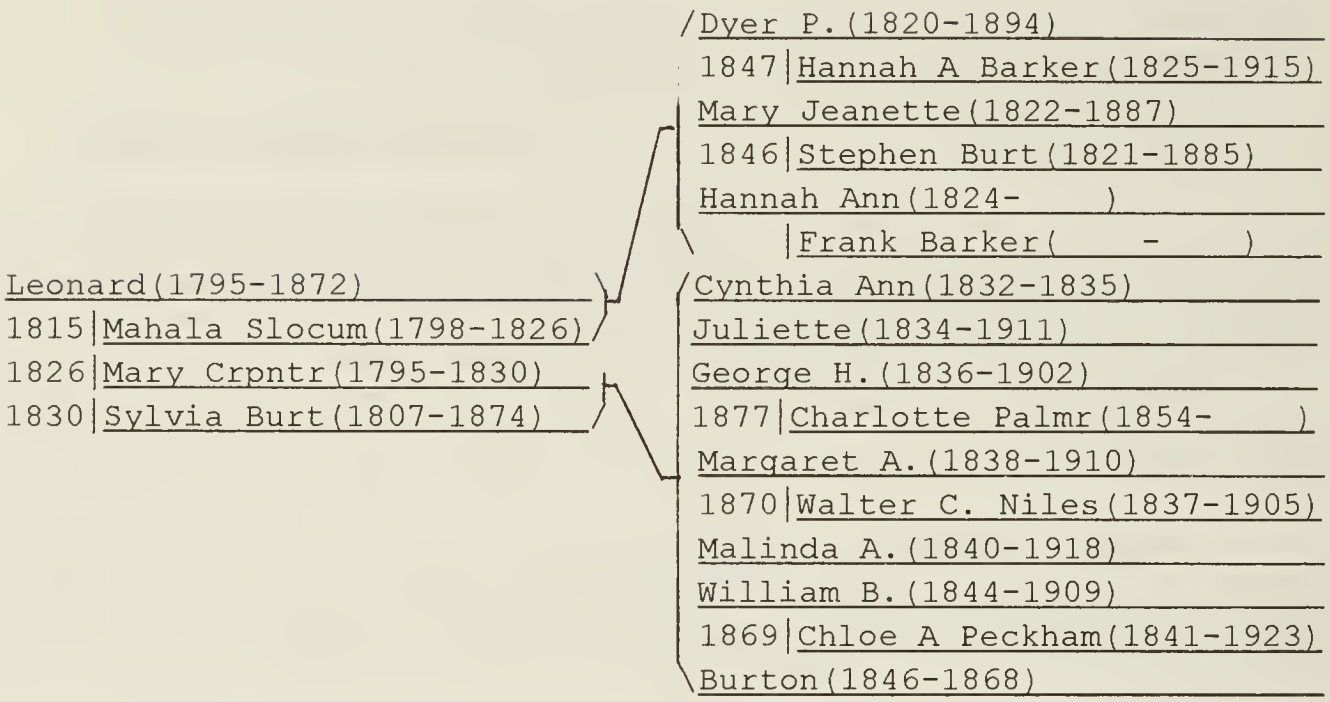
Leonard [6]

Richard [1], George [2], John [3], Constant [4], Gideon [5] page 93



Leonard Sisson was born February 20, 1795. He was a farmer and "a Captain". On November 2, 1815 in Cambridge, Washington County, NY, he married Mahala Preston Slocum of Cambridge, daughter of Elijah and Hannah (Preston) Slocum. Mahala was born July 31, 1798. Leonard and Mahala had three children:

Dyer P., born November 18, 1820 in Washington County is discussed on page 350.

Mary Jeanette was born in June, 1822. In February of 1846 she married Stephen Burt. Stephen was born in September, 1821. They had three children: Harlen; Josephine; and Adelaide, who married Mr. Chapman. Stephen died in 1885; Mary died in February, 1887.

Hannah Ann was born in July, 1824. She married Frank Barker and had three sons: Franklin; Charles Fred; and William.

Mahala died January 24, 1826 in White Creek, NY. Leonard married second September 2, 1826 Mary Carpenter, daughter of Luke and Lana (Rines or Rhymes) Carpenter. Mary was born in October, 1795 and died August 23, 1830 in White Creek. Leonard married third, December 27, 1830 Sylvia R. M. Burt, daughter of William and Annie (Mosher) Burt. Sylvia was born June 2, 1807. Leonard and Sylvia had seven children:

Cynthia Ann was born September 1, 1832 and died November 22, 1835. She is also buried in Rosewood Cemetery.

Juliette was born February 10, 1834. She was not married and died December 8, 1911. She is buried in Rosewood Cemetery.

George H., born in March of 1836 is discussed on page 350.

Margaret A. was born in April, 1838 in White Creek. In February, 1870 she married Walter C. Niles of White Creek, son of David and Mariah (Cornell) Niles. Walter was born in September,

1837. They had one daughter: Sylvia, born in August, 1871, married Mr. Fox. Walter died in 1905; Margaret died in 1910.

Melina A. was born June 11, 1840/1; she was not married and died January 19, 1918. She is also buried in Rosewood Cemetery.

William B., born in October, 1844 is discussed on page 351.

Burton was born January 19, 1846. He was not married and died September 26, 1868. He is also buried in Rosewood Cemetery.

The Washington County, NY, 1850 census lists "Symond" Sisson, circa 1800 and his wife "Lydia" circa 1802 with "Patrick", circa 1834, George H., circa 1835, Margaret, circa 1837, "Martha" A, circa 1839, William B., circa 1843 and Burton, circa 1846. [This appears to be a case of poor handwriting or poor interpretation of handwriting, the L's and S's reversed.] Leonard had three more children who died young, mother(s) unknown. Leonard died March 11, 1872 and Sylvia died September 21, 1874 both in White Creek. They are buried in Rosewood Cemetery in White Creek.

References: (137) Vol. I, p.202; (139); (267); (270) 1850.

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William B. [6]

Richard [1], George [2], John [3], Constant [4], Gideon [5] page 93

William B.(1797-1872) ∞ Austress Crndll(1802-1875)

- Azariah(-1899) ∞ Margart Stils(-)
- Mary Ann(1824-1843)
- Abner(-) ∞ Augusta Mason(-)
- Caroline(1827-1828)

William B. Sisson was born in 1797 in Hoosick, NY. He married Austress (or Anstress) Crandall, daughter of Abner and Mary (Wilcox) Crandall. Austress was born April 23, 1802 in Tiverton, RI. After September 1, 1843 they moved to Cambridge, NY, and later to Iowa. There were land dealings between William of Cambridge and his brothers Ira and Willard of White Creek on April 10, 1849 (Book 71, p.351). William and Austress had four children:

Azariah, born about 1822 is discussed on page 352.

Mary Ann was born February 5, 1824 and died September 1, 1843. She is buried in Carpenter Burying Ground.

Abner, born about 1825 is discussed on page 353.

Caroline was born February 23, 1827 and died December 22, 1828. She is buried in Carpenter Burying Ground.

William probably died in 1872 and Austress died June 1, 1875. Probably they are not buried in Carpenter Burying Ground with the rest of his family, since they are not listed in the cemetery records there.

Reference: (199) p.363.

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Ira [6]

Richard [1], George [2], John [3], Constant [4], Gideon [5] page 93

Ira (1799-1872) — 1825 | Betsey M Hill (1806-1879)

- Thomas H. (1826-1838)
- Hiram (1829-)
- 1851 | Mary E. Mosbey (1830-1893)
- Sarah Maria (1833-1917)
- 1850 | Isaac W. Durfee (1831-1893)
- Julia A. (1840-1902)
- 1876 | Gideon Wallace (-)
- Mary J. (1847-1848)

Ira Sisson was born April 27, 1799 in Hoosick, Renssalaer County, NY. He was a farmer, Whig, and Republican; his wife was a Baptist. He owned 29 to 105 acres at various times. There were land dealings between Ira of White Creek and his brother Wiliam of Cambridge, Washington County on April 10, 1849 (Book 71, p.351). Circa 1825 he married Betsey M. Hill, daughter of Thomas and Sarah (Armstrong) Hill. Betsey was born October 1, 1806. The family lived in White Creek and Hoosick. Ira and Betsey had five children:

Thomas H. was born June 30, 1826 in White Creek. He died January 9, 1838 and is buried in Carpenter Burying Ground.

Hiram, born December 11, 1829 in White Creek is discussed on page 353.

Sarah Maria was born October 7, 1833. On November 6, 1850 she married Isaac W. Durfee, a farmer. Isaac was born October 8, 1831. They lived in South Cambridge, NY, and had four children: Ira S., March 27, 1856; Edward A., September 17, 1858, died young; Emily, February 29, 1859, died young; and Mary E., February 24, 1865, married Sylvester Sisson, had no issue, see page 352. Isaac died September 18, 1893; Sarah died December 14, 1917.

Julia A. was born May 24, 1840. On December 11, 1876 she married her first cousin Gideon Wallace, son of Joseph and Nancy Ann (Sisson) Wallace, see page 93. Julia died August 30, 1902. They had one son: Clarence, January 18, 1881.

Mary J. was born January 18, 1847 and died August 28, 1848. She is buried in Carpenter Burying Ground.

Ira died March 12, 1872; Betsey died March 27, 1879. It has also been reported that she died March 14, 1877. Both are buried in Carpenter Burying Ground near Hoosick with son Thomas and daughter Mary J.

References: (35); (195) Vol. 28; (270) 1850.

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Benjamin [6]

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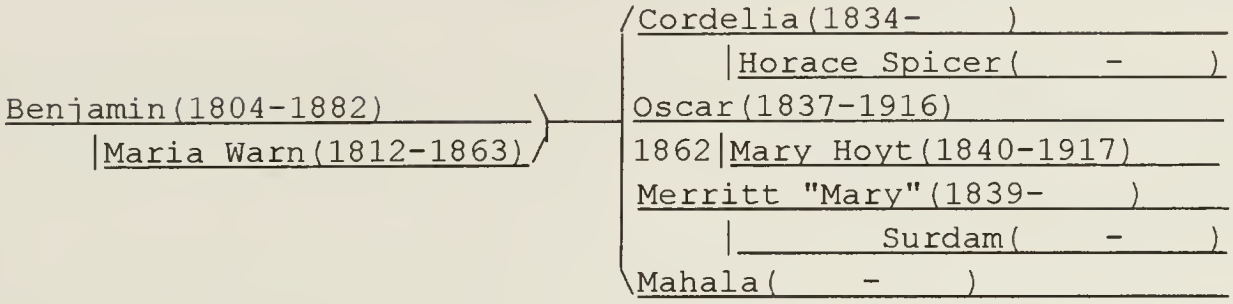

Benjamin Sisson was born May 16, 1804 (or 03) in Washington County, NY. He married Maria Warn (or Warren), daughter of Robert and Eliza ( ) Warn. Maria was born July 21, 1812 in Massachusetts. The family lived in Hoosick. Benjamin and Maria had four children, all born in Renssalaer County, NY:

Cordelia (or Cornelia) was born in 1834. She married Horace Spicer.

Oscar was born July 16, 1837. On October 14, 1862 he married Mary Hoyt. Mary was born in 1840. They had no children. Oscar died October 19, 1916; Mary died March 4, 1917. Both are buried in Carpenter Burying Ground, West Hoosick.

Merritt "Mary" was born in 1839. She is probaby the daughter Mary in the 1855 census, age 16. Merritt married Mr. Surdam.

Mahala was born about 1842 and died young.

Maria died December 24, 1863; Benjamin died March 15, 1882; both are buried in Carpenter Burying Ground.

Reference: (142) 1850.

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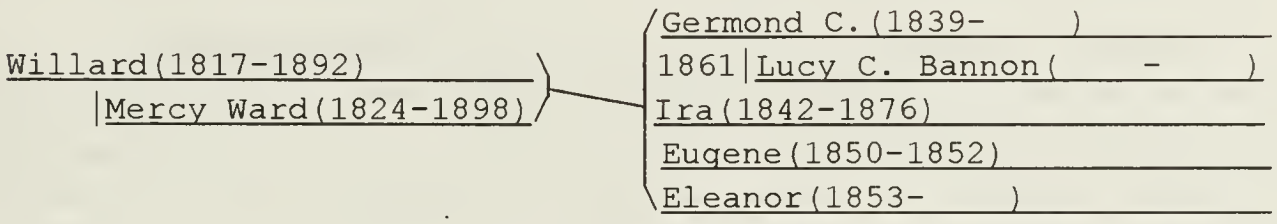
Willard [6]

Richard [1], George [2], John [3], Constant [4], Gideon [5] page 93



Willard Sisson was born August 18, 1817 in Washington County, NY. The first son Willard of Gideon and Abigail had died about 1812, age 21. This second Willard married Mercy Ward. Mercy was born in 1824 in Washington County. The family lived in West Hoosick, NY. Willard had land dealings with his brother William of Cambridge April 10, 1849 (Book 71, p.351). Willard and Mercy had four children, probably all born in Hoosick:

Germond C., born in November, 1839 is discussed on page 354.

Ira was born in December, 1842 and died May 7, 1876. He is buried in Carpenter Burying Ground near Hoosick.

Eugene was born July 31, 1850, died August 27, 1852 and is also buried in Carpenter Burying Ground.

Eleanor "Helena" was born in 1853.

Willard died April 11, 1892 in Hoosic. Mercy died September 27, 1898. Both are buried in Carpenter Burying Grounds, with grandson John (of Germond).

References: (35); (195) Vol. 28; (223) 1850.

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Clark [6]

Richard [1], George [2], James [3], Barnet [4], Rodman [5] page 94

Clark(1771-1848)
1796 Eliz. Gardinr(1776-1853)

Deborah(1797-1878)
Pardon T Greene(1793-1858)
James Gardiner(1802-1864)
1827 Margaret Bailey(1804-1861)
1863 Martha Barber(1822-1900)

Clark Sisson was born June 3, 1771 in Richmond, Washington County, RI. On November 3, 1796 he married Elizabeth Gardiner of Exeter, RI, daughter of Nicholas Jr. and Deborah (Vincent) Gardiner. They were married in Exeter by Elder Elisha Greene. Elizabeth was born in 1776. Clark was a deacon. Clark and Elizabeth had two children:

Deborah was born in November 8, 1797 in Exeter. She married Pardon T. Greene, son of William and Mercy ( ) Greene. Pardon was born in 1793. They lived in Exeter and had at least two children: Clark; and Asenath, June 2, 1829, married Mr. Bailey. Pardon died April 27, 1858; Deborah died September 26, 1878 in Lincoln; both are buried in Exeter.

James Gardiner, born September 16, 1802 in Exeter or Richmond is discussed on page 354.

Clark(e) is mentioned in a will dated 1805 in East Greenwich, probably the will of Patience Clarke. Clark's will dated March 12, 1831 [Richmond Probate 8:64] and proved in 1849 mentions wife Elizabeth and children James Gardiner Sisson and Deborah Greene. Clark died December 20, 1848 in Exeter or Richmond and is buried in a private cemetery on Joseph Sherman Sisson's farm in Richmond. Elizabeth died August 24, 1853.

References: (7) 5:30; (11) Vol. II, p.118; (14) Vol. 3, p.252 & Vol. 9, p.220; (40) p.287; (64) pp.287-311; (152) 5:61-62; (262) p.148.

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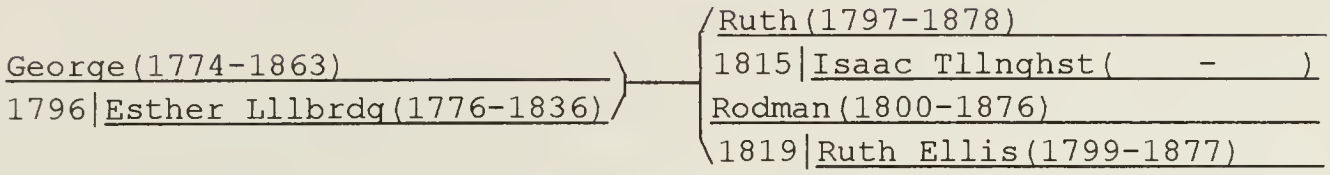
George [6]

Richard [1], George [2], James [3], Barnet [4], Rodman [5] page 94



George Sisson was born June 1, 1774 in Richmond, RI. In 1790 he became a lieutenant in the Portsmouth County, RI, militia. On June 2, 1796 he married Esther Lillibridge, daughter of Thomas Lillibridge. Esther was born November 12, 1776. The family moved from Exeter, RI, to Hampton, CT, in 1821. They had two children:

Ruth was born March 25, 1797. She married Isaac Tillinghast December 24, 1815. Ruth and Isaac had three children: Stephen; Pardon; and Harriet. Ruth died August 17, 1878.

Rodman, born on June 8, 1800 is discussed on page 355.

George is mentioned in a will dated 1805 in East Greenwich, probably the will of Patience Clarke. George and Esther sold land in Exeter in 1815. George and Esther are mentioned in a will dated 1817 [Richmond Probate 4:244]. Esther died July 29, 1836 and George died November 14, 1863.

References: Rodman's will; (6) p.9; (7) 5:33; (11) Vol. II, p.119;(52) 5:61-61; (146) 10:421; (271).

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Rodman, Jr. [6]

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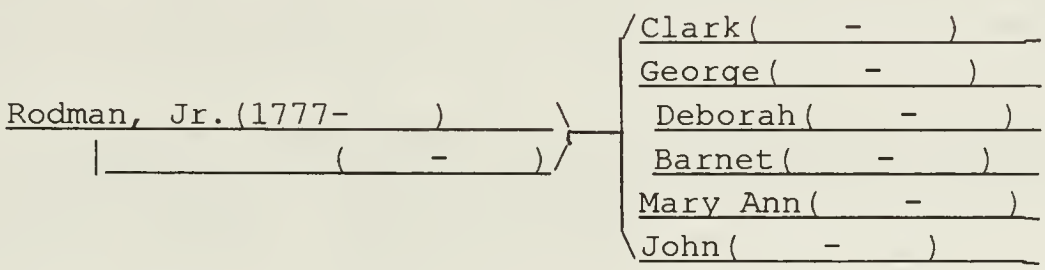

Rodman Sisson, Jr. was born in 1777 in Richmond, RI. He was baptized in the Baptist Church in Exeter in October, 1777. We do not know his wife's name. They had six children:

Clark was baptized October 4, 1806.

George was baptized January 3, 1807.

Deborah was baptized July 3, 1813.

Barnet was baptized July 7, 1816.

Mary Ann was baptized July 7, 1816. She has been confused with Mary, daughter of Lodowick Sisson, see page 184.

John (S?) was born about 1818. He has been confused with John Sherman, son of Barnet Sisson, below.

Reference: (272) 5:30.

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Barnet [6]

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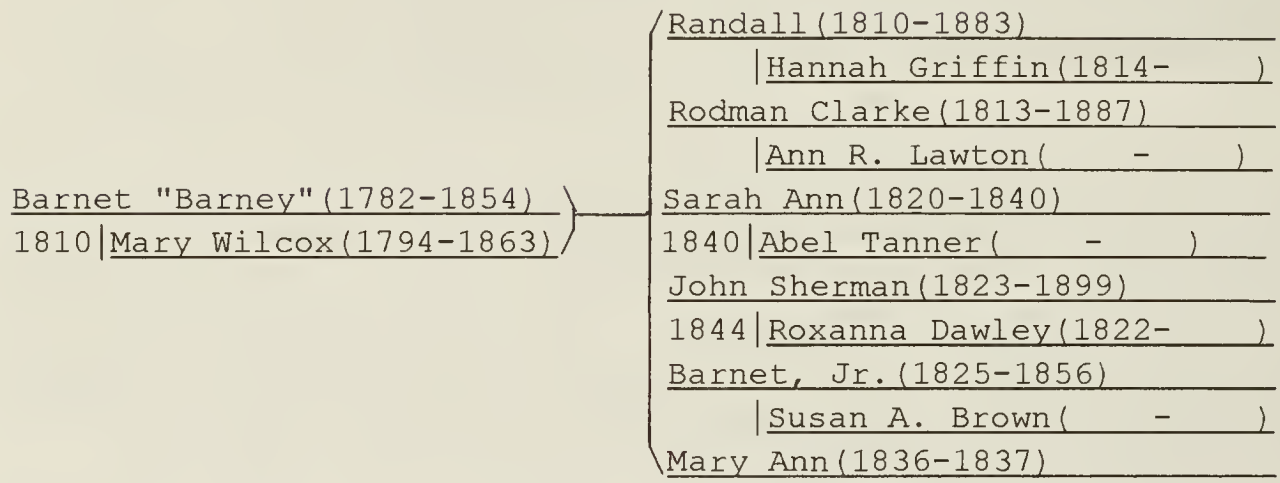

Barnet (Barney) Sisson was born February 8, 1782. He lived in Richmond and Exeter, RI. According to "American Ancestry" he moved to Connecticut. He was a farmer. On January 14, 1810 he married Mary Ann Wilcox, daughter of John and Sarah ( ) Wilcox. Mary was born August 22, 1794. In some records Barnet's wife is called "Sally". They had six children:

Randall, born September 25, 1810 is discussed on page 356.

Rodman Clarke, born December 3, 1813 in Exeter is discussed on page 357.

Sarah Ann was born February 9, 1820. She was married in East Greenwich September 7, 1840 to Abel Tanner (or Fenner) of Hopkinton, RI. Sarah died September 29, 1840. Ref: (52) 4:35.

John Sherman, born February 12, 1823 is discussed on page 357.

Barnet, Jr., born May 8, 1825 is discussed on page 357.

Mary Ann was born December 3, 1836 and died March 3, 1837.

Barney is mentioned in a will dated 1805 in East Greenwich, probably the will of Patience Clarke. Barnet died December 17, 1854 in Exeter, his death is reported in the "Rhode Island Daily Journal", 3 February, 1855. Mary died August 18, 1863.

References: (7) 1:65; (11) Vol. II, p.120; (14) Vol. 2, p.148 & Vol. 7, p.316; (52) 5:61-62; (273).

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John, Jr. [6]

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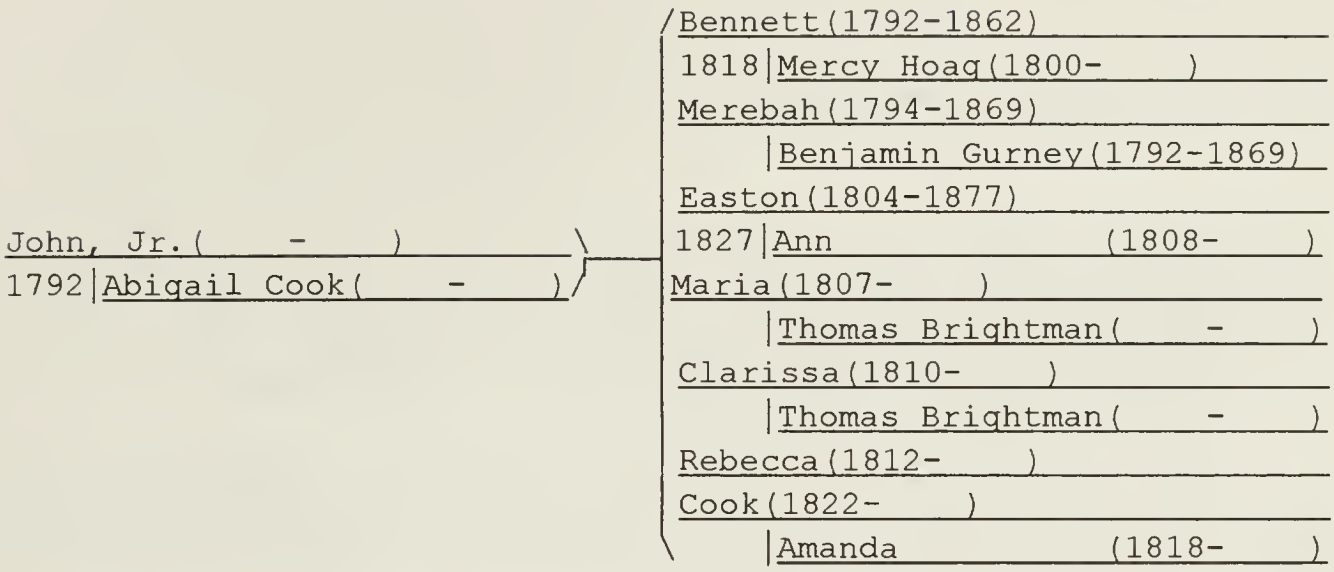

John Sisson, Jr. was born about 1760. On January 29, 1792 he married Abigail Cook, daughter of Job and Elizabeth (Sisson) Cook. They were married in Portsmouth by Elder William Bliss. John and Abigail had seven children:

Bennett, born June 7, 1792 is discussed on page 359.

Merebah was born July 28, 1794. She married Benjamin Gurney, son of David and Elizabeth ( ) Gurney. Benjamin was born March 27, 1792. They had nine children: Prudence, June 8, 1814; David S., November 23, 1816; Isaac B., September 6, 1819; Anna Mariah, January 4, 1821; Lydia F., December 16, 1823; John S., March 30, 1826; Clarissa, April 28, 1828; Cook, November 21, 1830; and Hyram, April 5, 1833. Benjamin died September 21, 1869; Merebah died seven days later.

Easton, born April 17, 1804 in New York is discussed on page 360.

Maria was born in 1807. She married Thomas Brightman.

Clarissa was born in 1810; she also married Thomas Brightman; they lived in Quaker Springs, Saratoga County, NY. They had four sons: Charles, Thomas, John and Henry.

Rebecca was born in 1812.

Cook, born circa 1822 in New York is discussed on page 360.

John is mentioned in his father's will dated September 9, 1777. John died in Rennikais, NY. His widow went to Rhode Island but died after 1850 in Renssalaer, NY.

References: (7) 4:41; (11) Vol. II, p.53.

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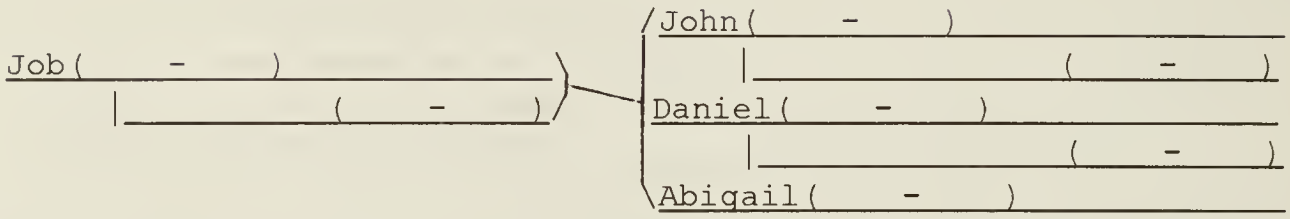
Job [6]

Richard [1], George [2], James [3], Joseph [4], John [5] page 95



Job (also reported Jabez) Sisson was born about 1764. We do not know his wife's name. She and Job had three children:

John, born about 1790 is discussed on page 361.

Daniel, born about 1792 is discussed on page 361.

Abigail was born about 1794.

Job is mentioned in his father's will dated September 9, 1777. [Records dated March 30, 1790 are signed by a Job Sisson and his wife Ann; this is probably his father's brother Job.]

Reference: (11) Vol. II, p.53.

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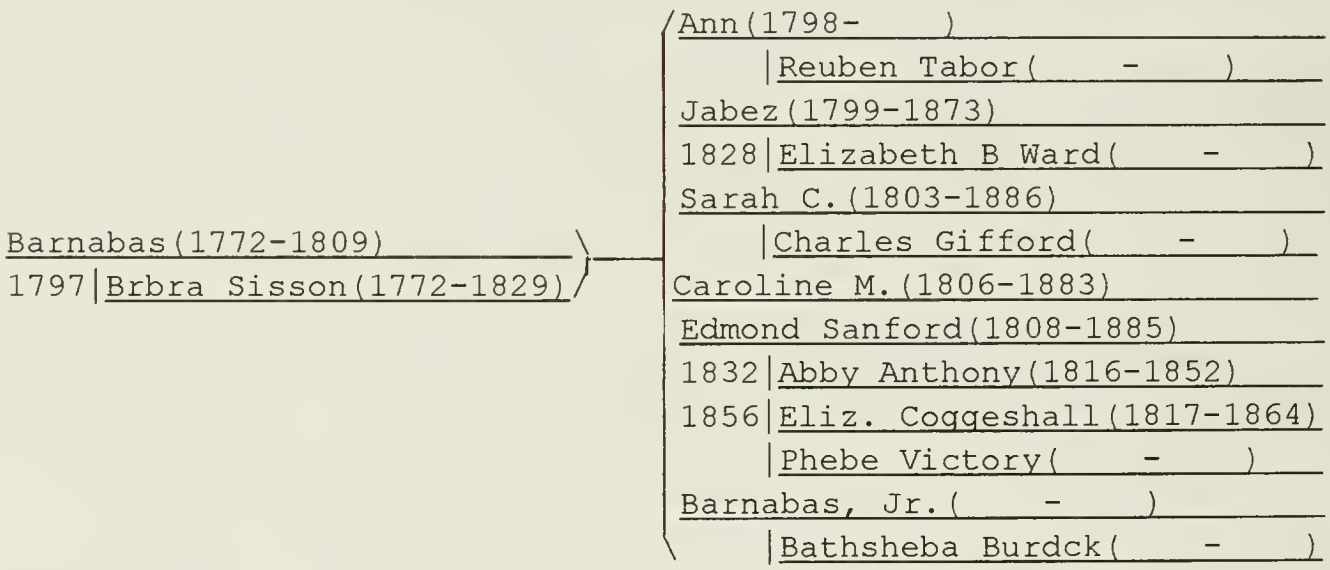
Barnabas [6]

Richard [1], George [2], James [3], Joseph [4], Joseph, Jr. [5] page 96



Barnabas (or Barnard) Sisson was born in 1772 in Portsmouth, Newport County, RI. He was a farmer and a mariner. On December 17, 1797 he married Barbara Sisson, daughter of Richard and Sarah (Fish) Sisson, page 61. They were married in Portsmouth by Elder William Bliss. Barbara was born December 1, 1772. Barnabas and Barbara had six children, all born in Portsmouth:

Ann was born August 22, 1798. She married Reuben Tabor. They had three children: Edward, Bathsheba, and Mary Jane.

Jabez, born November 24, 1799 is discussed on page 362.

Sara C. was born July 6, 1803. She married Charles Gifford. Sara died in 1886.

Caroline M. was born September 20, 1806. She was not married and died in 1883.

Edmond (or Edward) Sanford, born September 19, 1808 is discussed on page 362.

Barnabas, Jr. was born about 1810. He married Bathsheba Burdick and has been reported as "Barnabas, son of Barbara, born Portsmouth, August 20, 1792".

Barnabas administered the estate of his brother Jabez November 10, 1800. Barnabas was drowned August 19, 1809 in the Sakonnet River, when his boat was upset. Barbara and the children are mentioned in her father's will dated 1829. Barbara died in April, 1829. Both are buried in the Union Cemetery in Portsmouth.

References: (7) 4:41, 97, 12:30, 14:274; (11) Vol. II, p.5; (14) Vol. 10, p.309; (29) p.609; (89) Vol. III; (125) p.304; (149) 9:47, 10:400-3; (274) 1800.

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David [6]

Richard [1], George [2], James [3], Joseph [4], James [5] page 98

David(1773-)
1799 | Rebeca Crnll(1775-)

- Robert Cornell(1800-1872)
  - 1824 | Rhoda Anthony(1802-)
  - 1830 | Mary Ann Anthony(1809-1892)
- Silas(1802-)
  - 1826 | Eliza Baker(-)
- Adeline(1804-)
- Henry Tew(1806-)
  - 1849 | Julia A. Smith(1832-)
- David, Jr.(1809-)
  - Sarah A. Simmons(-)

David Sisson was born October 11, 1773 in Portsmouth, RI. On November 14, 1799 in Portsmouth he married Rebecca Cornell, daughter of Robert and Hannah (Weaver) Cornell. They were married by Rev. Michael Eddy. Rebecca was born January 23, 1775 in Middletown, RI. David and Rebecca had five children, all born in Middletown:

Robert Cornell, born May 3, 1800/1 is discussed on page 363.

Silas, born February 26, 1802 is discussed on page 364.

Adeline was born April 29, 1804. She has been reported as married to Nathaniel Gardner (see Adeline of Moses, David's brother, below).

Henry Tew, or Henry F., born May 29, 1806 is discussed on page 365.

David, Jr., born May 30, 1809 is discussed on page 365.

References: Pension application of James; (7) 4:38, 41, 97 & 16:517 & 18:48; (149).

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Moses L. [6]

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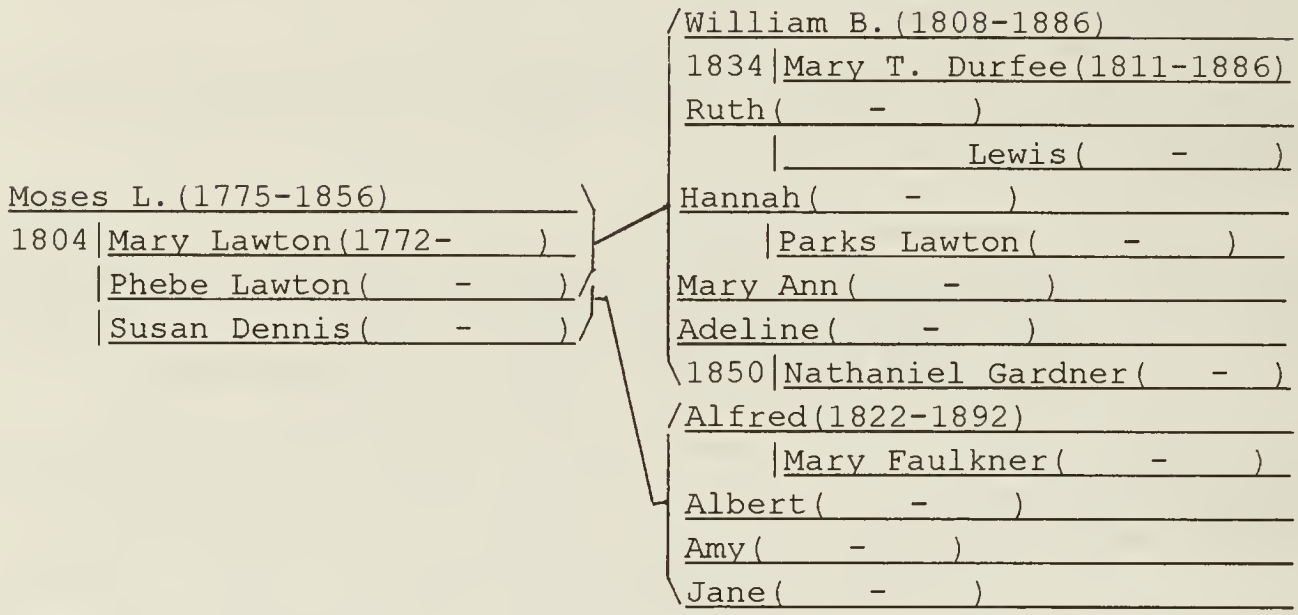

Moses L. Sisson was born October 7, 1775 in Portsmouth, RI. He was a farmer. On June 26, 1804 he married Mary Hall Lawton, daughter of George and Ruth (Brownell) Lawton. They were married in Portsmouth by Giles Lawton, Jr., Justice. Mary was born April 5, 1772.

Apparently Mary died soon, for Moses married second, Phebe C. Lawton of Portsmouth. Phebe was born about 1790. Moses and Phebe had five children, all born in Portsmouth:

William B., born in 1808 is discussed on page 365.

Ruth was born about 1810. She married Mr. Lewis. He and Ruth had two daughters mentioned in her grandmother Sophia's will written in 1842: Ruth and Elizabeth.

Hannah was born about 1813. She married Parks Lawton.

Mary Ann was born about 1815.

Adeline was born about 1816. On November 28, 1850 she married Nathaniel Gardner. Nathaniel has been reported as marrying Adeline, daughter of Moses' brother David above.

Moses married third, Susan Dennis of Portsmouth. Moses and Susan had four children:

Alfred, born August 25, 1822 in Portsmouth is discussed on page 366.

Albert was probably born about 1824.

Amy was probably born about 1827. This is probably the Amy C. Sisson who married Joseph A. Kemp, September 24, 1845. Ref: (275) 2:23.

Jane was probably born about 1830.

Moses's will dated 1856 mentions Ruth, Hannah, Adeline and their spouses. He died December 30, 1856.

Reference: (7) 4:97; (11) Vol. II, pp.55-6; (14) Vol. 10, pp.305-9; (89) Vol. I;

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Aaron [6]

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Aaron(1779-1838)) Phebe Lawton(-)
Ruth Lawton(-) 1828 Johnson Gardner(-)

Aaron Sisson was born October 29, 1779 in Portsmouth, RI. He married Ruth Lawton. They lived in Seekonk, MA. Aaron and Ruth had an only daughter:

Phebe Lawton may have been born about 1805 in East Providence, RI. She published intent to marry May 16, then married June 8, 1829 Dr. Johnson/Jonathan Gardner of East Providence, son of James and Susan (Tripp) Gardner. They were married in the Newman Congregational Church of Seekonk by Rev. James O. Barney. Phebe and Johnson had eight children: Johnson Aaron, April 10, 1830; Eleanor Phebe, February 4, 1832; Josephine Amelia, October 7, 1833; Ruth Ann, February 19, 1836; Adelaide Victoria, January 1, 1838; Walter Scott, September 9, 1839; Lenora Susan, November 29, 1842; and Clarence F., October 24, 1844. The family moved from Pawtucket in 1840 to Seekonk, then to E. Providence. Refs: (7) Vol. 6, p.518, Vol. 9, pp.121, 583, Vol. I, p.175; (46) Vol. 25, p.380.

Aaron died January 15, 1838.

We have no additional references.

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Benjamin [6]

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Benjamin(1782-) <Dennis(1823-)
1804 Elizabeth Dennis(1790-)

Benjamin Sisson was born July 24, 1782 in Portsmouth, RI. On September 29, 1804 in Newport, RI, he married Elizabeth Dennis, daughter of William Dennis. Elizabeth was born circa 1790. Benjamin and Elizabeth had one son:

Dennis was born circa 1823.

In the 1850 census for Stillwater, Saratoga County, NY, an Elizabeth, age 60, born in Rhode Island, was living with Dennis Cisson, age 27, a farmer born in New York.

There was a Benjamin Sisson who married Lucy Perry February 26, 1815 in Seekonk and had a son Henry P. in 1815. Ref: (7) Vol. I, pp.125, 147.

Reference: (7) 4:97.

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Sanford [6]

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Sanford(1783-1859)
1811|Flavia West(1790-1862)

- Caroline(-)
- Angeline(-)
  - |Isaac Russell(-)
- Jabez(1812-)
  - |Martha A. (1819-)
- William W.(1813-)
  - 1835|Orpha Knapp(-)
- Sanford, Jr.(1815-1868)
  - 1840|Catherine Walctt(1818-1910)
- James L.(1817-)
  - 1839|Caroline Walcott(-)
- Lewis F.(-)
  - 1842|Mary Gifford(-)
- Eveline(-1881)
  - 1840|Norman Hinckley(-)
- Emeline(-)
  - 1843|Alford E. Fowler(-)
- Lucius P.(1823-1902)
  - 1844|Elizabeth Mills(1822-1912)
- Arnold(1823-1893)
  - 1847|Lydia Gifford(1829-)
- Foster Sanford(1825-1865)
  - 1851|Sarah Jane Bird(1829-1897)
- Henry Clay(1827-1865)
  - 1856|Cordelia A. Bare(-)
- Augustus T.(1829-1904)
  - 1852|Susan Fowler(1833-1899)
- Augusta Flavia(-)
  - 1850|Zalmon Hinckley(-)

Sanford Sisson was born August 29, 1783 in Newport, RI. About 1790 his family moved to Rensselaer County, NY. He was a Whig. Circa 1811 Sanford married Flavia(h) West, daughter of William West. Flavia was born circa 1790 in Wayne County, NY, (or MA). He was in the War of 1812 from Wayne County, NY, and was granted a claim of $47 for personal property worn out, lost, or destroyed. The family moved to Greenwich, Huron County, OH, in 1827. He built a log house

on 114 acres of wilderness. Sanford and Flavia had fifteen children; the first twelve were born in New York:

Caroline is reported as the first child; she was not married, moved to Ohio in 1827 and died in Ripley, OH.

Angeline is reported as the second child; she married Isaac Russell and moved to Wakeman Twp, OH, in 1827. Angeline and Isaac had one son, William.

Jabez, born circa 1812 is discussed on page 367.

William W. was born circa 1813. On October 11, 1835 he married Orpha Knapp. William and Orpha had one child. Orpha married second on October 18, 1840 Daniel Farley.

Sanford, Jr., born March 11, 1815 is discussed on page 368.

James L., born circa 1817 is discussed on page 369.

Lewis F. was born about 1819. He was a resident of Indiana and took out a marriage license October 16, 1842 with Mary Gifford.

Eveline was born in 1820. On October 28, 1840 she married Norman M. Hinckley. They had one son: Lewis. Eveline died March 15, 1881.

Emeline was born about 1821. On December 7, 1843 she married Alford E. Fowler. Emeline and Alford had two children: Orrin and Hortense. Emeline died in Barry County, MI.

Lucius P., born February 15, 1823 is discussed on page 369.

Arnold, born circa 1823 is discussed on page 370.

Foster Sanford, born in 1825 is discussed on page 370.

Henry Clay was born in 1827 in Michigan. On December 14, 1856 in Ripley, MI, he married Cordelia A. Bare. Henry and Cordelia had one son and one daughter. Henry died in 1865.

Augustus T., born in 1829 in Ohio is discussed on page 371.

Augusta Flavia was born about 1831 in Michigan. On February 10, 1850 she married Zalmon Decatur (or Decane) Hinckley. Augusta and Zalmon had two daughters.

Sanford died May 1, 1859 and is buried in Lamoreux Farm Cemetery in Greenwich, Huron County, OH. Flavia was living with son Augustus T. in 1860 in Huron County; she died in 1862. She is buried on the farm where her daughter Eveline and Norman Hinckley once lived, in Barry County, MI.

References: (11) Vol. II, p.58; (157) Vol. 62; (276); (277); (278).

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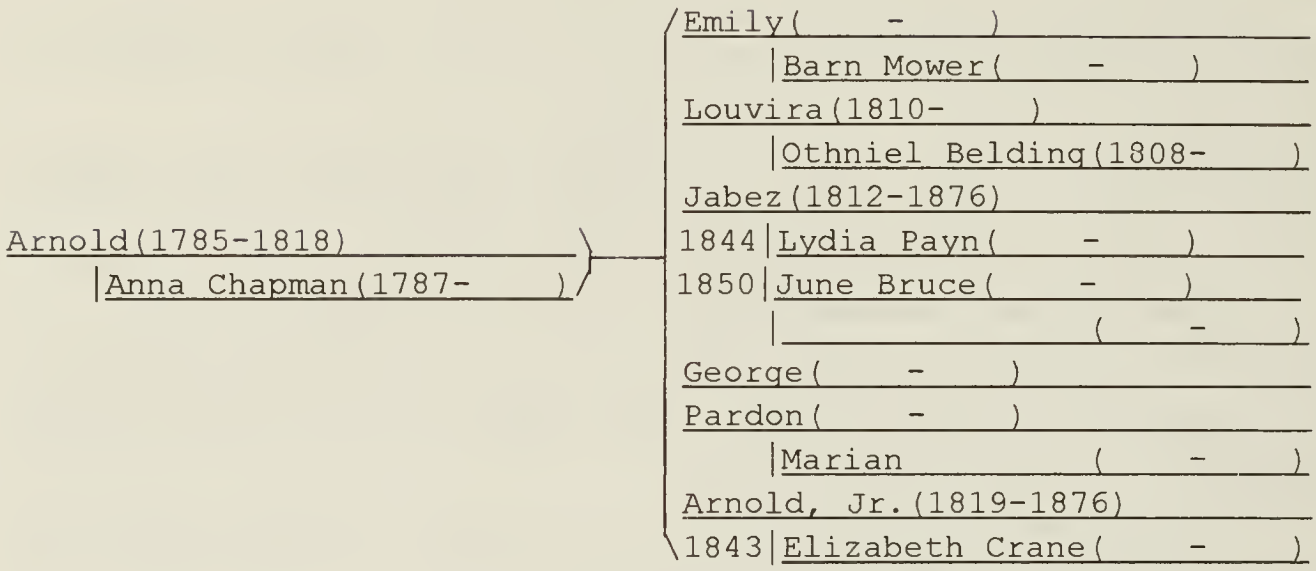

Arnold Sisson was born May 13, 1785 in Newport, RI. He married Anna Chapman; she was born circa 1787. Arnold and Anna had six children, probably all born in New York:

Emily was born about 1808. She married Barn Mower.

Louvira or Lovina was born circa 1810 in Woosler(?), NY. She married Othniel Belding. He was born circa 1808. They lived in Geneva, OH, where Louvira died. Louvira and Othniel had five children, the first born in New York and the others in Ohio: Hannah, circa 1831; Julia A., circa 1834; Amos, circa 1836; Columbus, circa 1841; and Angeline, circa 1843. Refs: (277); (279) 1850 p.409.

Jabez (or Jabed), born August 20, 1812 is discussed on page 372.

George was born about 1814. He was not married. He was "deranged".

Pardon, born about 1816 is discussed on page 372.

Arnold, Jr., born June 10, 1819 in Otsego County, NY, is discussed on page 373.

Arnold died in Worcester, NY, in 1818/19.

References: (14) Vol. 4, p. 88; (155) 1800; (157) Vol. 62; (280) 1790.

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Joseph (1789-1852)
1812 | Floret Frsbe (1790-)

- Asahel B. (1813-)
  - 1841 | Henrietta Scott (1830-)
- Cyrus F. (1815-1850)
  - 1843 | Rebecca Chambers (-)
- Emeline (1817-1836)
- Rufus King (1819-)
  - 1855 | Margaret (1835-)
  - Mary (J) Dehart (1838-)
- Ann E. (1822-)
  - 1840 | Matthew Hammond (-)
- Augustine W. (1824-1850)
- Marcus Fred (1826-)
  - 1856 | Abigail Smart (-)
  - 1867 | Marietta (1840-)
- Andrew J. (1828-1903)
  - 1854 | Nancy McMahill (-)
- Mary E. (1830-)
  - 1854 | George W. Weltz (-)
- Martin V. (1832-1836)

Joseph Sisson was born October 13, 1789 in Newport, RI. Joseph had cousins John, Joseph, and Peleg; Peleg was a surgeon in Ohio. On January 1, 1812 he married Florette Frisbee. Florette was born in November, 1790. They lived in Renssalaerville, NY, in 1800 and later in Ohio. Joseph and Florette had ten children, probably all born in New York (another child, Arthur, has also been reported):

Asahel (or Aschel) B. was born September 10, 1813. He married in August, 1841 Henrietta Scott. Henrietta was born circa 1830. He was a farmer and in the 1880 census was living in Swan Creek, Warren County, IL, with Mary Jones, age 28, as housekeeper.

Cyrus F., born June 13, 1815 is discussed on page 373.

Emeline was born August 28, 1817 and died in March, 1836.

Rufus King, born September 20, 1819 is discussed on page 374.

Ann E. was born January 3, 1822. On March 22, 1840 she married Matthew Hammond. They lived in Imogene, Fremond County, NY, and Middleboro, MA. They also lived in her brother Andrew's hotel in Swan Creek, IL. Ann and Matthew had twelve children: Mary C., September 6, 1841, married 1) Mr. James, 2) Mr. Campbell, and 3) Mr. Wood; Orrilla J., March 6 to March 25, 1843; Emphelia A., May 6, 1844; Lois A., May 28, 1845; Harriette O., May 13, 1847; Fannie F., September 13, 1849; Augustine W., December 25, 1851 to May 17, 1853; Edgar M., April 27, 1854 to August 24, 1876; Bona A., July 2, 1856; Ira A. and Ruben A., twins, November 28, 1861; and Ethel L., July 3, 1865.

Augustine W. was born in February, 1824 and died in August, 1850.

Marcus Fred, born June 12, 1826 is discussed on page 374.

Andrew J., born September 10, 1828 is discussed on page 375.

Mary E. was born November 28, 1830. On February 17, 1854 she married George W. Weltz. They lived in Hutchinson, KS. Mary and George had eight children: Cyrus A., April 4, 1854 to July 15, 1858; Edwin, May 17, 1855; Walter W., March 4, 1859; Flora M., September 14, 1861; Hewton S., December 24, 1864; William, September 24, 1866; Martha A., September 14, 1869; and Frank G., April 27, 1872.

Martin V. was born June 11, 1832 and died June 12, 1836.

Joseph died June 22, 1852.

Reference: (14) Vol. 4, p. 88; (155) 1800; (157) Vol. 62.

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James [6]

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James (1797-)
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a son
a son

James Sisson was born January 26, 1797 in Portsmouth, RI. James was married but we do not know his wife's name. They had two sons and 21 grandchildren.

Reference: (7) 4:98.

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Pardon, Jr. [6]

Richard [1], George [2], James [3], James, Jr. [4], Pardon [5] page 103

Pardon, Jr. (1798-1860)
1821 | Marsa Hnckly (1802-1826)
1827 | Abgl McCll (1794-1873)

Sarah (1822-1846)
| Henry King (-)
Frederick Plumber (1824-1895)
1849 | Mary Ann Field (1829-1884)
Justin Hinckley (1826-1893)
1861 | Lydia M. Field (1837-)

Henry McCall (1829-)
1860 | Eliza J. Miller (1836-)
John Williams (1831-1832)
William Pardon (1833-)
1859 | Harriet Hinckley (1839-1910)
Abba Marissa (1835-)
| Andrew Huntingtn (-)

Pardon Sisson, Jr. was born June 23, 1798 in Portsmouth, Newport County, RI. He was a farmer. On January 1, 1821 he married Marissa Hinckley, daughter of Thomas (or Timothy) and Salome (Strong) Hinckley. Marissa was born April 30, 1802 in Lebanon, CT. Pardon and Marissa had three children, all born in Lebanon:

Sarah was born May 7, 1822. She married Henry King and died April 2, 1846.

Frederick Plummer, born May 14, 1824 is discussed on page 375.

Justin Hinckley, born April 3, 1826 is discussed on page 376.

Marissa died May 2, 1826 and Pardon married second September 30, 1827 Abigail "Abba" McCall. She was the daughter of Ozias M. and Elizabeth (Williams) McCall. Abigail was born in Lebanon, CT, September 26 (or June 25), 1794. The family moved to Clinton, Oneida County, NY, in 1827. Pardon and Abigail had four children, all born in Clinton:

Henry McCall, born September 29, 1829 is discussed on page 378.

John Williams was born September 3, 1831 and died September 24, 1832.

William Pardon, born April 4, 1833 is discussed on page 378.

Abba Marissa was born September 27, 1835. She married Andrew Huntington.

The family moved to Galesburg, IL, in 1842. Pardon died November 23, 1860 and Abigail died February 20, 1873, both in Galesburg.

References: (7) 4:98; (11) Vol. IV, pp.1-5; (281); (282); (283) 1830 #83 and 1840 #15.

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Frederick Plummer [6]

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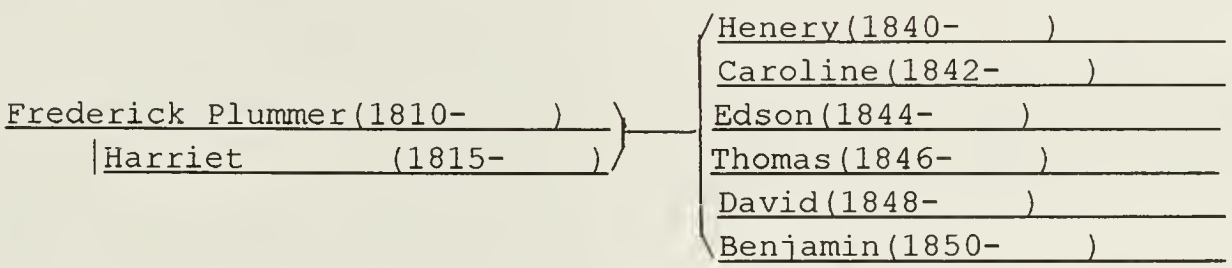

Frederick Plummer Sisson was born February 24, 1810 in New York. He was a millwright and laborer. He married Harriet ( ). Harriet was born circa 1815 in New York. Frederick and Harriet six children, all born in Chenango County, NY:

Henry was born circa 1840.

Caroline was born circa 1842.

Edsen (or Eaton) was born circa 1844.

Thomas was born circa 1846.

David was born circa 1848.

Benjamin was born in May, 1850; [listed as 1/12 in the 1850 census].

References: (195) Vol. 202C, p.90; (284) 1850 [called Scisson].

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Richard [6]

Richard [1], James [2], Richard [3], Richard, Jr[4], Benjamin [5] page 105

Richard(-)
1772|Lydia Burkitt(-)

- Joseph(-)
- 1831|Belinda Perry(1805-1832)
- James(-)
- Jonathan B.(-)
- 1830|Mary Gove Bean(-)

Richard Sisson was born about 1749. On November 10, 1772 he married Lydia Burkitt in the Congregational Church, West Side of the River [Providence, RI?]. Richard and Lydia had three sons:

Joseph was born about 1774. He married April 24, 1831 Belinda Perry. They were married in the Congregational Church in Providence by Rev. Mr. Waterman. Belinda was born circa 1805 and died February 8, 1832.

James was born about 1776. He was performing marriages in Providence, RI, in 1816.

Jonathan B., born about 1778 is discussed on page 379.

References: (7) 2:170, 220; 19:126; 20:330; 22:559.

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Joseph, Jr. [6]

Richard [1], James [2], Richard [3], Richard, Jr. [4], Joseph [5] page 106

Joseph, Jr.(1765-1847)
1791|Prisclla Taylr(1764-1854)

- Hannah(1792-1795)
- Samuel(1793-1864)
- Ruth(1795-)
- Frances(1795-1795)
- Avis(1796-)
- Silas(1798-1854)
- 1826|Elizabeth Bakr(1806-)
- Susannah(1800-)
- Hannah(1802-1853)
- 1836|Benjamin Green(1797-1844)
- Lois(1804-1839)
- Anna(1806-1840)
- Joseph Taylor(1808-)
- 1849|Emma A Jenkers(-)

Joseph Sisson, Jr. was born June 10, 1765 in Middletown or Portsmouth, RI. On December 7, 1791 in Portsmouth he married Priscilla Taylor, daughter of Peter and Frances (Clark) Taylor. Priscilla was born December 5, 1764. The family lived in Pawtucket, RI. Joseph and Priscilla had seven children born in Portsmouth, then four children born in Newport, RI:

Hannah was born September 4, 1792 and died October 31, 1795.

Samuel was born November 11, 1793. He was not married and died December 26, 1864.

Ruth was born April 26, 1795. She was not married. It has also been reported that she married Samuel Sherman December 16, 1830, see Ruth T. daughter of Job and Elizabeth (Tabor)Sisson page 141.

Frances was born April 26, 1795, a twin to Ruth. She died July 4, 1795 in Rhode Island. Ref: (30).

Avis was born October 8, 1796. She was not married.

Silas, born May 22, 1798 is discussed on page 379.

Susannah was born May 21, 1800. She was not married.

Hannah was born May 20, 1802. On October 5, 1836 in Providence, she married Benjamin Green, son of Rowland and Susanna (Harris) Green. Benjamin was born August 10, 1797. Hannah and Benjamin had three children: Joseph, September 1, 1837 to January 5, 1861; Lois Anna, February 9, 1840 was a teacher; and Edward H., September 10, 1841. Benjamin died January 27, 1844; Hannah died April 22, 1853.

Lois was born February 26, 1804. She was probably not married and died September or November 13, 1839.

Anna was born August 2 or 20, 1806, was probably not married and died September or November 14, 1840.

Joseph Taylor, born August 7, 1808 is discussed on page 380.

Both Joseph and Priscilla are mentioned in her father's will dated 1808. Joseph died September 5, 1847 in North Providence, RI. Priscilla died April or June 27, 1854.

References: (7) 4:96 & 7:32, 74, 241, 274; (11) Vol. II, p.49; (14) Vol. 10, p.309; (101) Vol. 1, pp.322, 555; (274) 1800 & 1810.

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Asa [6]

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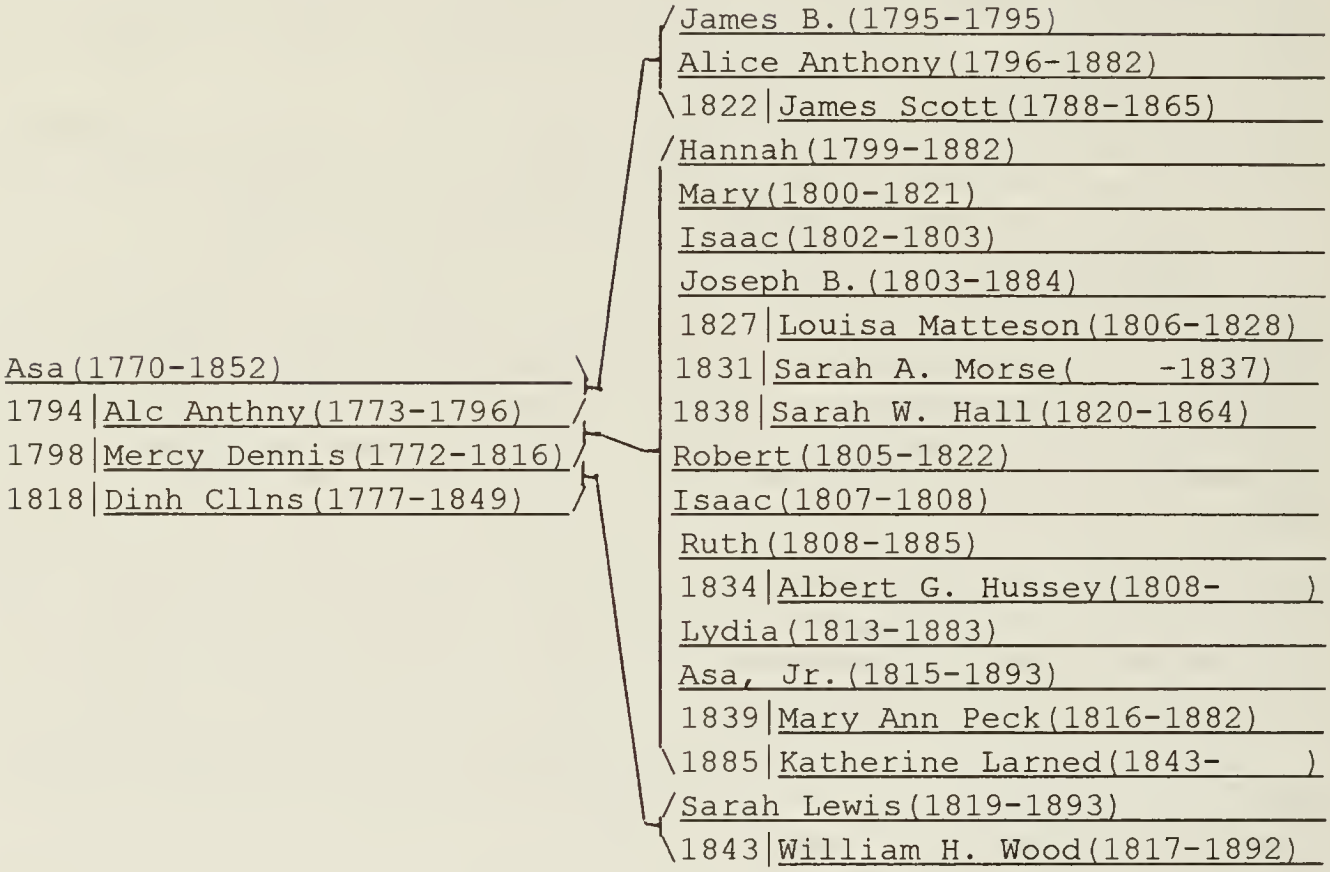

Asa Sisson was born January 7, 1770 in Newport, RI. He was a member of the Society of Friends, a farmer, mechanic and butcher. On May 1, 1794 in Providence, he married first Alice Anthony of North Providence, daughter of Daniel and Mary (Bowen) Anthony. Alice was born January 4, 1773 in North Providence. Asa and Alice had two children, born in Providence:

James B. was born September 12, died October 6, 1795.

Alice Anthony was born September 25, 1796. On April 25, 1822 she published intent to marry; and while living in Coventry on May 30, 1822 married in Smithfield James Scott, son of Job and Eunice (Anthony) Scott. James was born April 7, 1788. He was a teacher and lay reader in the New Church Swedenborg and compiled a record of the descendants of Richard and Alice (Soule') Sisson through their son John of Providence. Alice and James had three children: Sarah, May 5, 1823 to January 7, 1837; Anna, January 24, 1825, married Mr. Lowell; and Maria, August 17 to August 30, 1826. James died November 17, 1865; Alice died in 1882.

On September 25, 1796 Alice died at the birth of daughter Alice. On August 15, 1798 in Portsmouth, Asa married second Mercy "Mary" Dennis, daughter of Robert and Hannah (Coggeshall) Dennis. Mercy was born February 14, 1772. Both are mentioned in her father's will dated 1799. Asa and Mercy had nine children:

Hannah was born June 6, 1799 in Greenwich, RI. She was not married but has been reported as marrying Benjamin Greene; see

Hannah, 1802, daughter of Joseph and Priscilla above. Hannah died May 2, 1882.

Mary was born December 20, 1800 in Greenwich and died January 16, 1821. She is buried in the Friends School lot, Providence.

Isaac was born November 15, 1802 in Greenwich and died April 22, 1803 in Newport.

Joseph B., born December 31, 1803 in Greenwich is discussed on page 381.

Robert was born November 16, 1805 in Newport and died August 14, 1822 in Coventry where he is buried.

Isaac was born May 31, 1807 and died January 17, 1808.

Ruth was born November 20, 1808. On October 15, 1834 she married Albert G. Hussey in Narragansett. Albert was born June 30, 1808. Ruth and Albert had three children: Emily, January 18, 1837 to 1899; Isaac, October 2, 1841, married Miss Woodman; and Mercy A., November 20, 1845, married Mr. Colcord. Ruth died March 4, 1885.

Lydia was born June 4, 1813 in Warwick and died February 7, 1883. She was not married.

Asa, Jr., born October 5, 1815 in Warwick, RI, is discussed on page 382.

Mercy (Dennis) died December 27, 1816; in a death report her name was miswritten as Nancy. Mercy's gravestone is in Paul Greene's Cemetery in Warwick. Most of these births and deaths are reported in the Narragansett Friends Records. Asa married third in Kingstown May 27, 1818 Dinah Collins of Hopkinton, RI, daughter of Jabez and Sarah (Lewis) Collins. Dinah was born October 17, 1777. Asa and Dinah had one child:

Sarah Lewis was born April 19, 1819 in Plainfield, RI. On January 12, 1843 she married William H. Wood, son of Thomas and Esther (Havens) Wood. William, born in 1817, was a carpenter and jewelry-colorer. They lived in Cranston, RI. Sarah and William had two children: Richard Maratt, November 23, 1848, married Miss Wood; and Arthur A., November 18, 1857, married Miss Moore. William died March 21, 1892; Sarah died February 2, 1893.

Dinah and daughter Sarah L. are mentioned in the will of Jabez Collins, dated 1835 [Hopkinton Pribate 6:342], proved 1839. Dinah died January 16, 1849 in Providence. Asa died April 7, 1852 in East Greenwich.

References: (7) 2:37 & 4:96 & 7:32, 74/5, 120, 139, 156, 211, 241, 260, 274 & 9:181 & 14:273 & 15:336, 552 & 16:517 & 18:48 & 20:329; (11) Vol. II, pp.121-2; (14) Vol. 10, p.309; (30); (40) p.287; (89) Vol. I, 1908; (101) Vol. 1, pp.51, 555; (126) Vol. VI, No. 6, p.86 (Dec. 1895); (273); (285); (286) Vol. I, p.146.

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Isaac [6]

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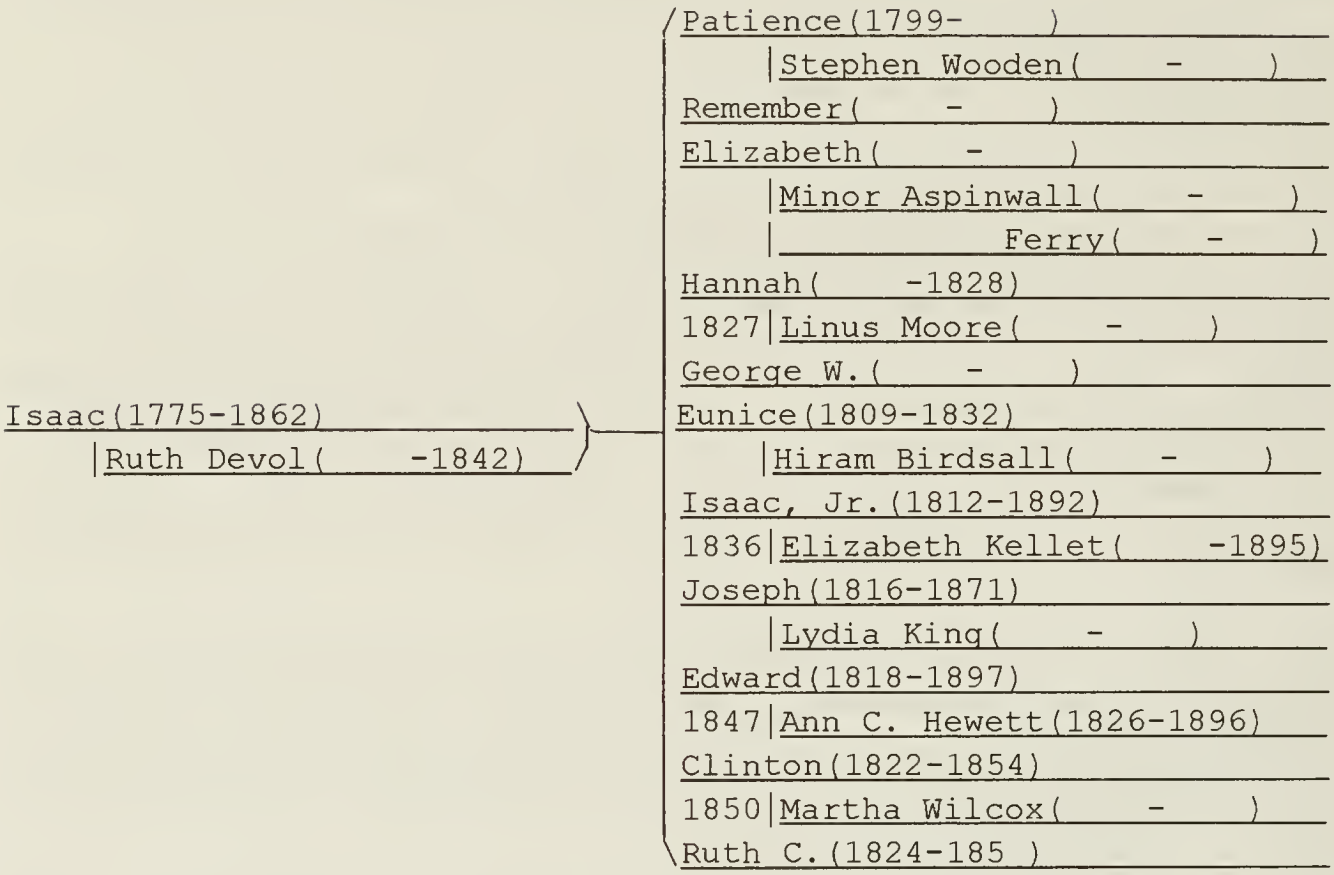

Isaac Sisson was born December 20, 1775 in Portsmouth, RI. He was a lawyer and judge. He married out of meeting and was expelled from the church. He married Ruth Davol, daughter of Daniel Davol in Pawtucket, RI. Isaac and Ruth had eleven children:

Patience was born in 1799. She married Stephen Wooden. Patience and Stephen had eight children: George, who died in 1877; William B., October, 1824; Stephen Burns, October 5, 1826; Sylvia Patience, 1828; a daughter; Lovina; Caroline S.; and a daughter.

Remember was born about 1801 and died young.

Elizabeth was born about 1803. She married first Minor Aspinwall and had three children: Harriet, Isaac, and Ruth. She married second Mr. Ferry.

Hannah was born about 1805. In 1827 she married Linus Moore. They lived in Aurora, NY, and had one daughter: Hannah, September 17, 1828, married Mr. Sykes. Mother Hannah died in September, 1828. Linus died in Rochester, NY.

George W. was born about 1807 and died at four years.

Eunice was born June 8, 1809. She married Hiram Birdsall. They lived in Penn Yann and Auburn, NY. They had three children: Edgar M.; Emma, died young; and a second Emma who married Mr. Payner. Eunice died in April, 1832 and Hiram married second Margaret ( ) Mead, widow of Jacob Mead.

Isaac, Jr., born August 12, 1812 is discussed on page 383.

Joseph was born in 1816. He was an undertaker. He married Lydia King, daughter of Consider King. They lived in King's Ferry, Cayuga County, NY. They had no children. Joseph died in 1871.

Edward, born October 18, 1818 is discussed on page 383.

Clinton, born in March of 1822 is discussed on page 384.

Ruth C. was born in March of 1824. She was not married and died in April of 185_.

Ruth died in July of 1842 in Tiverton, RI. Isaac died May 13, 1862 in Auburn, NY.

References: (7) 4:97; (166) Vol. 5, pp.26 & 102.

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Robert [6]

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Robert(1766-)
1790|Susanna Wheeler(-) > Jon(1790-)

Robert Sisson was born September 28, 1766 in Dartmouth, MA. On February 16, 1790 in the Dutch Reform Church in Claverack County, NY, he married Susanna Wheeler of Claverack. The marriage was not recorded in Dartmouth. NOTE - This is possibly the Susannah Wheeler born in Stonington, CT, January 24, 1770, daughter of Ephraim and Lucy Wheeler, whose family "went west". Ref: (37) p.642. Robert and Susanna had one son:

Jon was born in 1790. He was baptized on November 27, 1790 in the St. Thomas Lutheran Church in Claverack.

References: (23); (70) 88:280.

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Peleg [6]

Richard [1], James [2], Richard [3], Richard, Jr [4], Philip [5] page 108

Peleg(1773-1826)
1793|Hannah Brownl(1771-) >
- Benjamin B.(1795-1860)
- Green Bradford(1796-1854)
  - 1815|Hope Potter(1798-1886)
- Melinda(1798-1882)
- Thomas R.(1800-1848)
  - 1831|Lydia Estes(1813-)
- Ann(-)
- Mary(-)
- 1833|Daniel K Andros(1811-1873)
- Rudolphus W.(-1841)
  - 1832|Elizabeth Crsby(-)
- James H.(-)
- Harvey Handy(1815-1896)
  - 1853|Mary Ann Rogers(1828-1904)

Peleg Sisson was born June 23, 1773 in Dartmouth, MA. On June 12, 1793 in Dartmouth, he married Hannah Brownell of that city, daughter of George and Rhoda (Milk) Brownell. The couple had published intent to marry February 9, 1793. The marriage and church are not in Dartmouth records. Hannah was born in 1771. Peleg and Hannah had at least nine children, all born in Massachusetts:

Benjamin B. was born in 1795. He was probably not married. He was a physician and died January 5, 1860 in Fall River, MA.

Green Bradford, born November 9, 1796 is discussed on page 385.

Melinda was born June 1, 1798. She was not married and died December 9, 1882 in Newton, MA. She is buried in Fall River.

Thomas R., born January 30, 1800 in Westport, MA, is discussed on page 386.

Ann may have been born about 1806; she was "of age" when her father's estate was settled in 1827.

Mary "Polly" may have been born about 1810. On October 3, 1833 in Berkley she married Capt. Daniel K. Andros son of Rev. Thomas and Sophia (Sanford) Andros of New Bedford, MA. Daniel was born January 14, 1811. Mary and Daniel had no issue. Daniel died April 29, 1873.

Rudolphus W. may have been born about 1812 and is discussed on page 387.

James H. may have been born about 1813/4.

Harvey Handy, born March 1, 1815 in Westport is discussed on page 387.

Peleg died intestate October 25, 1826 in Westport. He has been reported as having died at age 54, a Baptist minister with six sons and four daughters. His estate was settled June 1, 1827 including wife Hannah; and heirs Benjamin B., Green B., Melinda, H.R, [T.R.?] and Ann Sisson; Green B. assigned as guardian of Polly, Rudolphus W., and James H. Sisson.

References: (11) Vol. II, pp.123-4; (23); (81) 1800 p.336; (178).

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Robert [6]

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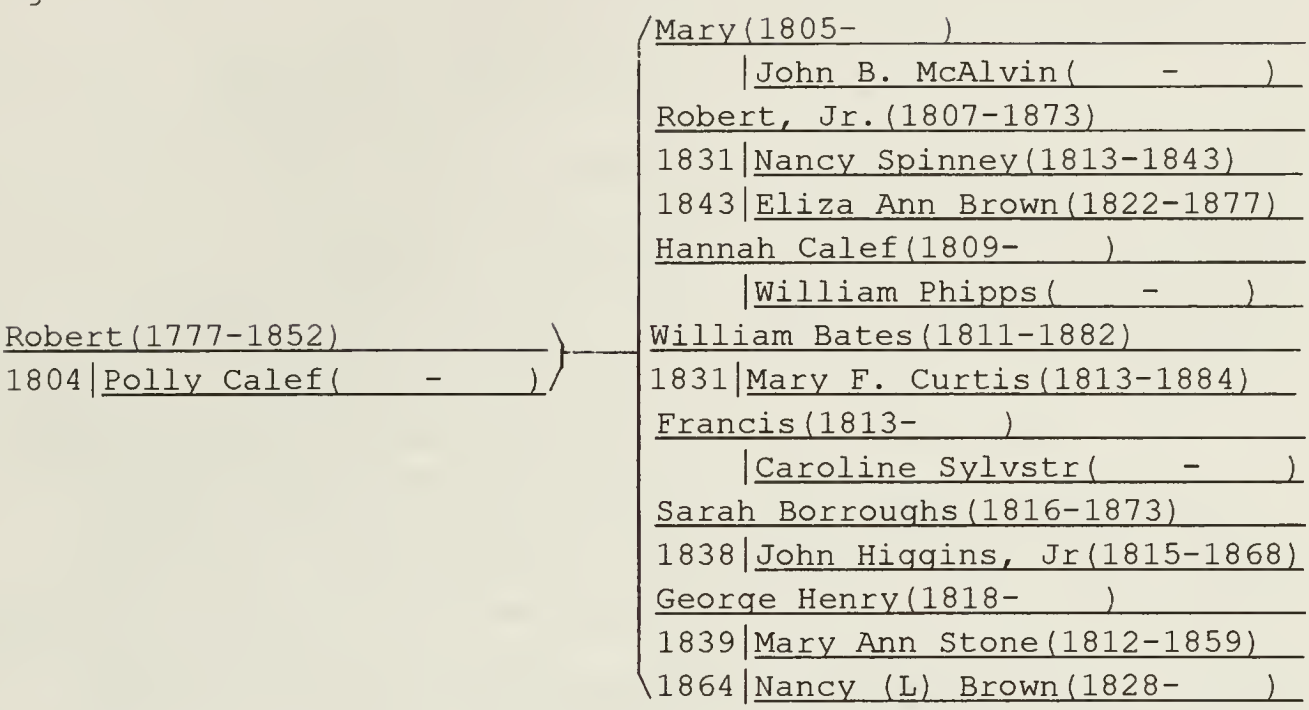

Robert Sisson was born circa 1777 in Marblehead, MA. He is the stepson of Philip and son of Ann (Spinney) Hemptonstall. He was a Morocco-dresser in Charlestown, MA. On October 7, 1804 (published intent February 1) in Boston, MA, he married Polly Calef, daughter of Capt. Daniel and Mary (Clarke) Calef. Robert and Polly had seven children, all born in Charlestown:

Mary was born September 18, 1805. She was baptized October 12, 1806. In July, 1830 she married John B. McAlvin in Charlestown. They had two children: John Henry; and Mary Augusta, who married a Mr. Penniman.

Robert, Jr., born March 11, 1807 is discussed on page 388. He was baptized April 5, 1808.

Hannah Calef was born May 15, 1809. She was baptized July 2, 1909. She married William Phipps.

William Bates, born August 3, 1811 is discussed on page 389.

Francis, born March 30, 1813 is discussed on page 390.

Sarah Burroughs was born December 13, 1816. On September 26, 1838 she married John Higgins, Jr. John was born June 23, 1815 in Boston and died July 13, 1868 in Lexington, MA. Sarah and John had two children: Charles Francis, April 2, 1840 to September 8, 1841; and Charlotte Frances, February 25, 1842. Sarah died July 5, 1873 in Boston.

George Henry, born February 12, 1818 is discussed on page 390.

Robert died July 19 or 21, 1852 in Lowell, MA. Both he and Polly are buried in Bunker Hill Burying Ground, Charlestown.

References: (7) 20:330; (11) Vol. IV, pp.25-6; (96); (98); (287); (288).

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Philip, Jr. [6]

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Philip, Jr.(1764-1817)
1785|Susanah Bown(1768-)

Elizabeth(1786-)
1809|Lemuel Brightman(-)
|Howland(-)
Hannah(1787-1872)
|Peleg Tabor(-)
Thomas(1788-1850)
|Hannah Brown(1793-1861)
Holder(1790-1878)
1815|Polly Anderson(-1817)
1821|Clarissa Bronson(1793-1858)
1859|Abigail Spicer(-1897)
Marjorie Susan(1792-)
|John Tripp(-)
Abraham(1795-)
|Elsah Shepard(-)
Nathan(1797-1816)
Cook S.(1799-1886)
1821|Lovisa Carlton(1802-)
Henry Wilbur(1801-1887)
1824|Betsy Davenport(1809-)
Lydia(1803-)
|Timothy Ingersll(-)
Abigail(1804-1893)
1826|Jacob S. Lyons(1803-1875)
Pamelia(1806-)
1826|Asa Milo Lucas(-)
Philip, III(1808-1898)
1832|Sarah Ann Foote(1811-1897)
Clarry(1810-)
Phebe(1812-)
|Ezekiel Russell(-)

Philip Sisson, Jr. was born May 18, 1764 in Tiverton, RI. Philip was a member of the family which released the Negro Jack, discussed below, to fight in the American Revolution. Philip was a ship builder and dealer in confiscated cargo. He had a half-brother, Allan (or Alvin) Shepard. On January 6, 1785 in Freetown (later Troy, now Fall River), MA, he married Susannah Bowen of that city, daughter of Nathan and Hannah (Cook) Bowen. [Both Philip and Susannah were Mayflower descendants.] Susannah (Lusannah) was born February 15, 1768 in Freetown. They were married by Judge Thomas Durfee. Philip inherited land from his grandfather Thomas on the Massachusetts-Rhode Island state line, seven miles from Fall River.

They drove a cow across the state line to avoid paying a levy on the cow. The house had six bedrooms on the second floor, with a smokehouse above them. Downstairs was a keeping room, two parlors, a store room, bedroom, kitchen, pantry and hall. They had four slaves. Philip and Susanna had fifteen children recorded in Tiverton. Another son (Allen Shepard) has been reported; he is the son of son Holder, below:

Elizabeth was born June 19, 1786. On November 19, 1809 she married, in Little Compton, Lemuel Brightman, son of Israel and Bethany (Palmer) Brightman. They lived in Tiverton, Little Compton and Westport. Elizabeth and Lemuel had three children: Eliza, November 3, 1810; Holder, August 8, 1812; and John R., September 17, 1817. Elizabeth married second, after 1820, Mr. Howland and moved to Ithica, NY, where she later cared for her mother Susannah. Elizabeth died a widow.

Hannah was born May 28, 1787. She married Peleg Taber and moved to Ledyard, NY. Hannah died in 1872.

Thomas, born December 15, 1788 is discussed on page 391.

Holder, born September 27, 1790 is discussed on page 393.

Marjorie Susan "Sukey" was born June 11, 1792. Marjorie "of Westport" married John Tripp of Warsaw, NY and lived in Warsaw. Ref: (169) p.23.

Abraham, born June 16, 1795 is discussed on page 394.

Nathan was born January 26, 1797 and died circa 1816 in Honey Creek, IN.

Cook S., born October 3, 1799 is discussed on page 395.

Henry Wilbur, born October 1, 1801 is discussed on page 395.

Lydia was born January 30, 1803. She married Timothy Ingersoll. Lydia and Timothy lived in Warsaw, NY, and had two children: Peter; and Louise.

Abigail was born July 3, 1804. At age 10 or 12 in Indiana she cared for the family during an epidemic. On July 16, 1826 she married Jacob Shepard Lyons, son of Isaac Lyons. Jacob was born in 1803. Abigail and Jacob lived in Ithaca. They had six children: Isaac, July 5, 1827 to December 3, 1854, not married; Joseph, February 14, 1831 to February 6, 1874, married Miss Welch; Mary Elizabeth, May 16, 1833 to October 18, 1918, married Mr. Merrill; Ann Eliza, May 1, 1836 to February 14, 1913, married Mr. Merrill; Harriet, born June 10, ____, married Mr. Ross; and James P., May 19, 1845, married Miss Waters. Jacob died September 9, 1875 in Ithica, NY. Abigail went to Flint, MI, to live with her son James, then returned east to live with her daughters Mary and Ann. Abigail died November 26, 1893 in Willseyville, NY. Both Abigail and Jacob are buried in Kings Cemetery.

Pamelia (or Permilla) was born March 16, 1806. In May, 1819 in the Vigo County, IN, Probate Court she selected for her guardian Daniel Jencks. On November 16, 1826 in Dryden, NY, she married Asa Milo Lucas of Buffalo, NY. They were married by Elder Sears. The couple lived in Ithica. Pamelia and Asa had twelve children: Aurelia Permilla; Lusannah; Edwin Anderson; Alma; Jerucia; Homer; Henry; Elizabeth; Abigail; Almedo; Horace Jackson; and Francis Abbott. Ref: (289) Book 4, p.143.

Philip, III, born October 5, 1808 is discussed on page 396.

Clarry was born January 14, 1810. She probably died young.

Phebe was born November 20, 1812 in Danby, NY. Daniel Jencks was appointed guardian for her and brother Philip in May, 1819. She married Ezekiel S. Russell. They lived in Ithica. Ref: (289) Book 4, p.143.

Allen/Alvin Shepard had no children; Philip's children received about $1,000 in Allen's will.

In June of 1813 the family moved to New York, then in 1816 they moved to Terra Haute, IN. Philip died circa 1817 in Indiana, age 52; he is buried in Gills Praire, IN. Susannah returned to New York with the five youngest children. Later in life she lived with daughter Eliza Howland; the pair went to Michigan where most of Susannah's children lived. Susannah died in Michigan and is buried there.

References: (7) 4:58, 106/7; (289) Book 1, p.149 & 1833/4 records; (290); (291) pp.186, 344; (292); (293).

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The following is copied from an article sent to us by William W. Sisson of Greenwood, WI. On the article someone had handwritten "...I recall Grandmother Sisson telling of Philip Sisson [pr 1776] having a slave by name of Sisson's Jack --He freed the slave to fight in the Rev. War and gave him his name."

"They Had A Dream,
Jack Sisson, A Revolutionary War Hero"
by Patrick and Reasons

Jack Sisson, a stocky, muscular Rhode Island militiaman, crashed into a general's bedroom and won himself a place in history. History noted the general, too, to the general's chagrin.

For what happened to Richard Prescott, a British major general, was a classic example of a bloody disgrace.

He was captured in his nightshirt, under the noses of his own soldiers, behind his own lines, and he was ignominiously marched in his bare feet to a waiting boat and whisked away with his troops being none the wiser. To make matters worse, it was the second capture of his ill-fated career.

The abduction of Prescott, one of the most celebrated capers of the Revolutionary War, was the inspiration of a Providence, RI, hatter-turned-soldier, Lt. Col. William Barton.

Barton needed an enemy general, any general, to trade for American Maj. Gen. Charles Lee, then a British prisoner. He got his chance to grab one when Prescott moved to a summer house outside Newport, RI, to escape the heat of the city.

Learning of the move, Barton hand-picked 35 men and four officers to pluck him off. Sisson was one of the first he chose. The husky Negro had been Barton's servant. Now he was a soldier, one of 5,000 Negroes who fought in the Revolution. And Barton knew he was brave and dependable.

The "commando" force pushed off in five whaleboats near Tiverton on Narragansett Bay on July 4, 1777. For the next six days they stealthily slipped south through heavy concentrations of British ships and troops encamped along the shore.

Reaching a cover near the general's house, Barton and his men sneaked ashore at night and discovered Prescott had entrusted his safety to a single sentry. They overpowered him.

Then Barton and Sisson burst into Prescott's house and charged up the stairs to the general's bolted bedroom door. Sisson coiled his powerful frame and splintered the door.

While Barton and Sisson stood by, the bewildered general slipped on his breeches and waistcoat -- over his nightshirt -- but he couldn't find his shoes.

He was forced to stumble barefooted across an open field to the boats which then slipped away as quietly as they had come.

The war had been going badly, and Barton's exploit had that comic quality which buoys flagging spirits.

The British chuckled, too, but they didn't chuckle when it came time to trade captured generals. Lee was Gen. George Washington's right-hand man.

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Reference:
"Jack Sisson, a black and boat-steerer in Barton's expedition, 1777, to capture Gen. Prescott." From Cowell's Spirit of '76 Index; & (7) 12:255.

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George [6]

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George(1789-1869)
1815|Mahala Tripp(1796-1848)

Elizabeth A.(1817-)
1848|Humphrey Tripp(1805-)
Rhoda G.(-1881)
1834|David S. Dyer(-)
1847|William Wilbur(1820-1892)
Alden Tripp(1821-1911)
1847|Elizabeth Stddrt(1826-1852)
1859|Phebe A. Gifford(1818-1911)
Daniel H.(1823-)
1841|Phebe C. Tripp(1811-1894)
1869|Ruth B (S) Albro(1824-)
Hannah R.(1824-1879)
1841|Alexander Gifford(-)
Stephen T.(1827-1887)
1868|Mary B. Ryan(1842-1913)
Mary Jane(1829-1891)
Abbie A.(1832-1856)
Charles S.(-)
1867|Sarah J. Levins(1837-1905)

George Sisson was born September 21, 1789 in Westport, MA. On July 9, 1815 in Westport, he married Mahala Tripp, daughter of Stephen and Hannah (Rounds) Tripp. Mahala was born March 4, 1796 in Westport. George and Mahala had nine children, all born in Westport:

Elizabeth A. was born in 1817. On October 22, 1848 in Dartmouth, MA, she married Humphrey Tripp of Westport, son of Eliju and Mary (Brownell) Tripp. Their marriage is recorded in the Dartmouth, MA, Vital Records. Humphrey was born in 1805 and was a farmer.

Rhoda G. was born about 1819. On September 8, 1834 in New Bedford she married David S. Dyer. He left her. Rhoda married second February 14, 1847 in Dartmouth William Wilbur, son of Nathan and Phebe ( ) Wilbur. William was born in 1820 in Little Compton and died January 27, 1892 in New Bedford. Rhoda died in 1881.

Alden Tripp, born November 30, 1821 or December 31, 1822 is discussed on page 397.

Daniel, born circa 1823 is discussed on page 398.

Hannah R. was born December 9, 1824. On October 31, 1841 she married Alexander B. Gifford of Westport, son of Levi and Prudence (Brownell) Gifford as recorded in the Dartmouth Vital Records. Hannah died June 14, 1879 in Westport.

Stephen T., born January 18, 1827 is discussed on page 398.

Mary Jane was born May 28, 1829. She may have married James Field. She died December 28, 1891 in New Bedford.

Abbie A. was born in 1832. She was not married and died September 24, 1856 in New Bedford. She is buried in the Oak Grove Cemetery.

Charles S. may have been born about 1835. On April 29, 1867 in New Bedford he married Sarah J. Levins, daughter of Erastus and Almira (Reynolds) Levins. Sarah was born February 12, 1837 in Westport and died September 11, 1905 in New Bedford.

Mahala died September 25, 1848. George died June 15, 1869. Both died in Westport and are buried in a private grounds near her parents.

References: (7) 7:574; (11) Vol. II, p.127; (23); (169) p55.

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Richard [1], James [2], Richard [3], James [4], Daniel [5] page 109

Warren(1792-1855)
1817|Nancy Bliss(1795-1866)

- Hannah Mason(1818-1865)
  - 1839|William J Norton(1816-1901)
- Benjamin Taylor(1818-1898)
  - 1856|Lilpah A. Waugh(1837-)
- George Howland(1820-1873)
  - 1858|Marian P. Wady(1839-)
- Rhoda Anthony(1821-)
  - 1850|Thomas H. Aiken(1825-1870)
- Charles Morgridge(1823-1847)
- Eliza Ann(1825-1914)
  - 1870|John Grey(1821-)
- Daniel Anthony(1828-1911)
- Arnold Bliss(1828-1890)
  - 1856|Hannah A Anthony(1837-1922)
- Nancy Bliss(1830-1891)
  - 1870|Arza Fish(1812-1896)
- Mary Reed(1831-1907)
- Warren, Jr.(1833-1923)
- William Frederick(1835-)

Warren Sisson was born December 21, 1792 in Westport, MA. He was a stonemason. On August 10, 1817 he published his intent to marry Nancy Bliss. They were married August 28. Nancy was from Dartmouth, MA, the daughter of Elder Arnold and Elizabeth (Weeden) Bliss. Nancy was born October 15, 1795. Warren and Nancy had twelve children: Charles, Eliza, Daniel, and Arnold born in New Bedford, MA, the others born in Dartmouth:

Hannah Mason was born January 15, 1818. On July 14, 1839 in Dartmouth she married William Jouvet Norton, son of Benjamin Spooner and Mary C. (Jouvet) Norton of Newport, RI. William was born June 9, 1816 in Newport. The couple lived in New Bedford and had ten children: William Jouvette, James Howland, Nancy, Nancy Arnold, George Warren, Charles Frederic, and four who died as infants. Hannah died February 1, 1865; William died February 23, 1901; both died in New Bedford.

Benjamin Taylor, born December 22, 1818 is discussed on page 399.

George Howland, born July 9 (or September 7), 1820 is discussed on page 400.

Rhoda Anthony was born December 26, 1821. On May 23, 1850 in Dartmouth she married Thomas H. Aiken, son of Randall and Susan ( ) Aiken. They were married by Elder James A. McKensie. Thomas was born in May, 1825 in Dartmouth. Rhoda and Thomas had one daughter: Cora Clifton. Thomas died in July, 1870; Rhoda died in Falmouth.

Charles Morgridge was born October 16, 1823. He died at sea December 9, 1847 without issue.

Eliza Ann was born September 14, 1825. On December 25, 1870 in New Bedford she married John Gray, son of Nathaniel and Lydia (Coe) Gray. John died in California (also reported December 25, 1870). Eliza died in 1914.

Daniel Anthony was born January 26, 1828 (also reported December 14, 1827). He was probably not married and lived in Falmouth. Daniel died June 25, 1911 in Falmouth and is buried in Rural Cemetery, New Bedford.

Arnold Bliss, born December 14, 1828 is discussed on page 400.

Nancy Bliss was born January 20/22, 1830. On October 13, 1870 in Dartmouth she married Capt. Arza Fish, son of James and Susannah ( ) Fish of Falmouth. Arza was born August 10, 1812. Nancy died May 20, 1891 in Falmouth; Arza died November 4, 1896.

Mary Reed was born September 6, 1831 (also reported January 7, 1832). She was not married and died June 4, 1907 in Falmouth.

Warren, Jr. was born April 5, 1833. He was probably not married and lived in Falmouth. Warren died April 1, 1823 in Falmouth and is buried in Rural Cemetery, New Bedford.

William Frederic was born September 8, 1835. He was probably not married.

In 1821 Warren and Nancy sold land which his mother had purchased from Sylvia Sisson and which he had inherited. Warren died May 31, 1855 in Dartmouth; Nancy died January 28, 1866 in New Bedford. Both are buried in Rural Cemetery, New Bedford.

References: (7) 7:573; (11) Vol. II, pp.128-9; (23).

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Job, Jr. [6]

Richard [1], James [2], Richard [3], Lemuel [4], Job [5] page 112

Job, Jr.(-) ⟩ 1824 Mary Clark(-) ⟩ James Henry(1827-1903) ⟩ 1850 Mary Lovina Spicr(1828-1914)

Job Sisson, Jr., was born about 1789. On July 31, 1824 he married Mary Clark. The Albany Daily Advertiser of August 11, 1824 carried the article "On the 31st of July, by Rev. Mr. Leonard, Mr. Job Sisson to Miss Mary Clark, both of this city." Job and Mary had one son, born in West Ft. Ann, Washington County, NY:

James Henry, born January 15, 1827 is discussed on page 401.

We have no additional references.

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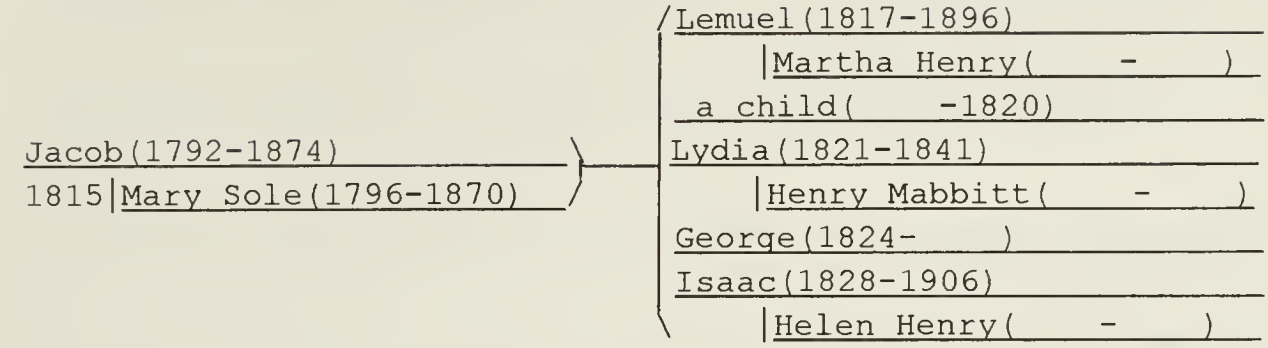
Jacob [6]

Richard [1], James [2], Richard [3], Lemuel [4], Lemuel, Jr. [5] page 113



Jacob Sisson was born July 6, 1792. On October 25, 1815 he married Mary Sole. Mary was born in 1796. On July 21, 1825 the family moved to Stanford, Dutchess County, NY. Jacob and Mary had five children:

Lemuel was born August 12, 1817. He married Martha Henry and died February 20, 1896.

A child who died in January of 1820.

Lydia was born August 17, 1821. She married Henry Mabbitt and died August 2, 1841.

George was born April 22, 1824.

Isaac, born June 1, 1828 is discussed on page 402.

There were land dealings in Chatham, Dutchess County, NY, between Jacob of Stanford, his sister Anna and Peter Fish, both of Chatham in 1827 (Book K, p.221) and 1828 (Book L, pp.21, 22, & 87). Mary died December 5, 1870 and Jacob died November 3, 1874 in Nine Partners, NY.

References: (73); (294).

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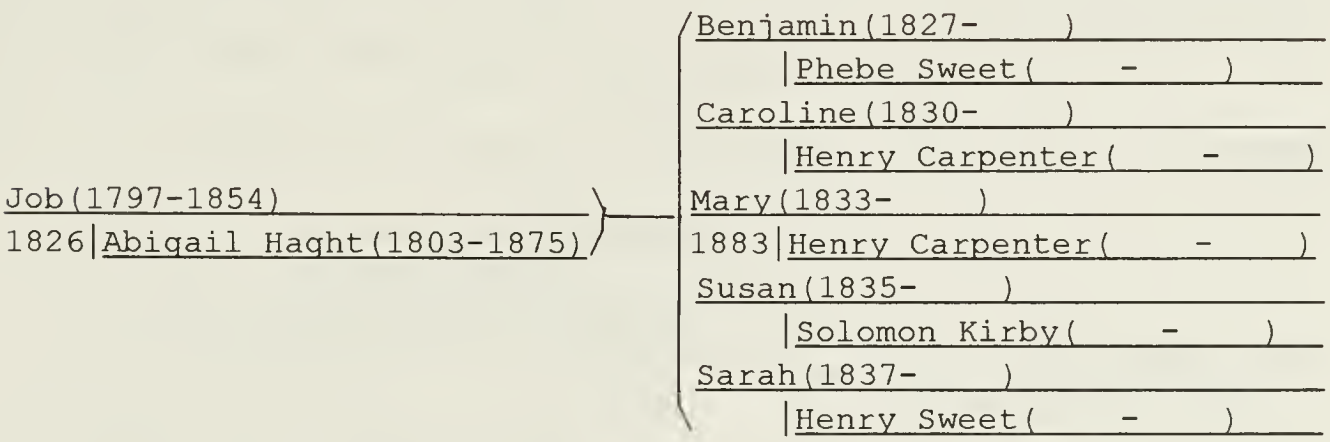
Job [6]

Richard [1], James [2], Richard [3], Lemuel [4], Lemuel, Jr. [5] page 113



Job Sisson was born April 4, 1797. He was a farmer. On December 26, 1826 in Nine Partners, Dutchess County, NY, he married

Abigail Haight, daughter of Benjamin and Susannah ( ) Haight. Abigail was born November 30, 1803. Job and Abigail had five children:

Benjamin, born September 19, 1827 is discussed on page 402.

Caroline was born July 27, 1830. She married Henry Carpenter.

Mary was born August 22, 1833. On May 22, 1883 she married Henry Carpenter, her sister's widower.

Susan was born September 19, 1835. She married Solomon Kirby.

Sarah was born July 31, 1837. She married Henry (or William) Sweet.

Job died January 12, 1854; Abigail died January 15, 1875 in Nine Partners.

References: (73); (69) 1850; (294).

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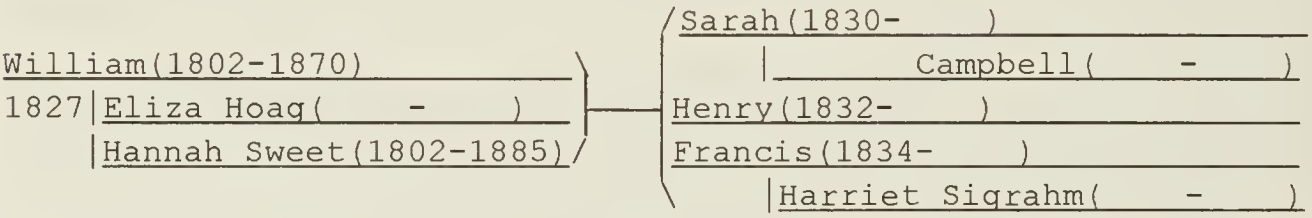
William [6]

Richard [1], James [2], Richard [3], Lemuel [4], Lemuel, Jr. [5] page 113



William Sisson was born February 21, 1802. On October 3, 1827 he married Eliza Hoag. He married second Hannah R. Sweet. Hannah was born in January, 1802. William had three children, mother unknown, all of whom lived in Washington, Dutchess County, NY:

Sarah was born circa 1830. She married Dr. Campbell.

Henry was born circa 1832. He was not married.

Francis "Frank", born circa 1834 is discussed on page 402.

On October 18, 1866 William and Hannah moved from Nine Partners to Oswego, NY. William died May 25, 1870. In 1875 Hannah moved to Poughkeepsie. Hannah died September 4, 1885.

Reference: (69) 1850.

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Henry [6]

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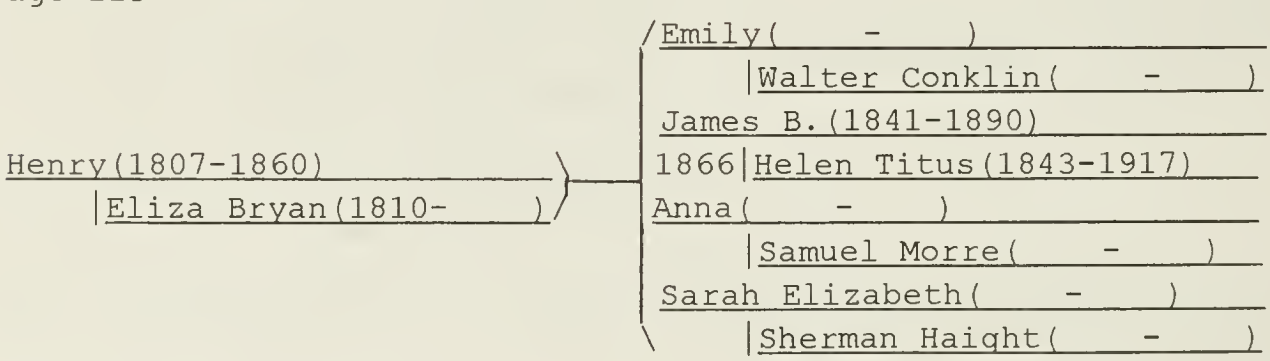

Henry Sisson was born October 4, 1807. He was a farmer and married Eliza Bryan, daughter of Amos Bryan. Eliza was born circa 1810. Henry and Eliza had four children:

Emily was born about 1835 and married Walter Conklin.

James B., born in 1841 in Poughkeepsie, Dutchess County, NY, is discussed on page 403.

Anna was born about 1843. She married Samuel Morre.

Sarah Elizabeth was born about 1845. She married Sherman Haight.

Henry Sisson died April 19, 1860 and is buried in Friends Cemetery, Mechanicville, NY.

References: Lemuel's will; (69) 1850; (73).

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James, Jr. [6]

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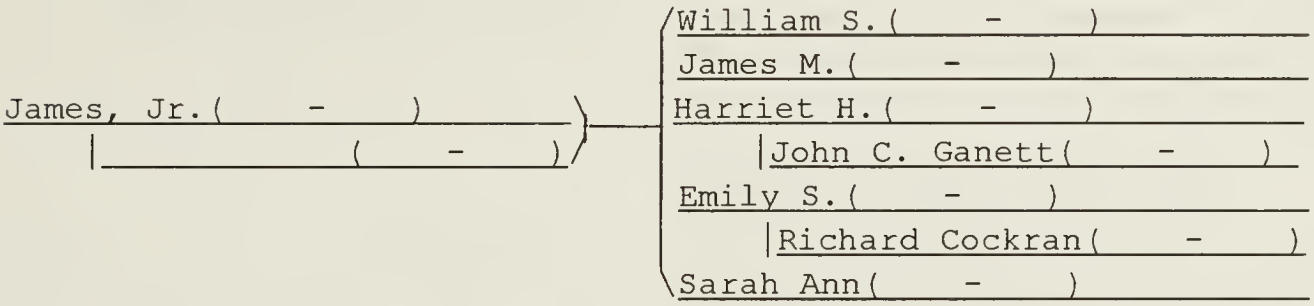

James Sisson, Jr., was born about 1789 in New Haven, CT. He was an M.D. He was married but we do not know his wife's name. They lived in Cincinnati, OH, and had five children:

William S. was born about 1810. He lived in Westville, OH.

James M. was born about 1813. He lived in Troy, OH.

Harriet H. was born about 1816. She married John C. Ganett of Lebanon, OH.

Emily S. was born about 1819. She married Richard Cockran of Lebanon.

Sarah Ann was born about 1822 and lived in Lebanon.

We have no additional references.

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John Ford [6]

Richard [1], James [2], James, Jr. [3], Lewis [4], Job [5] page 116

John Ford(1786-1858) | Nancy Nrthrp(1786-1873)

- Job(1808-1880)
- 1829 | Patience Sisson(1813-1889)
- William(1811-1883)
- Mary Ann(1822-1906)
- 1845 | Joseph S. Dunbar(1804-1882)
- Rebecca(1823-1896)
- 1843 | Joseph George(1810-1882)
- Elizabeth F.(1828-1869)
- Ann H.(1832-)
- 1851 | William Jouvette(1832-)

John Ford Sisson was born August 1, 1786 in Newport, RI. He married Nancy Northrup, daughter of Zebulon and Mary ( ) Northrup. Nancy was born May 8, 1786 in North Kingston, RI. They lived at 85 Washington Street, New Bedford, MA. New Bedford Directories, 1836-47 list John as a laborer and 1852-56 as a rope maker at 17 Morgan Row. John and Nancy had six children, all born in New Bedford:

Job, born September 2, 1808 is discussed on page 403.

William was born February 2, 1811. He was not married. He was a sailor on the "South Carolina" of Dartmouth in 1838, a cooper on the "Draper" in 1841, a cooper on the "Alex Coffin" in 1845 and a cooper with a shop at 9 Cannon Street in 1881. William died at 17 Morgan Row July 20, 1883. He is buried in Rural Cemetery, New Bedford.

Mary Ann was born January 1, 1822. On November 18, 1845 in New Bedford she married Joseph S. Dunbar as his second wife. Joseph, son of Nathaniel and Betsy ( ) Dunbar was born October 30, 1804. Joseph died May 22, 1882; Mary Ann died October 16, 1906; both died in New Bedford and are buried in Rural Cemetery.

Rebecca was born in 1823. On October 27, 1834 in New Bedford she married Joseph George, a cooper. Joseph was born in 1810. Rebecca and Joseph had three children: Nancy Sisson, November 28, 1843; Rebecca E., October 1, 1845; and Fanny M., May 31, 1848. Joseph died November 14, 1882; Rebecca died August 23, 1896. Both died in New Bedford and are buried in Rural Cemetery.

Elizabeth F. was born October 23, 1828. She died unmarried February 21, 1869 in New Bedford and is buried in Rural Cemetery.

Ann H. was born in 1832. On January 25, 1851 in New Bedford she married William I. Jouvette, son of Thomas and Catherine ( ) Jouvette. William was born in 1832 in Newport.

John died September 16, 1858; Nancy died April 7, 1873. Both died in New Bedford and are buried in Rural Cemetery.

Reference: (11) Vol. II, pp.68-9.

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Daniel Webster(1800-1878) | Charlote Bel(1802-1875)

- Joseph de Lafayette(1824-1905)
  - 1848 | Mary M. Smith(1830-1855)
  - 1856 | Mary F. Cahoon(1829-1860)
  - 1869 | Rhoda Ann Delano(-)
- Daniel Webster, Jr(1826-1927)
- Edward Roche(1828-1919)
  - 1857 | Mary C. Sears(-)
  - | Charlotte Sisson(1844-1908)
- Otis Almy(1830-1900)
  - 1847 | Lorinda Hart(1828-1860)
  - 1861 | Ruth Maria Tripp(1840-1917)
- Mary Charlotte(1832-1901)
  - 1851 | Leander Washburn(1824-)
- Betsy Lake(1835-1917)
  - 1850 | Nathan Sears(1828-1896)
- Daniel Webster, Jr(1836-1848)
- Esther Richmond(1839-1889)
  - 1861 | Benjamin King Jr(-)
- Charles S.(1840-1842)
- William H. Harrison(1842-1873)
  - 1864 | Emma R. Childs(1845-)
  - 1873 | Charlotte Caswll(1844-1908)
- Adeline B.(1844-)
- Emeline Cressy(1846-1924)
  - 1868 | Green B. Allen(-)

Daniel Webster Sisson was born June 1, 1800 on Prudence Island, Tiverton, RI. He was a master mariner, commander of the schooner "Southerner". He married Charlotte Beal, daughter of Joseph and Sarah ( ) Beal of Tiverton. They were married in Stone Church at Adamsville, RI. Charlotte was born July 2, 1802. Daniel and Charlotte had twelve children, the last seven born in New Bedford:

Joseph de Lafayette was born November 29, 1824 in Tiverton. He was named for Gen. de Lafayette with whom his maternal grandfather fought in the Revolution. Joseph married first May 28, 1848 Mary M. Smith, daughter of Arthur and Jane ( ) Smith. Mary was 18 at the time, born in New Bedford. Mary died December 28, 1855. Joseph married second October 7, 1856 Mary F. Cahoon, daughter of Freeman and Lucinda ( ) Cahoon. Mary was age 27 at the time. Mary died March or August 10, 1868 in New Bedford. Joseph married third in Newport April 3, 1869 in Newport Rhoda Ann Delano. Joseph died April 10, 1905 in New Bedford.

Daniel Webster, Jr. (the first) was born in 1826 in Tiverton and died November 26, 1827 in Westport.

Edward Roache was born September 2, 1828 in Tiverton. Edward was named Pardon Almy by his parents; he didn't like the name so a friend, Dr. Roache helped him legally change it. Edward was a member of the New Bedford police department. He married first November 18, 1857 Mary C. Sears, daughter of Willard Sears. They had no children. Edward married second Charlotte Whittemore (Caswell) Sisson, daughter of L. B. Caswell and widow of Edward's brother William Henry Harrison. Charlotte was born June 8, 1844. They had no children. Charlotte died January 8, 1908; Edward died August 27, 1919 in New Bedford. Both are buried in Rural Cemetery.

Otis Almy, born April 4, 1830 in Westport is discussed on page 404.

Mary Charlotte was born September 20, 1832 in Westport. On January 29, 1851 in New Bedford she married Leander Washburn, son of Solomon and Hannah ( ) Washburn. Leander was 27 at the time, born in Duxbury. Mary died August 22, 1901 in New Bedford.

Betsy Lake was born March 15, 1835. On January 1, 1850 she married Nathan Sears. They were married by Elder James A. McKensie. Ref: (7) 7:573. Nathan was born October 16, 1828 and died December 29, 1896. Betsy died August 23, 1917 in New Bedford. Both are buried in Rural Cemetery.

Daniel Webster, Jr. (the second) was born in 1836 and died November 15, 1848 in New Bedford.

Esther Richmond was born December 31, 1839. On September 5, 1861 there she married Benjamin F. King, Jr. Esther and Benjamin had five children. Esther died May 18, 1889.

Charles S. was born in 1840 and died October 17, 1842 in New Bedford. He is buried in Griffin St. Cemetery.

William Henry Harrison was born February 8, 1842. He married first September 13, 1864 in New Bedford Emma R. Childs. Emma was born in 1845. William and Emma had one child. William married second January 19, 1873 in Omaha, NE, Charlotte Whittemore Caswell, daughter of L. B. Caswell of Omaha. William died January 25, 1873 in New Bedford. Charlotte married second William's older brother Edward Roche above.

Adeline B. was born March 1, 1844.

Emeline Cressy was born September 24, 1846. On December 24, 1868 in New Bedford she married Green Burgess Allen. Emeline and Green had three children. Emeline died April 17, 1924 in New Bedford and is buried in Rural Cemetery.

Charlotte died December 20, 1875. Daniel died June 11, 1878 in New Bedford; death records show his father's name as Burt____. Both are buried in Rural Cemetery.

References: (11) Vol. IV, pp.61-3; (77); (295).

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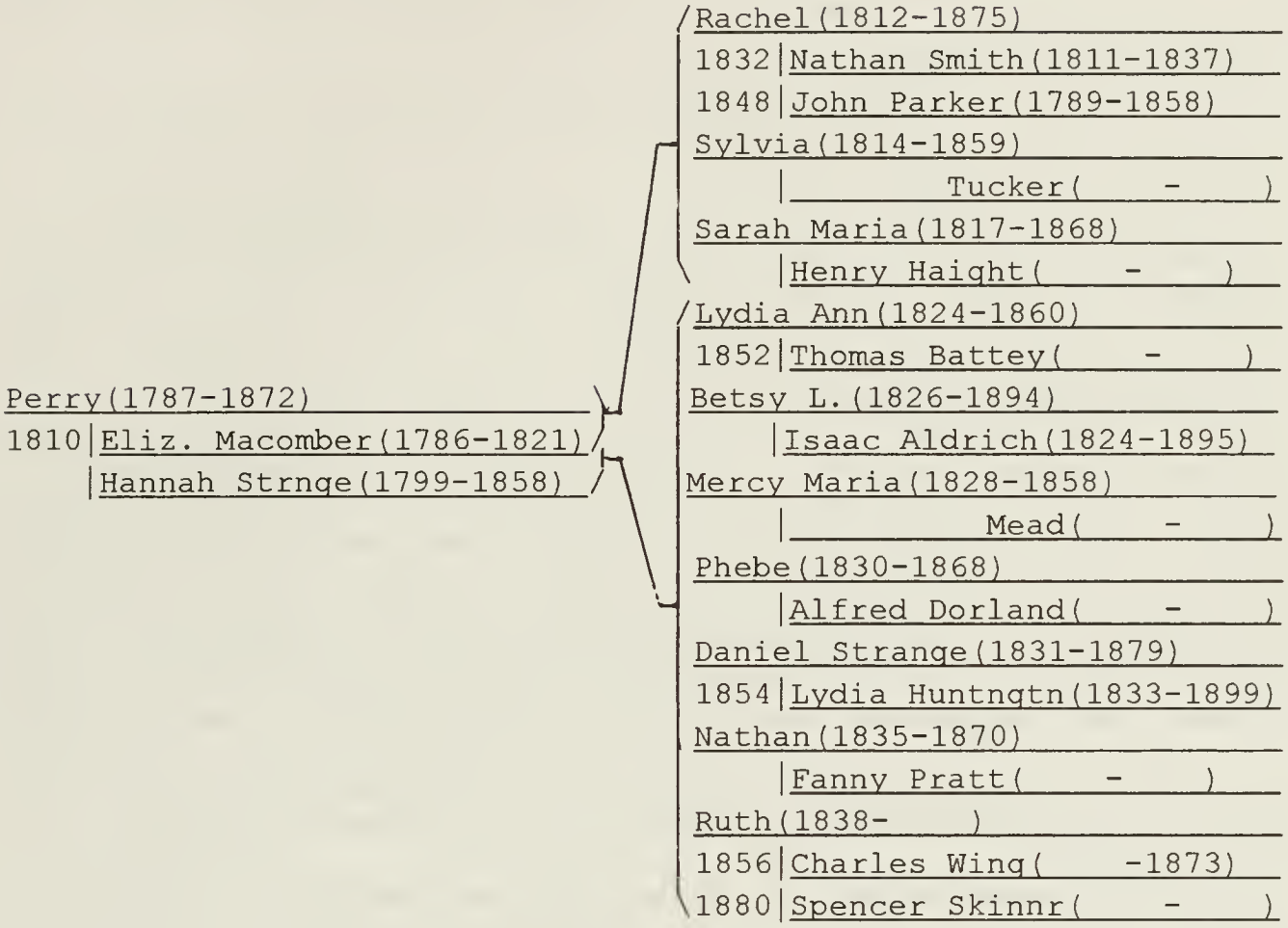

Perry Sisson was born September 10, 1787 in Fall River, Bristol County, MA. He was a farmer and belonged to the Friends Society in Collins, NY. On February 22, 1810 Perry married Elizabeth Macomber of Dartmouth, MA. They probably "posted bans" January 10, 1810 in Dartmouth. Elizabeth was born July 26, 1786, daughter of Perry and Rachel (Gifford) Macomber. The family moved from Westport, MA, to Collins, NY, before 1820. On September 6, 1823 Perry purchased the northwest portion of Lot 43, Twp. 7, Range 8, 68 acres, in North Collins. Perry and Elizabeth had three children:

Rachel was born April 11, 1812. On December 5, 1832 she married Nathan Smith. He was born February 8, 1811 and died January 15, 1837. On March 4, 1848 Rachel married second John Parker. John was born September 20, 1789 and died February 15, 1858. Rachel died October 17, 1875.

Sylvia was born May 14, 1814. She married Mr. Tucker. Sylvia died August 6, 1859.

Sarah Maria was born May 31, 1817. She married Henry Haight of West Falls, NY. Henry was born in Glens Falls, NY. He was a farmer. The family moved from Collins to Gowanda, NY, in 1843 and in 1846 to Aurora, NY. Sarah and Henry had three children: Albert,

February 20, 1842 in Ellicottville, NY; Eliza; and Frank. Sarah died January 18, 1868.

Elizabeth died February 21, 1821 and Perry married second Hannah D. Strange. Hannah was born November 16, 1799. Perry and Hannah seven children:

Lydia Ann was born January 6, 1824. On January 7, 1852 she married Thomas C. Battey. They lived in Collins. Thomas was a missionary and author of the book "A Quaker Among the Indians". Lydia Ann died October 2, 1860.

Betsy (Betsey) L. was born June 2, 1826 in Collins. She married Isaac Martin Aldrich, son of Wanton and Amy (Shotwell) Aldrich. "Martin" was born November 25, 1824 in Elba, Genesee County, NY. He was a farmer and Quaker yet served in Battery A, 2nd Missouri Light Artillery in the Union Army. Betsy and Martin had eleven children, born in Elba, Collins, Michigan and Missouri: Perry Sisson, 1848 to 1934, married first Lucinda Stepp and second Katherine Rhodes; Wanton; a child who died young; Betsey Elmira, October 21, 1852 to November 8, 1896, married George King; Hannah Mariah, August 3, 1853 to August 4, 1918, married Robert Upchurch; Mary, who died an infant; Mary, September 30, 1858, married William Hopkins; Lydia Ann, October 4, 1860 to August 11, 1939, married Jesse Robertson; Richard Martin, June 8, 1862 to December 12, 1876; Daniel, 1868, died young; and Ruth Rachel, December 18, 1871 to July 5, 1943, married George Davault. Ref: (296). Betsy died in 1894; Isaac died in 1895.

Mercy Maria was born November 18, 1828. She married Mr. Mead and had a son Anson in Battle Creek, MI. Mercy died November 4, 1858.

Phebe was born May 17, 1830. She married Alfred Dorland, a farmer. They had three children: Charles; Joseph, a grocer in Buffalo, NY; and Hattie, married a Mr. Smith. Phebe died in 1868.

Daniel Strange, born October 12, 1831 is discussed on page 405.

Nathan, born December 4, 1835 in Collins is discussed on page 405.

Ruth was born April 27, 1838. On September 24, 1856 she married Charles Wing. They had three children: Floyd H., November 11, 1859; Everett, September 3, 1860; and Lottie A., September 5, 1869, married a Mr. Van Fleet. Charles died November 21, 1873. On April 29, 1880 Ruth married second Spencer Skinner.

Hannah died February 23, 1858 and Perry died November 25, 1872.

References: (35); (175); (297) 1850 p. 321.

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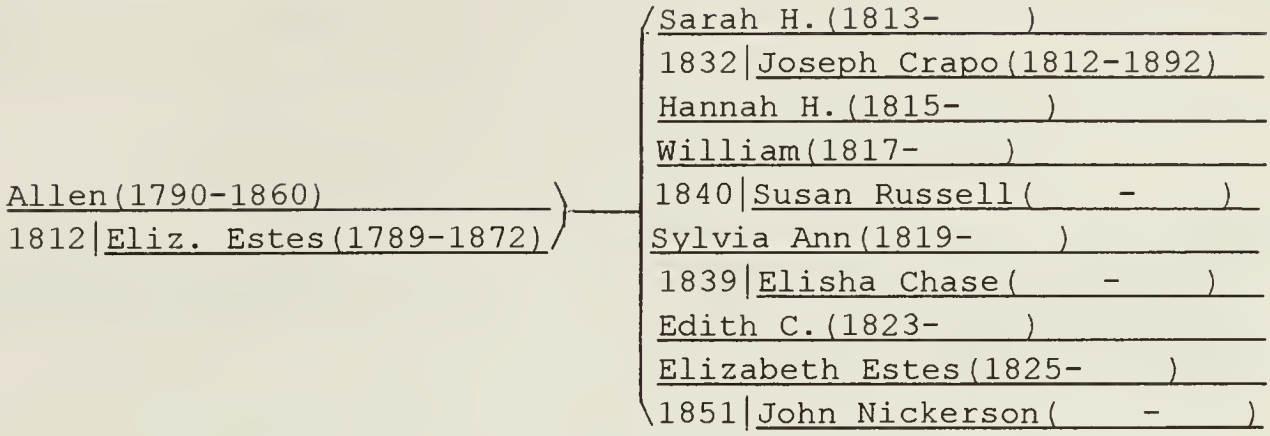

Allen Sisson was born February 15, 1790 in Dartmouth, Bristol County, MA. He was a village blacksmith at Russell Springs, MA, and lived at Westport. On July 28, 1812 in Dartmouth, he married Elizabeth "Eliza" Estes, daughter of Joseph and Edith (Wood) Estes of Dartmouth. Elizabeth was born March 12, 1789 in Dartmouth. Allen and Elizabeth had six children, all born in Dartmouth:

Sarah H. (or S.) was born July 15, 1813. On November 29, 1832 she married Joseph Crapo. Joseph was born April 12, 1812 in Dartmouth and died there October 7, 1892.

Hannah H. was born April 6, 1815 and died young.

William was born April 6, 1817. On April 28, 1840 he married Susan Russell.

Sylvia Ann was born November 2, 1819. On August 29, 1839 she married Elisha (or Elihu) Chase.

Edith C. was born November 16, 1823 and died unmarried.

Elizabeth Estes was born April 6, 1825. On September 20, 1851 she married John H. Nickerson (or Rickerson).

Allen died October 11, 1860; Elizabeth died June 19, 1872, both in Dartmouth.

References: (23); (68); (298) p.292.

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Nathaniel [6]

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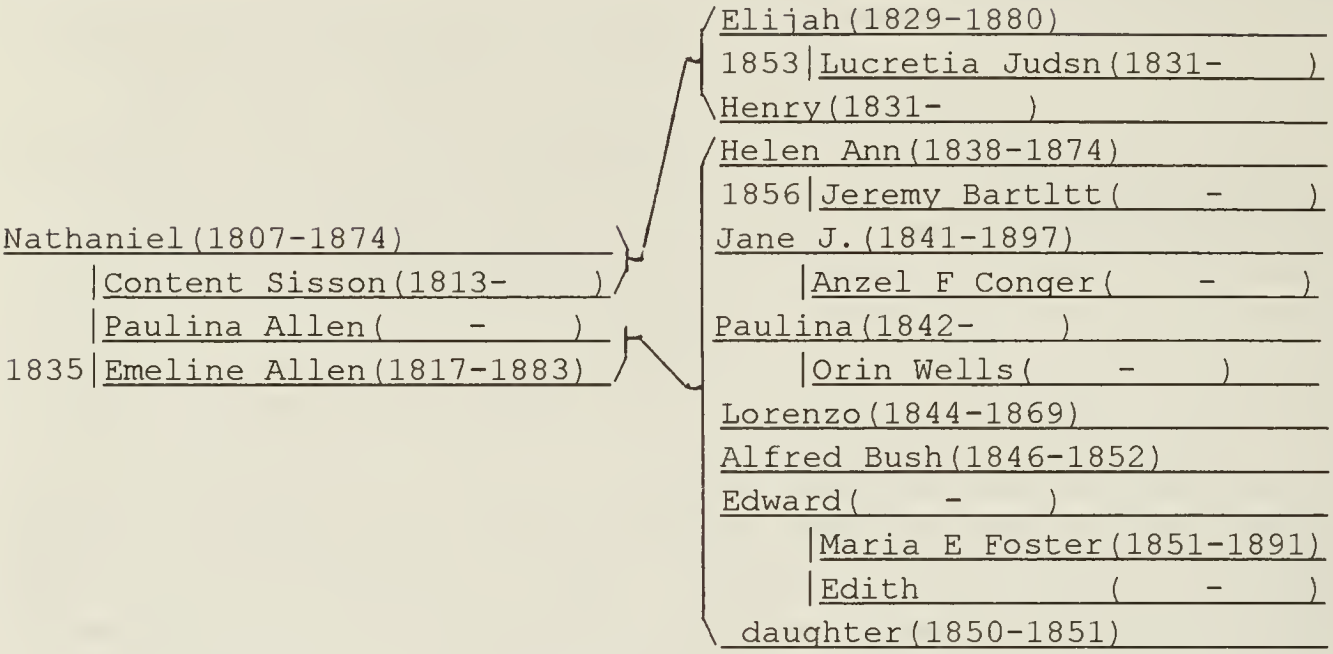

Nathaniel Sisson was born March 15, 1807 in Erie County, NY. He was a farmer. He married his second cousin Content Sisson, daughter of Stephen and Rachel (Lapham) Sisson, see page 236. Content was born July 3, 1813. Nathaniel and Content had two children, born in Erie County, NY:

Elijah, born November 26, 1829 is discussed on page 406.

Henry was born circa 1831 and died before 1874.

Nathaniel married second Paulina Allen. Paulina died without issue. Circa 1835 Nathaniel married third Emeline Allen, Paulina's sister. Emeline was born October 29, 1817. Nathaniel and Emeline had seven children, all born in Erie County, NY:

Helen Ann was born May 10, 1838. In 1856 she married Jeremy Bartlett. He may be the son of Savid [David?] and Prussia (Allen) Bartlett, mentioned in the Briggs reference. Helen and Jeremy lived in Collins and had two children: Hepsibah and Louise. Helen Ann died April 11, 1874.

Jane J. was born circa 1841 in Collins. She married Ansel F. Conger, son of Noah Conger. Ansel was born in Collins. They moved to Gowanda, NY, and probably owned the Grand Central Hotel there in 1882. Jane died June 15, 1897.

Paulina was born circa 1842. She married Orin Wells and lived in Hamburg, NY.

Lorenzo was born March 8, 1844 and died May 28, 1869.

Alfred Bush was born April 25, 1846 and died December 24, 1852.

Edward, born about 1848 is discussed on page 406.

A daughter born in 1850 died September 1, 1851.

Nathaniel died February 2, 1874 and Emeline died December 31, 1883.

References: (175) p.645-6; (299) p.19.

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William M. [6]

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William M.(1785-1863) 1812|Lydia Lapham(1787-1873)

- Clarinda(1813-1906) 1831|Thomas J. Kerr(-)
- Charles L.(1816-1876)
- Amanda(1820-1895) 1839|Abraham Foster(1816-)
- Stephen A.(1822-1875) 1862|Irene G. Wilson(-)
- Ruth Ann(1823-1892) 1840|John Fritts(-)
- Lydia Maria(1829-1894) 1850|Elijah H Lawton(1829-)

William M. Sisson was born January 2, 1785 in Queensbury, Warren County, NY. On November 24, 1812 he married Lydia A. Lapham, daughter of Stephen and Rachel (Hussey) Lapham. Lydia was born February 10, 1787 in Queensbury. The family moved from Glens Falls to Collins, NY, in 1818. William went there with his brothers Stephen, Nathaniel, and probably Benjamin and Lemuel. He was a member of the Society of Friends in North Collins. She was probably a teacher in Collins (p. 634, Briggs). They settled on Lot 60 in Collins and had several land dealings in North Collins between 1823 and 1828. They had six children, two in Glens Falls, then four in Collins:

Clarinda was born December 14, 1813. On January 1, 1831 she married Thomas Jefferson Kerr. They had two sons, George and Henry. Clarinda died March 29, 1906 in Collins.

Charles L. was born May 24, 1816. He was not married; he lived in North Collins and died in 1876.

Amanda was born February 22, 1820. On September 2, 1839 she married Abram Foster, son of Warren Foster. Abram was born in Jefferson County, NY, September 3, 1816. In November, 1824 his family moved to North Collins. He was a farmer, coroner, and a captain in the 19th Regiment of the state militia from 1841 to 1845. Amanda and Abram had three children: Viola; Oscar E.; and Egbert H. Amanda died December 8, 1895.

Stephen A., born March 6 (or 17), 1822 is discussed on page 407.

Ruth Ann was born October 22, 1823. On March 18, 1840 she married John Fritts. They had three children: Adelia; Chauncey; and William Sisson. Ruth Ann died August 7, 1892.

Lydia Maria was born February 27, 1829. On December 25, 1850 she married Elijah Henry Lawton, son of John Lawton. Elijah was born January 31, 1829 in North Collins. He was a farmer, merchant, postmaster, and station agent. Lydia and Elijah had four children who survived, and others who died infants: Clarence F., September 9, 1853, married Ella Sperry; Edwin G., August 29, 1857 to July 17,

1864; William Sisson, May 29, 1860; and Florence, January 3, 1866, married Mr. Taylor. Lydia Maria died March 30, 1894.

William died August 25, 1863 and Lydia died July 24, 1873. Both of them are buried in Hicksite Grounds, one mile south of North Collins.

References: (35); (175); (185); (297) 1850; (300).

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Stephen [6]

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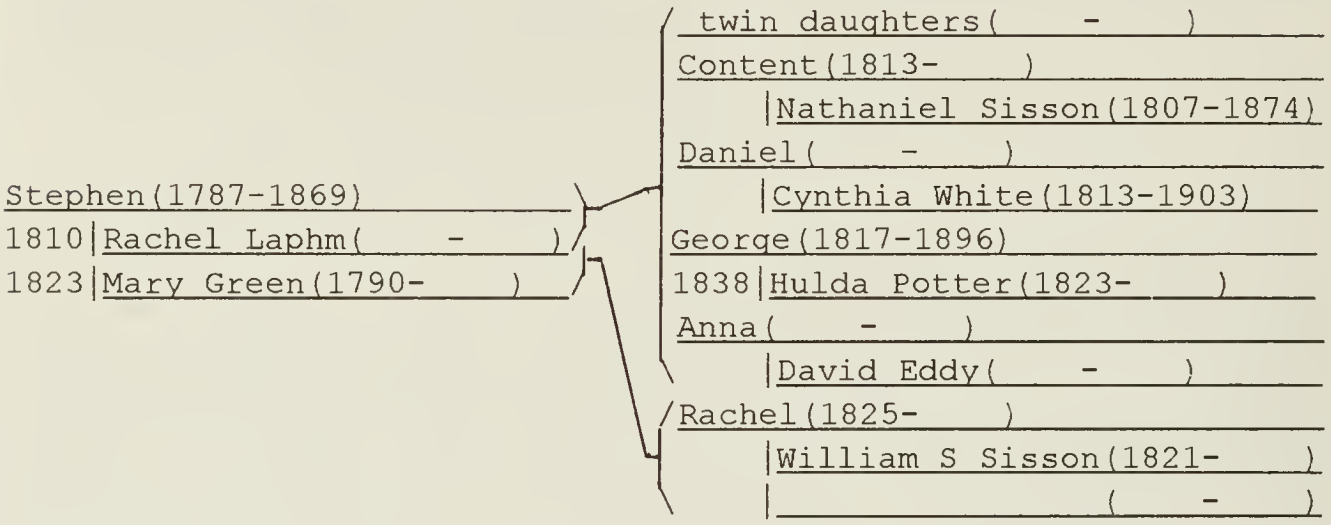

Stephen Sisson was born July 30, 1787 (or 1789) in Queensbury, Warren County, New York. On April 8, 1810 he married Rachel Lapham of Vermont, daughter of Stephen and Rachel (Hussey) Lapham, sister of Ruth below. In May of 1810 they moved to Collins, NY. Stephen and Rachel settled near Lawton Station on Lot 50 with Enos Southwick and Abram Tucker. He was involved in several land transfers between 1809 and 1822. Stephen was a Quaker and helped build a log meeting house in 1813. He intended to "teach the Indians the arts of peace". He and Rachel had six children including twin daughters who were the first deaths, as infants, in Collins before 1812:

Content was born July 3, 1813. She married Nathaniel Sisson, son of William and Sylvia (Allen) Sisson, see page 234.

Daniel, born about 1815 is discussed on page 407.

George, born in 1817 is discussed on page 408.

Anna was born about 1818. She married David Eddy. Anna and David had three children: Stephen; Sarah; and William.

On December 2, 1823 Stephen married second Mary Green. Mary was born circa 1790 in England. It has also been reported that on this date Stephen married Sarah Bowron, daughter of Jonathan and Anna ( ) Bowron. Stephen and Mary had one daughter:

Rachel was born circa 1825. She married first William S. Sisson, son of Joseph and Phebe (White) Sisson, see page 431. William was born in Massachusetts, October 15, 1821.

Stephen died August 17, 1869. Mary married a second time but we do not know the name of her second husband. She had no children from that marriage.

References: (175) p.707; (185) [gives Stephen's birth date as 1789]; (297) 1850; (300); (301).

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Nathaniel, Jr. [6]

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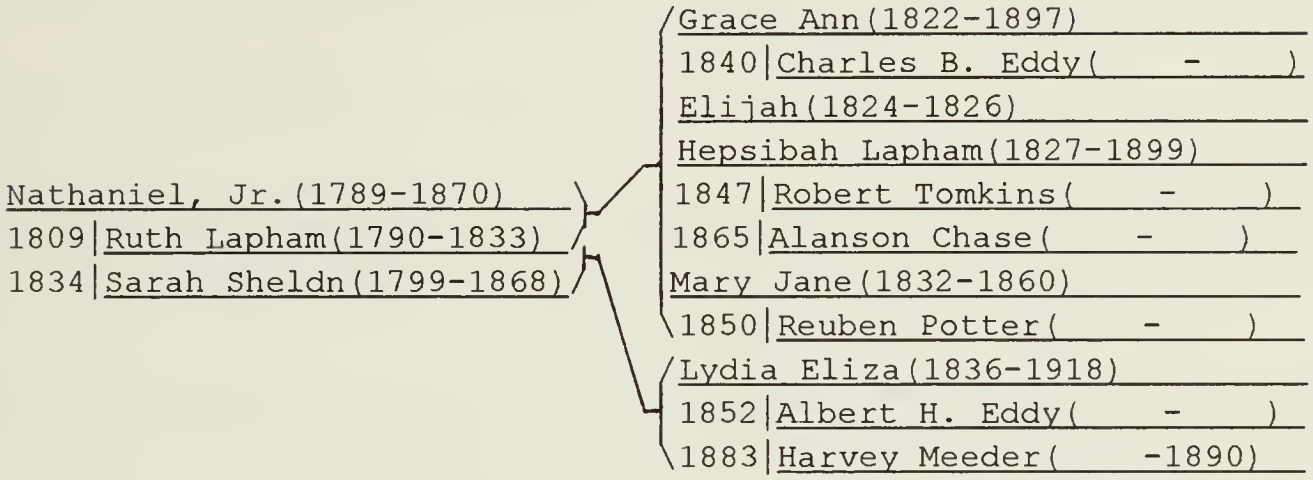

Nathaniel Sisson, Jr. was born October 2, 1789 (or 1787) in Glens Falls, NY. On February (or April) 9, 1809 he married Ruth Lapham, daughter of Stephen and Rachel (Hussey) Lapham, sister of Rachel above. Ruth was born October 10, 1790. They moved in the fall of 1810 to western New York with his brother Stephen, brother-in-law Moses Tucker, and their wives. Nathaniel settled on Lot 49, Twp. 7, Range 8 and planted apples with the Tuckers. He had many land dealings in the area between 1809 and 1836. In 1823 he paid taxes of $4.71 on 621 acres. He owned a log meeting house which was started around 1813 or 1814. They were members of the Society of Friends and the "underground railroad" for slave-running. Nathaniel and Ruth had four children, probably all born in North Collins:

Grace Ann was born April 16, 1822. On December 30, 1840 she married Charles B. Eddy, son of Charles and Sarah ( ) Eddy. Grace and Charles had five children: Ruth Ann, married Mr. Meatyard and died in 1881; Nathaniel C.; William B.; Albert H.; and Rosetta, married Mr. Lundy. Grace died September 16, 1897.

Elijah was born December 1, 1824 and died February 9, 1826.

Hepsibah Lapham was born May 19, 1827. On June 4, 1847 she married Robert Tomkins and had one daughter: Lydia H., January, 1848, married Mr. Lockwood. On March 1, 1865 Hepsibah married second Alanson Chase. She died January 16, 1899.

Mary Jane was born August 6, 1832. On January 27, 1850 she married Rueben Potter. They had two children: Rosetta, April 12, 1852, married Mr. Conger; and Clarence, July, 1854. Mary Jane died July 18, 1860.

Ruth died June 20, 1833 and is buried in Volusia Cemetery S.W. in North Collins. On August 31, 1834 Nathaniel married second Sarah

Sheldon, daughter of Jonathan and Elizabeth Ann (Rider) Sheldon. Sarah was born February 28, 1799. Nathaniel and Sarah had one daughter:

Lydia Eliza was born April 21, 1836. On October 14, 1852 she married Albert H. Eddy, son of Russell G. and Maria(h) (Macomber) Eddy. In 1856 the family moved to Westfield, Chautauqua County, NY. Lydia and Albert had five children: Sarah M., November 25, 1853; James S., February 3, 1860, married Miss Swanson; Grace M., July 13, 1861, married Mr. Tucker; Robert T., January 17, 1863, married Miss Trask; and Lizzia A., January 31, 1867, married Mr. Breads. On November 4, 1883 Lydia Eliza married second Harvey Meeder. Harvey died June 30, 1890 and Lydia Eliza died May 25, 1918. She is buried in Volusia Cemetery in Westfield, NY.

Sarah died on March 14 (or 11), 1869; Nathaniel died May 4, 1870.

References: Nathaniel's Bible; (35); (157) Vol. II; (175) p.707, 725; (185) [gives Nathaniel's birth date as 1787]; (300).

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Benjamin [6]

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Benjamin(1791-1874)
1813|Sarah Ferris(1790-1877)

- Frederick(1816-1892)
  - 1841|Eunice L. White(-)
- Nathaniel(1821-1885)
  - 1843|Salina Phillips(1819-1851)
  - 1852|Betsey Crandall(1834-1920)
- John Ferris(1821-)
  - 1852|Ann Janet Fish(1824-1892)
- Alexander(1828-1913)
- Leonard(-)
  - |Phebe Sherman(-)
- Charles(1832-)

Benjamin Sisson was born January 22, 1791 in Queensbury, NY. In 1813 he married Sarah "Sally" Ferris. Sally was born in 1790. Benjamin was a farmer, hatmaker, and member of the Society of Friends but was expelled for marrying outside of church. He was also the overseer of highways in Queensbury in 1827. Benjamin and Sally had six sons:

Frederick, born August 28, 1816 in Queensbury is discussed on page 409.

Nathaniel, born March 18, 1821 in Queensbury is discussed on page 410.

John Ferris, his twin, born March 18, 1821 is discussed on page 412.

Alexander was born March 11, 1828 and died September 28, 1913. He lived in Brant, Erie County, NY.

Leonard, born about 1830 in Brant is discussed on page 412.

Charles was born circa 1832 in New York.

Benjamin died January 6 or June 1, 1874; Sally died April 8, 1877. Both are buried in Brant Cemetery.

References: (35); (185); (302) 1850.

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Daniel [6]

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Daniel (1792-1863)
Prudnc Alln (1800-1859)

- Esther Ann (1820-1905)
  - 1845 George Chmpln (-1905)
- William (1821-1892)
- Daniel H. (1824-)
  - Sarah Havilnd (1827-)
- James Samuel (1826-1904)
  - 1858 Agnes M Sweet (-)
  - 1865 Elmina Sweet (1845-1915)
- Sarah Jane (1829-1911)
  - J. Wing (-)
- Samuel Allen (1834-1883)
- Mary Elma (1838-1905)
  - Caleb J. Dean (-)
- Eliza B. (1841-1841)

Daniel Sisson was born November 11, 1792 in Glens Falls, NY. He was a member of the Society of Friends in Collins, NY, where on November 2, 1816 he purchased the east part of Lot 53, Twp. 6, Range 8, 160 acres for $720. He married Prudence Allen, daughter of Cornelius and Esther ( ) Allen. Prudence was born September 30, 1800. Daniel and Prudence had eight children:

Esther Ann was born October 6, 1820 in Scipio, NY. On May 7, 1845 in Kingsbury, Washington County, NY, she married George Champlin. They lived in Glens Falls and Kingsbury. Esther and George had five children: Egbert, February 12, 1846, married Llora "Lurey" Kester; Mary Eliza, May 17, 1848; Lineaus D., May 3, 1856, married Florence A. Snedeker; Harriet, November 28, 1858; Helen Sisson, June 6, 1861 to July 22, 1924, married Horace Waite Bell. Esther died June 30 and George died November 10, both in 1905.

William was born December 8, 1821. He was not married and died April 24, 1892 in Kingsbury.

Daniel H., born May 5, 1824 is discussed on page 412.

James Samuel, born June 26, 1826 is discussed on page 413.

Sarah Jane was born February 27, 1829. She married J. Wing. They lived in Pattens Mills and Sandford Ridge, NY. Sarah died in January, 1911.

Samuel Allen was born April 6, 1834. He inherited the family Bible of Samuel S. Allen, his mother Prudence's brother, after Prudence died. He probably recorded much of the Sisson information in the Bible, but there is no indication of his marriage or children. Samuel lived in Bristol, Bucks County, PA. He died February 12, 1883.

Mary Elma was born June 8, 1838. She married Caleb J. Dean. They lived in Pattens Mills. Mary Elma died on March 19, 1905 in Kingsbury. Mary may have had a daughter Minnie Dean, who took the surname Sisson.

Eliza B. was born October 15 and died October 25, 1841.

In 1856 and 1862 Daniel was elected assessor of North Collins. Prudence died April 4, 1859; Daniel died August 10, 1863.

References: (11) Vol. II, pp.70-1; (185); (303); (304).

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James [6]

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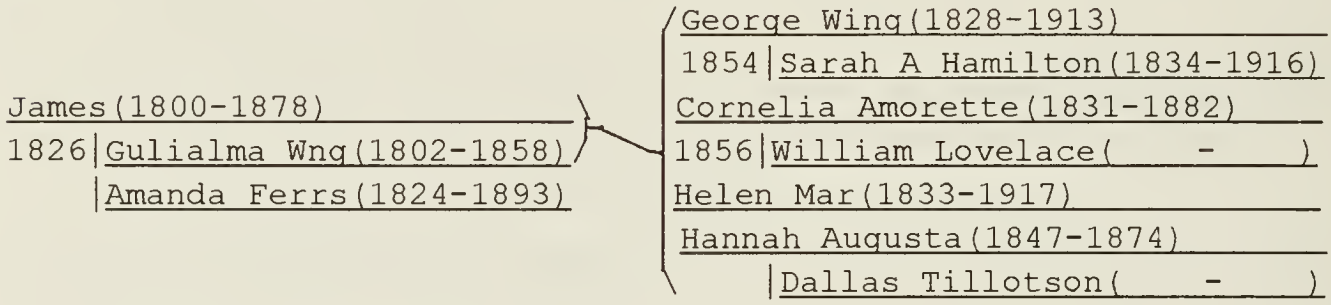

James Sisson was born February 29, 1800 in Queensbury, Warren (later Washington?) County, NY. He was a merchant and farmer in Glens Falls, Warren County, NY, and built the second brick building in that town. He resided on the corner of Glen and Bay streets in a house built about 1793 by Edward Wing, Gulialma's grandfather. James offered a corner of his land for the Soldier's Monument. He was a Queensbury town clerk 1841-6, assessor 1847, supervisor 1849, election inspector 1851-2, and overseer of highways 1852. On June 11, 1826 in Glens Falls, he married Gulialma Shaw Wing, daughter of Joseph and Irene (Phelps) Wing, perhaps the widow of Mr. Shaw. Gulialma was born December 12, 1802 in Glens Falls. They lived in Saratoga County, NY, in 1832. James and Gulialma had four children, all born in Glens Falls:

George Wing, born December 19, 1828 is discussed on page 415.

Cornelia Amorette was born May 20, 1831. On May 19, 1856 in Glens Falls, she married William Dudley Lovelace (or Loveless). Cornelia and William had eight children: Fred Wing; George Sisson; William Curtis and Charles Wesley, twins; James Edwin; Helen Blanche, who married George Weston; Daniel Dudley; and Meredith B. Cornelia died in Norwich, CT, May 1, 1882.

Helen Mar was born August 7, 1833. She was not married and died March 26, 1917. She is buried in Bay Street Cemetery in Glens Falls.

Hannah Augusta was born November 17, 1847. She married Dallas Caldwell Tillotson, son of George Tillotson, a Mayflower descendent. Hannah had one daughter: Gulia, who married George B. M. Towner. Hannah died December 23, 1874 and is buried in Bay Street Cemetery in Glens Falls.

Gulialma died May 19, 1858 in Glens Falls. James married second Amanda M. Ferris, daughter of Alfred and Sarah (Wing) Ferris. Amanda was born May 21, 1824 in Glens Falls. James died December 30, 1878; Amanda died December 16, 1893, both in Glens Falls.

References: (11) Vol. II, p.131; (50); (185) [gives James's birth year as 1799]; (300); (305); (306) 1850.

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Lemuel [6]

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Lemuel (1802-1881)
1821 | Anna Strange (1805-1861)
1868 | Dolly Stanrd (-)

- John (1827-)
- Joseph (1830-)
- James (1832-)
- William H. (1833-)
  - 1859 | Mary Ann Bacon (1837-1912)
  - | Laura R. (1840-)
- Sarah (-)
- Julia Ann (1836-)
  - 1858 | Sylvestr Bullene (-)
- Adelaide (1846-)
  - 1873 | Charles French (-)

Lemuel Sisson was born October 5, 1802 in Queensbury, Washington County, NY. He went to Collins with his brothers where he paid tax of 92 cents on 48 acres in 1823. This was the southeast portion of Lot 60, Twp. 6, Range 8. Lemuel later went to Iowa and then Bristol, Kenosha County, WI. He was a Quaker and a farmer worth $1500 in 1880. In April, 1821 in Collins, he married Anna Strange (or Strang), daughter of John and Elizabeth (Histed) Strange. Anna was born December 2, 1805 in Stillwater, NY. Lemuel and Anna had seven children, the first six born in New York:

John was born circa 1827. He was a farmer and is listed in the Bristol 1850 census in his father's house.

Joseph was born circa 1830. He was also a farmer and listed in this census.

James was born circa 1832. He was also a farmer listed in this census.

William H., born circa 1833 is listed in the 1880 census as 44 years. He is discussed on page 417.

Sarah was born about 1835 and apparently died young.

Julia Ann was born circa 1836. On January 6, 1858 in Bristol, she married Sylvester Bullene.

Sarah Adelaide was born circa 1846 in Wisconsin, reported as Adelaide in the 1850 census. On October 19, 1873 in Kenosha she married Charles French/Finch.

Anna died July 2, 1861 in Bristol. Lemuel married second, August 16, 1868 Dolly Stanard. Lemuel died August 22, 1881 in Bristol. He and Anna are buried in Wesley Cemetery No. 6, (South Bristol Cemetery), Bristol.

References: Marriage certificates; Lemuel's will; Bristol gravestones; (182) 2:482; (185); (307); (308); (309); (310) 1850.

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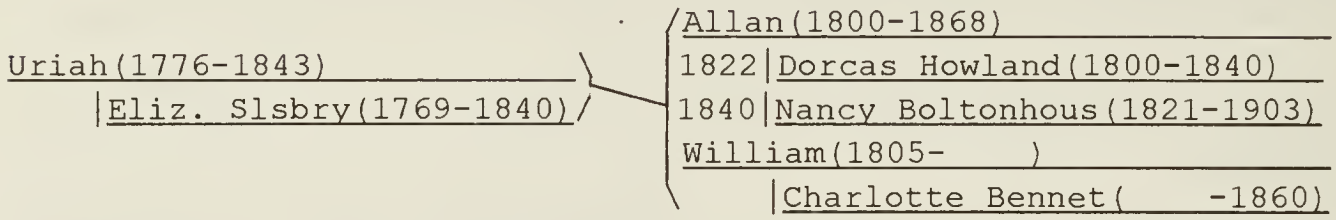
Uriah [6]

Richard [1], James [2], Jonathan [3], Jonathan [4], Silvanus [5] page 120



Uriah (or Urial) Sisson was born in 1776 in Dartmouth, MA. He married Elizabeth Salisbury, daughter of William and Elizabeth ( ) Salisbury. Elizabeth was born July 9, 1769 in Scituate, RI. Uriah and Elizabeth had two sons:

Alan, born July 5, 1800 in Quaker Springs, Saratoga County, NY, is discussed on page 417.

William, born circa 1805 is discussed on page 418.

Uriah bought land in Saratoga County in 1834 and 1836. He is mentioned in his uncle Gideon Sisson's will (about 1823). Elizabeth died in 1840 in Case County, MI; Uriah died in 1843 in South Bend, IN.

References: (189) 1800; (311).

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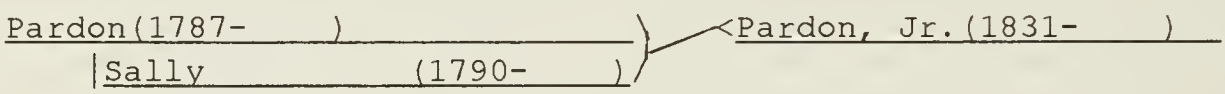
Pardon [6]

Richard [1], James [2], Jonathan [3], Jonathan [4], Gideon [5] page 123



Pardon Sisson was born December 8, 1787 in Massachusetts. He was a farmer and married Sally ( ). Sally was born circa 1790 in New York. Pardon and Sally had one son:

Pardon, Jr. was born circa 1831. He has also been reported as "Busden" [possibly an error in census writing].

Pardon, Sr. was in Friendship, Allegany County, NY, in the 1850 census.

Reference: (68).

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Gideon, Jr. [6]

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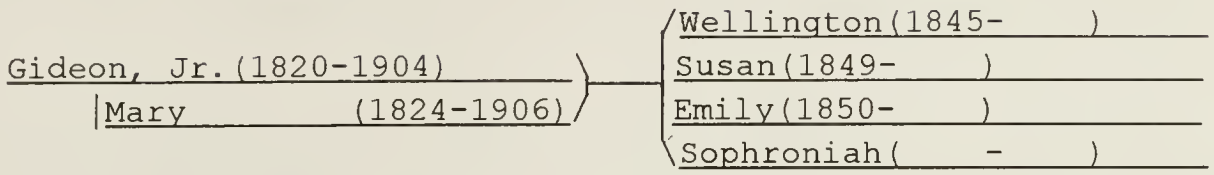

Gideon Sisson, Jr., was born circa 1820 in New York. He was a farmer in Friendship, Allegany County, NY. He married Mary ( ) who was born circa 1824. Gideon and Mary had four children, all born in New York:

Wellington was born circa 1845 and is possibly the Rev. W. Sisson buried in Maple Grove Cemetery in Friendship.

Susan was born circa 1849 and is possibly the Sue buried in Maple Grove Cemetery.

Emily was born in 1850.

Sophronia is probably the daughter of Gideon and Mary. She was born about 1853.

Gideon's mother Susan and his sister Eliza were living in his household in 1850. Gideon died in 1904; Mary died in 1906. They are both buried in Maple Grove Cemetery.

Reference: (312) 1850.

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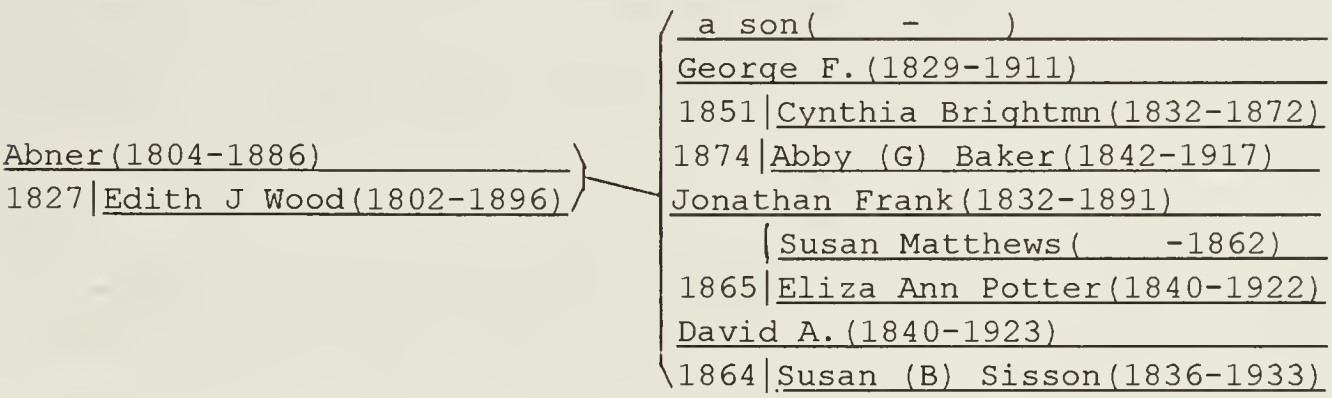
Abner [6]

Richard [1], James [2], Jonathan [3], Jonathan, Jr. [4], David [5] page 125



Abner Sisson was born March 27, 1804 on the old homestead on Pine Hill Road in Westport, MA. Abner was a carpenter and lived most of his life in Westport Point "on the east side of the main road just south of the cemetery". He probably published intent to marry March 6, 1826; on January 12, 1827 in Dartmouth, he married Edith "Judith" Wood of Dartmouth, daughter of Jonathan and Mary (Maxfield) Wood. Edith was born March 25, 1802. Abner and Edith had four children:

A son who died young.

George F., born April 15, 1829 in Westport is discussed on page 418.

Jonathan Frank, born August 30, 1832 in Dartmouth is discussed on page 419.

David A., born November 5, 1840 in Westport is discussed on page 420.

Abner and his brother-in-law Christopher Gifford wrote a mortgage for a piece of property to Abner's brother Urial; Urial paid off the mortgage two years later, in 1843. Abner died June 8, 1886; Edith died April 13, 1896; both died in Westport Point and are buried in the cemetery there.

Reference: (11) Vol. II, p.132.

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Urial [6]

Richard [1], James [2], Jonathan [3], Jonathan, Jr. [4], David [5] page 125

Urial(1805-1860) ⎫ ⎧ Samuel Allen(1836-1900)
1827 Nancy Allen(1809-1893) ⎭ ⎩ 1859 Roanna Little(1837-1898)

Urial Sisson was born September 25, 1805 on the homestead on Pine Hill Road in Westport, MA. He was a farmer. On September 15, 1827 he published his intent to marry Nancy Allen, daughter of Jedidiah and Priscilla ( ) Allen of Dartmouth. Nancy was born November 31, 1809. Uriah was overseer of highways in district 18 of Unadilla, NY, in 1834. Urial and Nancy had a son:

Samuel Allen was born November 28, 1836 in Westport. On March 23, 1859 in New Bedford he married Roanna Little, daughter of Isaac and Mary ( ) Little. Roanna was born June 12, 1837 in Dartmouth. Samuel and Roanna had no children but on August 6, 1869 adopted Laura J. Brightman, daughter of Ellis and Rebecca R. ( ) Brightman. Laura was born March 3, 1864; her name was changed to Laura A. Sisson.

Urial's will dated October 15, 1859 was proved October 2, 1860 recorded Dartmouth Book 182, p.722 and mentions wife Nancy and son Samuel Allen. Urial died September 16, 1860; Nancy died January 6, 1893 in Westport. Both are buried in a small cemetery on the Robert Williams farm near Sisson Hill.

Reference: (11) Vol. II, p.133.

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Isaac(1807-1885)
1829|Miriam Gffrd(1808-1889)

- Robert Gifford(1830-)
- Warren Gifford(1833-1857)
- 1857|Susan Barker(1836-1933)
- Christopher G.(1835-1886)
- 1858|Lydia A. Cornell(1836-1920)
- Nancy A.(1838-1838)
- Nancy A.(1839-)
- 1864|James B. Smith(1839-)
- Hannah E.(1842-)
- 1862|Charles Smith(1835-)
- Alice (1848-1927)
- 1865|James H. Tucker(1844-1927)
- Louise(1851-1908)
- 1870|Humphrey Hammond(-)

Isaac Sisson was born October 8, 1807 on the old homestead on Pine Hill Road in Westport, MA. He was a carpenter in Dartmouth, MA. On October 22, 1829 in Westport he married Miriam Gifford, daughter of Warren and Tabitha (Macomber) Gifford. Miriam was born January 17, 1808 in Westport. Isaac and Miriam had eight children, probably all born in Dartmouth:

Robert Gifford was born September 17, 1830. He was not married and was lost at sea.

Warren Gifford was born July 14, 1833. On August 4, 1857 in New Bedford he married Susan Barker, daughter of William and Rebecca (Potter) Barker. Susan was born October 27, 1836 in Dartmouth. Warren and Susan had no children. Warren died October 18, 1857 in Dartmouth. Susan married second May 31, 1864 David A. Sisson, son of Abner and Edith (Wood) Sisson above. Susan died circa 1933.

Christopher G., born July 12, 1835 is discussed on page 420.

Nancy A. was born January 19, 1838 and probably died that year.

The second Nancy A. was born May 19, 1839. On April 10, 1864 in Dartmouth she married James B. Smith, son of Moses and Maria (Barker) Smith. James was born June 2, 1839.

Hannah E. was born June 4, 1842. On October 12, 1862 in Middleboro, MA, she married Charles Smith, brother of James. Charles was born February 16, 1835.

Alice was born June 10, 1848. On March 28, 1865 in Providence she married James Henry Tucker. James was born January 27, 1844. Alice and James had a daughter: Mary A. James died October 28, 1927; Alice died November 7, 1927; both died in Dartmouth.

Louise was born April 9, 1851. On December 25, 1870 in Dartmouth she married Humphrey A. Hammond, son of William S. and Emeline (Allen) Hammond of Providence. Humphrey was born in 1850 in Westport. Louise died January 21, 1908.

Isaac died November 23, 1885; Miriam died August 4, 1889; both died in Dartmouth and are buried in Friends Cemetery at Russells Mills.

References: (11) Vol. II, p.134; (25); (68).

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David, Jr. [6]

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David, Jr.(1812-1886)
1835|Almira Smith(1811-1899)

- Charles Henry(1836-1839)
- Julia Seabury(1838-1918)
  1856|Benjamin C Smith(1835-1873)
  1897|Abraham H. Smith(1833-1923)
- David Albert(1840-1913)
  1864|Cornelia Allen(1844-1912)
- Emily Frances(1845-1918)
  1874|Henry O. Martin(1834-1900)
- Jasper Leander(1847-1925)
  1871|Mary L. Briggs(1845-1926)
- Joseph Smith(1850-1900)
  1879|Sarah E. Tripp(1855-1905)
- Sarah Smith(1855-1937)
  1881|Robert H. Luce(1854-1914)

David Sisson, Jr. was born November 17, 1812 in Westport, MA. He was a carpenter and contractor in Russells Mills where he had a lumber yard at the "landing". On October 8, 1835 in Dartmouth, he married Almira Smith, daughter of George and Sarah (Estes) Smith. They were married by H. H. Crapo, Esq. Almira was born in 1811. David went to California with the Gold Rush of '49. David and Almira had seven children, all born in Dartmouth:

Charles Henry was born June 20, 1836 and died March 7, 1839 in Dartmouth. He is buried in Friends Cemetery, Russells Mills.

Julia Seabury was born January 18, 1838. She married first on November 20, 1856 in Dartmouth, Benjamin Collins Smith, son of Tucker and Mehitable (Cornell) Smith. Benjamin was born March 8, 1835 and died November 16, 1873. Julia and Benjamin had three children: Albert D., 1863; Myra Hetty, 1865, married Harry Hoffman; and Benjamin T., 1866, married first Hannah Snow and second Irene Poole. Julia married second on January 7, 1897 in New Bedford, Abraham Howland Smith, son of Thomas and Priscilla (Cornell) Smith, as his second wife. Abraham was born December 20, 1833 in Dartmouth. Julia died May 21, 1918 in New Bedford and is buried in Friends Burying Ground, Rural Cemetery. Abraham died June 24, 1923 in New Bedford.

David Albert, born January 10, 1840 is discussed on page 421.

Emily Frances was born May 22, 1845 in Dartmouth (Dartmouth birth records give July 1). On October 28, 1874 in Marion, MA, she married Henry Oakes Martin, son of Hiram and Harriette (Oakes) Martin. This was his second marriage. Henry was born October 28,

1834 in Jericho, VT. [These are the great-grandparents of David Standish Martin]. Emily and Henry had five children: David Oakes, 1875; John Locke, 1876, married Bertha Tripp; Waldo Fritz, 1877; Carrie Atkins, 1880; and Joseph Sisson, 1882, married Mary Mosher. Henry died January 1, 1900; Emily died March 9, 1918. Both died in New Bedford and are buried in Friends Burying Ground.

Jasper Leander, born November 30, 1847 in Dartmouth is discussed on page 421.

Joseph Smith was born April 6, 1850. On June 10, 1879 in New Bedford he married Sarah Eliza Tripp, daughter of James A. and Eliza (Mosher) Tripp. Sarah was born April 14, 1855 in New Bedford. There were no children by this marriage. Joseph died January 17, 1900 in New Bedford and is buried in Rural Cemetery. Sarah married second A. Frank Clarke; Sarah died October 1, 1905 in New Bedford.

Sarah Smith was born June 28, 1855. On October 11, 1881 she married Robert Hammett Luce, son of West and Philura Spaulding (Hammett) Luce of Marion. Robert was born February 22, 1854 in Marion. He was a mariner. Sarah and Robert had a daughter: Philura Spaulding, July 23, 1882, died May 3, 1885. Robert died August 8, 1914; Sarah died January 23, 1937 in New Bedford and is buried in Friends Section, Rural Cemetery.

David, Jr. died July 24, 1886 in Marion, Plymouth County, MA. Almira died July 9, 1899 in New Bedford. Almira's will written February 28, 1887 mentions sons D. Albert, Jasper L. and Joseph S.; daughters Julia S. Smith, Emily F. Martin, Sarah Smith; Mary S. Martin daughter of Henry C. Martin; and granddaughter Myra Smith. David and Almira are buried in Friends Section, Rural Cemetery, New Bedford.

References: (11) Vol. II, pp.138-52; (23); (77) p.486.

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Leonard [6]

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Leonard(1818-1877)
1843 Almy Gifford(1822-1843)
1845 Charlotte W. Gifford(1825-1874)
1876 Susan (Taber) Sherman(1836-)

son(1843-1843)
Henry Howlnd(1845-1847)
Leonard A.(-)

Leonard Sisson was born July 2, 1818 on the homestead on Pine Hill Road in Westport, MA. He was a housewright. He married first on February 12, 1843 in Westport Almy Gifford, daughter of Humphrey and Phebe (Davis) Gifford. Almy was born August 20, 1822. Leonard and Almy had a son, born and died September 22, 1843 in Westport. Almy died of puerperal fever October 6, 1843. She is buried at Westport Point.

On December 14, 1844 Leonard published his intent to marry Charlotte W. Gifford, a tailoress. On February 3, (or January 11), 1845 in Westport, he married Charlotte Gifford, daughter of Elihu and Susan ( ) Gifford of Dartmouth. Charlotte was born in 1825/6

in Dartmouth. [Charlotte Gifford has also been assigned in error as the second wife of David, Jr., above.] Leonard and Charlotte had two sons:

Henry Howland was born October 3, 1845 in New Bedford and died October 10, 1847. He is buried in Oak Grove Cemetery there.

Leonard A. (date unknown); the only mention of this son is in Leonard's will which gives "son Leonard A. Sisson $200." Also within the will "sister A. Gifford after the death of her husband is given $200 placed in trust of Allen Sisson".

Leonard married third October 5, 1876 in New Bedford, Mrs. Susan W. (Taber) Sherman, daughter of Bartholemew and Fanny ( ) Taber. Susan was born in 1836 in Falmouth, MA. Leonard and Susan had no children. Leonard died April 2, 1877 in New Bedford and is buried in the Oak Grove Cemetery; his will, dated December 26, 1876, is recorded in New Bedford Book 187, p.230. After his death Susan married as her third husband Nelson Bourne.

References: (11); (23); (68); (83).

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George F. [6]

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George F.(1821-1902)
1848 Clarinda Macomber(1826-1919)
- George Henry(1849-1850)
- Arthur Frederick(1850-1853)
- Clara Ella(1853-1874)
- George Arthur(1856-1898)
  - Alice Fostr(-)

George F. Sisson was born January 25, 1821 on the old homestead in Westport, MA. He was a housewright in New Bedford. On February 18, 1848 in Westport he married Clarinda Adams Macomber, daughter of Joseph and Beulah (Thomas) Macomber. Clarinda was born October 13, 1826. They moved to Middleboro, MA, in 1848/9. George and Clarinda had four children:

George Henry was born March 30, 1849 and died July 18, 1850. He is buried in the Middleboro Cemetery.

Arthur Frederick was born October 24, 1850 and died March 16, 1853. He is buried in the Middleboro Cemetery.

Clara Ella was born October 4, 1853. She was not married. She died July 13, 1874 and is buried in the Middleboro Cemetery.

George Arthur, born July 27, 1856 is discussed on page 422.

George sold nine acres inherited from his father to his brother Charles for $180. George died December 30, 1902; Clarinda died February 15, 1919. Both in Middleboro and are buried there.

References: (11); (68); (83); (313) Book 13, p.50, 9/24/1845.

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Charles T.(1822-1895)
1851|Mary J. King(1831-1895)

- Charles Edgar(1852-1925)
  1876|Carrie R. Burton(-1928)
- Franklin King(1853-1937)
  1877|Nellie F. Hix(1859-1932)
- Carrie Estelle(1855-1942)
  1874|Charles R. Allen(1844-1929)
- Frederick Wright(1863-1907)
  1886|Nancy (H) Howlnd(1865-1886)
  1888|Mary Manchester(1871-)
  1895|Annie E. Conroy(1872-1910)
- Annie Almy(1871-1938)
  1905|Michael Conroy(1875-1932)

Charles T. Sisson was born February 16, 1822 on the old homestead on Pine Hill Road, Westport, MA. On June 29, 1851 he married Mary Jane King, daughter of Ephraim and Mary ( ) King of Tiverton, RI. (Some reports call her Maria Kelley). They were married in Warren by Rev. Robert M. Hatfield. Mary was born August 1, 1831. Charles was a farmer on the homestead. Charles and Mary had five children, all born in Westport:

Charles Edgar, born March 12, 1852 is discussed on page 422.

Franklin King, born November 8, 1853 is discussed on page 423.

Carrie Estelle was born November 25, 1855. On May 21, 1874 she married Charles R. Allen, son of Samuel G. and Patience (Lawton) Allen. Charles was born in 1844. Carrie and Charles had two daughters: Nellie Burton, 1875, married Samuel A. Boan [these are the great-grandparents of Nancy (Boan) Rodrigues]; and Minnie, 1880, married Bourrienne P. Smith. Charles died in 1929; Carrie died November 20, 1942 in South Westport.

Frederick Wright, born December 16, 1863 is discussed on page 424.

Annie Almy was born September 15, 1871. On September 16, 1905 in New Bedford, MA, she married Michael Conroy, son of Patrick and Margaret ( ) Conroy. Michael was born circa 1875. Annie and Michael had two children: Walter, 1906 to 1989, married Eileen Desmond; and Nellie, married Mr. Borden. Michael died in 1932/7; Annie died November 1, 1938 in New Bedford.

Mary died March 2; Charles died March 14, 1895. Both died in Westport and are buried in Maple Grove Cemetery there.

References: (7) 6:37; (11); (68); (83); (217) p.450.; (313) Book 40, p.90, 5/25/1850; (314).

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Gideon [6]

Richard [1], James [2], Jonathan [3], Jonathan, Jr. [4], David [5] page 125

Gideon (1823-1893) — 1847 — Angaline Tripp (1828-1905)

Nancy Ann (1852-1928) — 1873 — Wm Manchester (1852-)

Gideon Sisson was born May 24, 1823 on the old homestead on Pine Hill Road, Westport, MA. He was a carpenter/housewright. On November 4, 1847 in Westport, he married Angaline B. Tripp, daughter of David D. and Nancy (Rounds) Tripp. *[Tripp genealogy: John [1], Joseph [2], Ebenezer [3], [4], [5], Nathaniel [6], David [7].]* Angaline was born December 13, 1828 in Westport. Gideon sold a portion of land and his share of the homestead house to his brother Urial for $150 in 1850. They moved to New Bedford about 1850. Gideon and Angaline had a daughter:

Nancy Ann was born February 17, 1852 in New Bedford. On June 5, 1873 in New Bedford, she married William F. Manchester, son of James W. and Charlotte (Tripp) Manchester. William was born November 12, 1852 in Westport. Nancy and William had two children: Walter F; and Emma. Nancy died January 9, 1928 in New Bedford and is buried in Oak Grove Cemetery there.

Gideon died November 22, 1893 in New Bedford. Angaline died April 22, 1905; both are buried in Oak Grove Cemetery.

References: (11); (68); (83); (313) Book 40, p.89, 4/15/1850.

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William Alden [6]

Richard [1], James [2], Jonathan [3], Jonathan, Jr. [4], David [5] page 125

William Alden (1824-1896) — 1846 — Pamela Gifford (1827-1904)

- William W. (1846-1913) — 1870 — Ann Eliz. Wing (-)
- 1895 — Alice Gibson (1858-1915)
- Charles H. (1848-1927) — 1895 — Isabel T Baker (1863-1927)
- Adelaide A. (1850-1917) — 1899 — George Lawton (1844-1908)
- Jane Louisa (1852-1934) — William Newman (-)
- Carrie E. (1855-)
- Nathaniel H. (1864-1869)

William Alden Sisson was born June 26, 1824 on the old homestead on Pine Hill Road in Westport, MA. He was a merchant and blacksmith in Dartmouth. On January 1, 1846 in Westport, he married Pamela Jane Gifford, daughter of Stephen and Pamela (Tripp) Gifford. "Jane" was born October 17, 1827 in Westport. She was a tailoress. William and Jane had six children, all born in Westport:

William W., born December 7, 1846 is discussed on page 425.

Charles H. was born August 17, 1848. He was a fisherman. On December 5, 1895 in Westport, he married Isabel T. Baker, daughter of Charles W. and Abbie (Tripp) Baker. Isabel was born in 1863. Charles and Isabel had a son born October 1, died October 31, 1896. Both Isabel and Charles died in 1927, Charles on July 28. Both are buried in Linden Grove Cemetery in Westport.

Adelaide A. was born September 6, 1850. On June 27, 1899 in Westport, she married George Frederick Lawton, son of George and Ruth (Potter) Lawton. "Fred" was born November 11, 1844 and died October 18, 1908. Adelaide died October 1, 1917 in Westport. She is buried in Linden Grove Cemetery.

Jane Louisa was born June 1, 1852. Jane had a daughter, Oriana, August 8, 1874 to March 3, 1884, reported as illegitimate. Jane probably married William Newman. She died February 23, 1934 in Westport and is buried in Linden Grove Cemetery.

Carrie E. was born July 5, 1855.

Nathaniel H. was born March 13, 1864 and died November 11, 1869 in Westport.

William died September 12, 1896 in Westport; Jane died January 3, 1904. Both are buried in Linden Grove Cemetery.

References: (11); (23); (68); (83).

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John H. [6]

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John H.(1828-1900)
1849|Nancy Bliss(1833-1900)

Frank W.(1851-1926)
1873|Marietta Westgat(1855-1936)
Ellie R.(1859-1862)
Elmer J.(1863-1914)
1884|Nellie F. Tripp(1864-1935)

John H. Sisson was born September 17, 1828 on the old homestead on Pine Hill Road in Westport, MA. He was a housewright. On September 16, 1849 he married Nancy A. Bliss of New Bedford, daughter of Cyrenius and Sally (Rounds) Bliss. They were married in Tiverton, RI, by Elder James A. McKensie. Nancy was born January 9, 1833 in Tiverton. John and Nancy had three children, all born in Westport:

Frank W., born November 8, 1851 is discussed on page 425.

Ellie R. was born December 15, 1859 and died March 12, 1862. She is buried in Linden Grove Cemetery.

Elmer J., born April 1, 1863 is discussed on page 426.

John and Nancy sold land to their neighbor John Howland in 1854 and to Lydia S. Bliss in 1869. John died in 1900 before Nancy, who died April 13. Both are buried in Linden Grove Cemetery.

References: (7) 7:573; (11); (68); (83); (313) Book 25, p.482, 3/7/1854 and Book 64, p.125, 2/12/1869.

Stephen, Jr. [6]

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Stephen, Jr. (1798-) = (-)

Carolyn (-)

Joseph (-)

Stephen Sisson, Jr. was born March 19, 1798 in Bristol, Ontario County, NY. We do not know his wife's name. They lived in New Jersey and had two children:

Carolyn was born about 1820.

Joseph was born about 1822.

Reference: (194) Sept. 15, 1937.

Horatio [6]

Richard [1], James [2], Jonathan [3], John [4], Stephen [5] page 128

Horatio (1800-1867) = 1822 Clotlda Talr (1801-1860)

- Horatio B. (1823-) = 1850 Matilda Chase (1830-)
- Mary Ann (1825-) = 1848 Aaron H Bullock (-)
- Ann Lodema (1827-1906) = 1853 Richard Pomeroy (-)
- John T. (1830-1900) = 1854 Sarah Jane Case (1836-1876)
- Naomi L. (1832-)
- Clotilda O. (1834-) = Alexander (-)
- Orpha A. (1836-)
- Daniel (1837-1915) = 1867 Margaret Doyle (1840-1917)
- Martha E. (1845-1846)

Horatio "Horace" Sisson was born January 1, 1800 in Bristol, Ontario County, NY. He was a farmer and later in life had the title "general". In 1822 he married Clotilda Taylor, daughter of John and Hannah (Wilder) Taylor. Clotilda was born December 17, 1801 in Bristol. Horatio and Clotilda had nine children, all born in Bristol:

Horatio B., born December 8, 1823 is discussed on page 426.

Mary Ann was born November 14, 1825. On December 12, 1848 she married Aaron H. Bullock of Elyria, OH. Mary and Aaron had two children: Edmund D., September 17, 1849; and Martha E., June 19, 1851 married Theodore Faxon.

Ann(a) Lodema was born December 29, 1827. On April 11, 1853 in Brunswick, OH, she married Richard Wells Pomeroy. He was a merchant there. Ann and Richard had six children: Francis L., June,

1854; Emma; Grace, June, 1857; Harriet; Alice; and Charles. Ann died July 20, 1906.

John T., born January 27, 1830 is discussed on page 427.

Naomi L. was born in September, 1832. She was not married and died about 1910.

Clotilda O. was born February 2, 1834. She married Dr. Alexander. They had no children.

Orpha A. was born January 28, 1836. She was not married.

Daniel, born February 23, 1837 is discussed on page 428.

Martha E. was born in May, 1845 and died March 31, 1846.

Clotilda (Taylor) Sisson died May 18, 1860; she is buried in Codding Cemetery in Bristol. Horatio died in February, 1867.

References: (195) Vol. 335, p.8; (315) p. 217; (316) 1850; (317); (318).

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Judah [6]

Richard [1], James [2], Jonathan [3], John [4], Stephen [5] page 128

Judah(1802-1871)
1825|Theodra Morhous(1805-1887)

- Oscar Fitzhugh(1830-1893)
  - 1854|Adelaide Croks(-1862)
  - 1863|Jane A. Mather(1842-1924)
- James Kennedy(1832-1875)
  - 1863|Lucy E Jackson(1842-1928)
- Ann M.(1834-)
  - 1867|Rufus Durand(-)
- Phebe Caroline(1837-1837)
- William Judah(1838-1862)
- Horace(1841-)
  - 1867|Mary Adams(1846-)
- Phebe Caroline(1844-1912)
  - |Edward McMastr(-1912)
- Edgar R.(1848-)
  - |Lelia Lindsay(-)

Judah Sisson was born November 25, 1802 in Bristol, Ontario County, NY. He was a laborer; he worked on the Erie Canal. He was married on the day the water was let into the Canal. On October 26, 1825 in East Bloomfield, NY, he married Theodora (or Mary Pheodalia) Morehouse, daughter of Joshua and Anna (Smith) Morehouse. Theodora was born January 1, 1805 in Bristol. Judah and Theodora had eight children, all born in New York:

Oscar Fitzhugh, born January 14, 1830 is discussed on page 429.

James Kennedy, born April 20, 1832 in Bristol is discussed on page 430.

Ann M. was born December 28, 1834. On January 1, 1867 she married Rufus Durand. He was a farmer. They lived near Canan-

daigua, NY, on the old Gorham farm. They had one son: Elias Judah, 1870, married first Anna Louise Perry, died 1922/3.

The first Phebe Caroline was born in February, 1837 and died December 4, 1837. Ref: (319).

William Judah (also reported Hosai) was born November or December 18, 1838. He died unmarried September 28, 1862. He was a sergeant. Refs: Bible records; (319).

Horace, born November 9, 1841 is discussed on page 430.

Phebe Caroline was born April 16, 1844. She married Edward McMaster. They lived in East Bloomfield, NY. Phebe and Edward had four children: Anna, June 24, 1870, married John R. Francis; Walter, February 20, 1875, not married; Hollis, March 2, 1880, married 1) Glenna Dubel and 2) Mrs. Dora May Quick; and Ray, January, 1883 to December, 1883. Phebe died February 23, Edward died March 10, 1912.

Edgar R. was born April 14, 1848. He married Lelia Lindsay of South Bend, IN. Edgar and Lelia had a daughter: Ada, about 1883, not married, lived in Port Richmond, CA.

Judah died August 13, 1871; Theodora died March 19, 1887.

References: (316) 1850; (318).

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Charles [6]

Richard [1], James [2], Jonathan [3], John [4], Stephen [5] page 128

Charles(1804-1842) + Cordelia Luthr(1805-1856)
- Charles Whitfield(1834-)
  - (-)
- Cordelia Rebecca(1837-1913) \1868 John W. Moore(1832-1903)

Charles Sisson was born in March, 1804 probably in Bristol, NY. He married in Bristol Cordelia Luther. Cordelia was born in 1805. Charles and Cordelia had two children, both born in Bristol:

Charles Whitfield was born in March, 1834. He went to Minnesota, married there and had two children. He enlisted in the Minnesota Regular Volunteer Cavalry and was fatally wounded in battle.

Cordelia Rebecca was born March 14, 1837. On July 16, 1868 she married John Watts Moore. John was born June 16, 1832 in Kent, England. Cordelia and John had three children: Ernest Sisson, June 16, 1869, married Nana Ball Boatman; Charles Henry, February, 1871, married Georgiana Cannon; and Augusta Elizabeth, July, 1873, married Ralsa Frederick Morley. John died May 11, 1903; Cordelia died February 9, 1913.

Charles died December 13, 1842 in Cook County, IL. Cordelia died in 1856.

References: (318); (320) p.16424.

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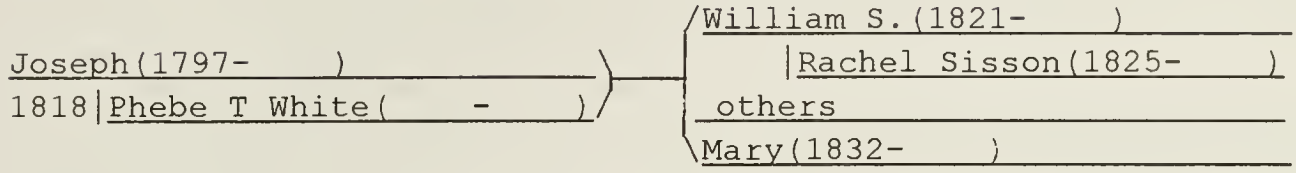
Joseph [6]

Richard [1], James [2], Jonathan [3], Stephen [4], Stephen [5] page 129



Joseph Sisson was born February 2, 1797 in Dartmouth, MA. On December 8, 1818 in Dartmouth, he married Phebe T. White of that town. Joseph and Phebe had several children:

William S., born October 15, 1821 in Dartmouth is discussed on page 431.

Several other children were born and the family moved to Scipio, Cayuga County, NY, near Seneca Falls.

Mary was born circa 1832 in New York.

References: (23); (297) 1850 p. 323.

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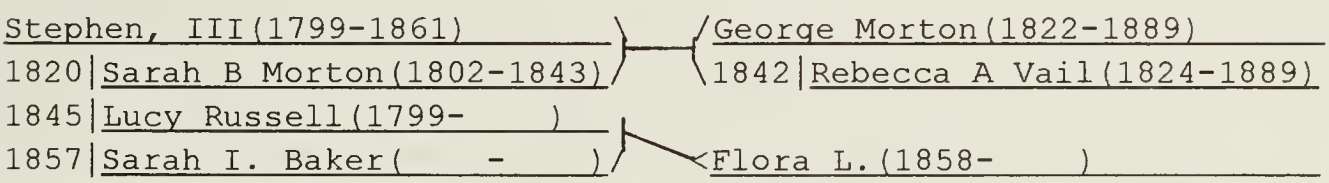
Stephen, III [6]

Richard [1], James [2], Jonathan [3], Stephen [4], Stephen [5] page 129



Stephen Sisson, III was born June 30, 1799 in Dartmouth, MA. He was a farmer and married first, (intent, September 18) on October 10, 1820, Sarah B. Morton, daughter of George and Mary (Eddy) Morton. Sarah was born May 5, 1802 in Dartmouth. Stephen and Sarah had a son:

George Morton, born July 21, 1822 is discussed on page 431.

Sarah died March 24, 1843. Stephen married second March 29, 1845 Lucy Russell. Lucy was born circa 1799. Stephen married third August 28, 1857 Sarah I. Baker. Stephen and Sarah (Baker) had a daughter:

Flora L. was born December 1, 1858.

Stephen died October 22, 1861 in Venice, NY.

References: (23); (68); (321) 1850.

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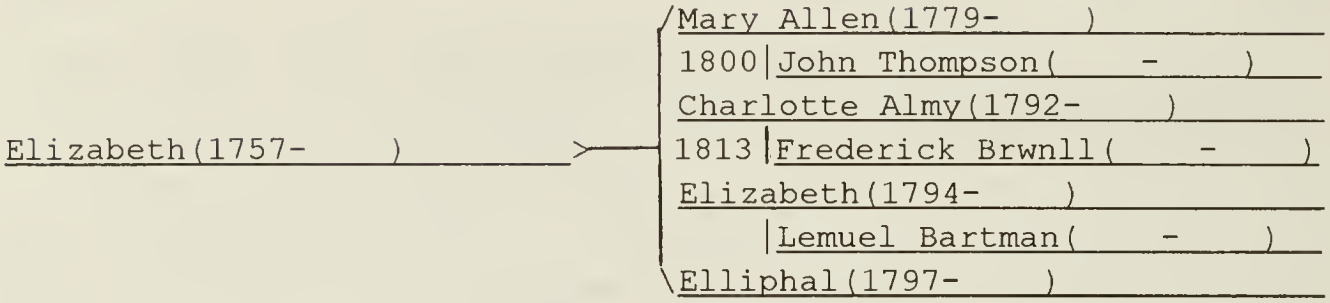
Elizabeth [6]

Richard [1], John [2], John, Jr. [3], John, III [4], Richmond [5] page 130



Elizabeth Sisson was born May 6, 1757 in Portsmouth, RI, a twin to Ruth. According to records found she was throughout her life referred to as a spinster or a single woman and is assumed to have never married. Elizabeth had four daughters, all of whom retained the surname Sisson:

Mary Allen was born October 3, 1779 in Portsmouth. It is thought that the name "Allen" was her father's surname. On October 22, 1800 she published intent to marry John Thompson of Tiverton. They were married November 13, 1800 in Tiverton. They had a daughter, Mary. [They are ancestors of Barbara Keohane, Allendale, NJ.]

Charlotte Almy was born February 16, 1792 in Tiverton. Her father may have been Mr. Almy. This is probably the Charlotte Almy Sisson who married in 1813 Frederick Brownell and had a daughter: Elizabeth Hooker September 10, 1832, married Henry Almy Slocum. Charlotte died August 11, 1868. Frederick married second Hannah Gifford. Refs: (7) 14:500; (137); (322) January 2, 1813.

Elizabeth was born August 2, 1794. She married Lemuel Bartman (or Bateman). They had a daughter, Elizabeth.

El(l)iphal was born November 17, 1797 in Tiverton.

Elizabeth's will, written August 26, 1812 and proved July 7, 1823, mentioned her four daughters and granddaughters Mary Thompson, Elliphal _____, and Elizabeth Bartman; executor Holder Abby.

References: (7) 4:97, 107; (152) Vol. 3, p.68; (159) 1790, 1800 & 1810; (323) Vol. 9, No. 2, p.133 & Vol. 10, p.306; (324) p.118.

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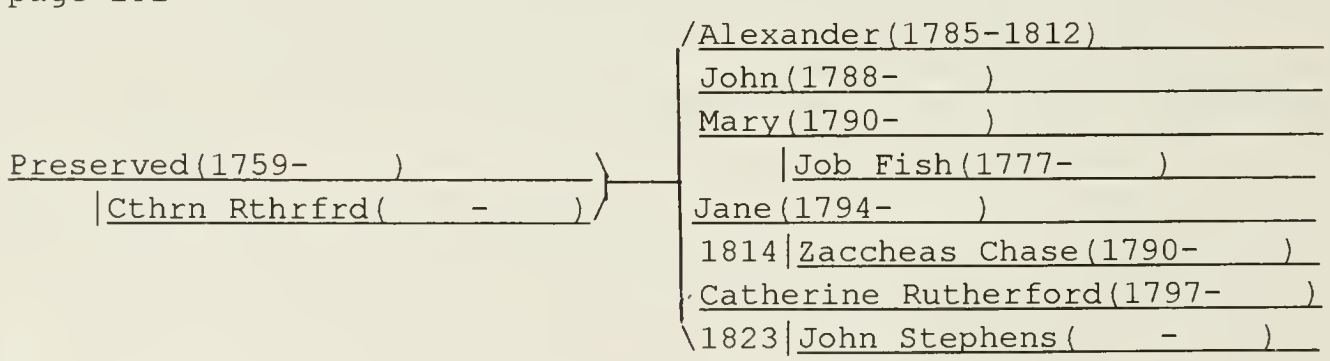
Preserved [6]

Richard [1], John [2], John, Jr. [3], John, III [4], John, IV [5] page 131



Preserved Sisson was born February 6, 1759 in Portsmouth, RI. He married Catherine Rutherford of Philadelphia, PA. Preserved and Catherine had five children:

Alexander was born December 7, 1785 and is possibly the "Alex" who was a navy master on July 13, 1812, was wounded in action November 27 and died December 7, 1812 in Black Rock, NY. Ref: (135) December 26, 1812.

John was born May 3, 1788.

Mary was born March 1, 1790. She married Job Fish. Job was born September 26, 1777. We assume she died soon since he married a second time.

Jane was born July 25, 1794. On August 14, 1814 she married Zaccheas Chase of Middletown, son of James Chase. Zaccheas was born November 16, 1790. They had two children: Mary, married Mr. Wightman; and Zaccheas, Jr., 1817.

Catherine Rutherford was born July 25, 1797. She married at Newport September 16, 1823 John Stephens of New York. They had a son, John, and moved to Charleston, SC.

Preserved was perhaps a sea captain from Southwalk, PA, in 1790.

References: (7) 4:16, 15:336, 16:517, 18:49, 20:329.

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Pardon [6]

Richard [1], John [2], John, Jr.[3], John, III [4], John, IV [5] page 131

Pardon(1775-1866)
1798|Mary Slocum(1778-1864)

- Nancy(1799-)
- 1817|Abraham Coggshll(1797-)
- Matthew(1800-1893)
- 1822|Sarah Atwood(1804-1860)
- Phebe(1802-1878)
- John(1805-)
- 1826|Phebe Sherman(-)
- Celia M.(1807-1852)
- Martha Champlain(1809-1896)
- 1828|William Carr(1807-1885)
- Edward S.(1811-1892)
- 1834|Mary G. Stedman(1814-1909)
- Oliver Slocum(1813-1896)
- 1837|Almeda Franklin(1810-1853)
- Holder(1815-1815)
- Alexander(1816-)
- 1842|Abigail Atwood(1820-1849)
- 1850|Abigail Brown(-)
- Pardon, Jr.(1816-1844)
- William B.(1819-1851)
- 1846|Charlotte Slocum(1823-)
- Benjamin Franklin(1823-1826)

Pardon Sisson was born September 23, 1775 in Portsmouth, RI. He was a farmer and a Quaker. On November 26, 1798 he married Mary "Polly" Slocum, daughter of John and Phebe (Durfee) Slocum. They were married in Portsmouth by Christopher Ellery, Justice. Mary was born February 20, 1778 in Portsmouth. Pardon served in the Army in the War of 1812. Ref: (136). Pardon and Mary had thirteen children, born Portsmouth or Middletown:

Nancy "Ann" was born February 5, 1799. In February of 1817 she married Abraham Chapman Coggeshall of Middletown, son of Joseph and Elizabeth (Horswell) Coggeshall. Abraham was born March 15, 1797. He was a farmer in Portsmouth. They had seven children: Noel, June 24, 1818, married Miss Rogers; Abraham, February 27, 1820, married Miss Oman; Jane Matilda, January 16, 1822, married Mr. Chase; Mary Catherine, October 13, 1823, also married a Mr. Chase; Joseph, February 14, 1826, married Miss Lawton; Martha, August 7, 1834, married Mr. Coggeshall; and John Pardon, July 7, 1836, married Miss Roddy. Both Nancy and Abraham died after 1880.

Matthew, born December 20, 1800 is discussed on page 432.

Phebe was born December 15, 1802 and died unmarried August 29, 1878. She is buried on the Edward Sisson farm.

John was born November 18, 1805. He married in Newport March 22, 1826 Phebe Sherman of Portsmouth. They were married by Rev. Mr. Gammell. In 1880 they lived in Amherst, Hampshire County, MA.

Celia M. was born September 9, 1807 and died unmarried February 9, 1852. She is buried on the Edward Sisson farm.

Martha Champlain was born July 7, 1809. On April 4, 1828 she married William Carr of Portsmouth. William was born September 9, 1807. They had five children: Sarah Tucker, married Mr. Brown; Orleana Ellery, married Mr. Weaver; Martha Champlin, married Mr. Smith; Jane Matilda, November 2, 1844-October 30, 1861; and Benjamin Franklin, who married Miss Cory. Martha C. and Mr. Carr are mentioned in the will of Martha Redwood Champlin dated 1847. William died July 6, 1885 in Portsmouth. Martha died September 6, 1896. Ref: (14) Vol. 10, p.307.

Edward S., born June 25, 1811 is discussed on page 433.

Oliver Slocum, born July 4, 1813 is discussed on page 434.

Holder was born November 4 and died in December, 1815.

Alexander, born November 14, 1816 is discussed on page 434.

Pardon, Jr. was a twin to Alexander. He was not married and died in 1844.

William B., born August 18, 1819 is discussed on page 435.

Benjamin Franklin was born May 6, 1823 and died in 1826.

Mary died July 7, 1864 and Pardon died November 28, 1866, age 91; both died in Portsmouth. He is buried on the Edward Sisson farm there. Pardon's will dated December 21, 1860 proved November 28, 1866 recorded Book 5-466 mentions wife Mary; sons Edward, Matthew, John, Oliver and Alexander; daughters Anne Coggeshall, Phebe Sisson, Martha C. Carr; grandson Alexander P. Sisson, son of William B. His inventory January 14, 1867 was $6,956.64.

References: (7) 4:38, 16:517, 18:49, 20:329-30; (11) Vol. II, pp.85-6; (89) Vol. II, p.1267; (137) 1:206-7.

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Samuel [6]

Richard [1], John [2], John [3], John [4], Caleb [5] page 133

Samuel (1777-1853)
Freelove Weeden (1782-1873)

- Abbie C. (1806-1889)
- Wanton W. (1813-1891)
- Marcenia Bryant (1814-1873)
  - 1837 Oliver Lewis (1814-1892)
- Sarah R. (-)
  - 1845 John B. Smith (-)
- Julia A. (1824-1881)
  - 1846 Jason Lewis (-)
- others

Samuel Sisson was born in 1777 in East Greenwich, Kent County, RI. He married Freelove Weeden, daughter of Caleb and Susannah (Capron) Weeden. Freelove was born February 28, 1782 or 1784. Samuel and Freelove had several children:

Abbie C. was born in 1806 in East Greenwich. She was not married in 1850 and died in 1889. She is buried in East Greenwich. Ref: (325) p.223.

Wanton W. was born May 9 (also reported September 5), 1813 [1812?] in East Greenwich. His sister Marcenia's birthdate has been confirmed as January 28, 1814. Wanton died not married September 9, 1891 in East Greenwich and is buried there. Refs: (52) 4:72; (325) p.223.

Marcenia Bryant was born January 28, 1814 in Coventry, RI. On November 26, 1837 in Coventry, she married Oliver Lewis, son of Benjamin and Hulda (King) Lewis. The marriage was performed by Rev. James Burlingame. Oliver was born August 6, 1814. Marcenia and Oliver had seven children: Mary Ann, October 30, 1838; Samuel Edwin, March 16, 1841; William Alden, August 5, 1844; Addie Melantha, April 13, 1847; Lafayette E., December 14, 1849; a daughter born and died, May 4, 1853; and Oliver C., September 24, 1854 to April 21, 1855. Marcenia died April 16, 1873 in Coventry. Oliver Lewis married second September 10, 1873 Hannah F. Ross, and third December 31, 1881 Mrs. Hattie F. Potter. He died January 22, 1892 in Coventry, "of fever and grippe". Ref: (326) 1:33.

Sarah R. was born about 1820 in Rhode Island. On November 2, 1845 she married John B. Smith in Warwick, NY.

Julia A. was born August 7, 1824 in Coventry. On April 12, 1846 in Coventry, she married Jason Lewis. Jason was born April 29, 1822. Julia and Jason had a son: Adelbert Jason, January 10, 1847. Julia died November 26, 1881. Jason Lewis married second May 12, 1887 Charlotte Amanda Chaffe.

And other children.

Samuel and Freelove are mentioned in a will dated 1815. Samuel died June 26, 1853 in Coventry or Phenix, RI. [Phenix is now a part of West Warwick.] Freelove died May 20 (or 28), 1873 also in Phenix. They are buried in East Greenwich.

References: (7) 1:48, 107; (14) Vol. 6, p.246 & Vol. 7, p.316; (52) 5:349-352; (325) p.223; (126) Vol. 4, No. 2, p.20 & Vol. 4, No. 3, p.38, 1893; (326) 1:1; (327) 1850.

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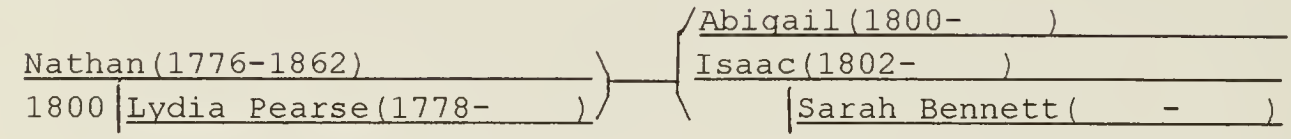
GENERATION [7]

Nathan [7]

Richard [1], George [2], Richard [3], George [4], Peleg [5], Richard [6] page 136



Nathan Sisson was born October 14, 1776/7 in Portsmouth, Newport County, RI. He was a farmer. On May 18, 1800 he married Lydia Pearse of Rhode Island, daughter of Richard and Abigail ( ) Pearse. They were married in Portsmouth by Elder William Bliss. Lydia was born circa 1778. Nathan and Lydia had two children, born in Portsmouth:

Abigail was born August 14, 1800. She was not married.

Isaac, born August 14, 1802 is discussed on page 438.

In the 1850 census Benjamin F. (14), Gilbert (11), and Mary (72), were also listed in the household [these were possibly not Sissons]. Nathan died in 1862.

Reference: (7) 4:41, 97.

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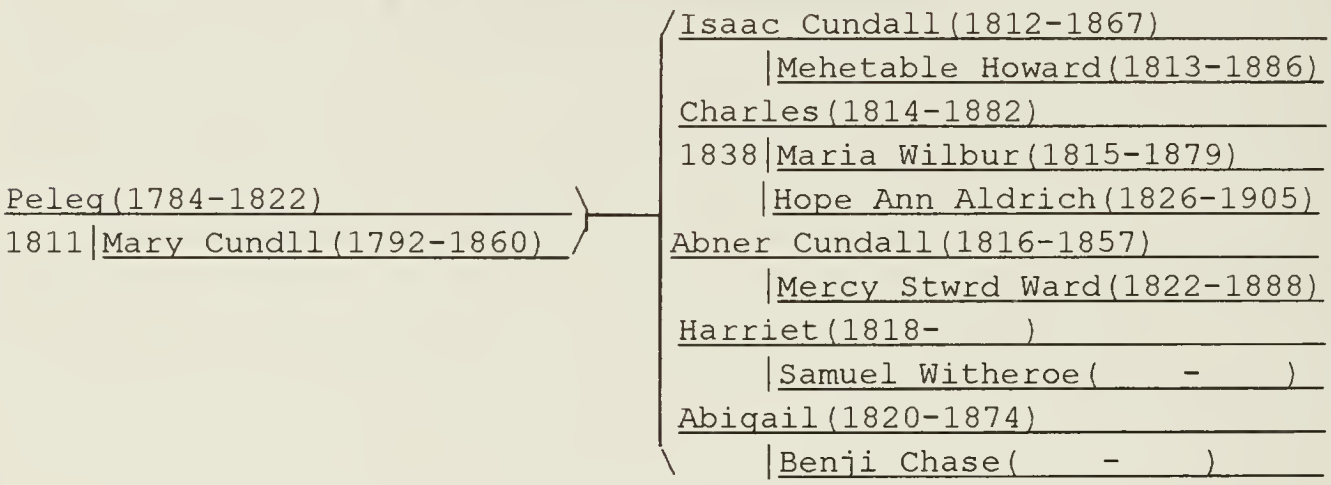
Peleg [7]

Richard [1], George [2], Richard [3], George [4], Peleg [5], Richard [6] page 136



Peleg Sisson was born December 17, 1784 in Portsmouth, Newport County, RI. He was a twin to Abigail. It has been reported that Peleg married November, 1808 Abigail Irish, see Peleg 1766, page 137. On February 24, 1811 Peleg married Mary Cundall, daughter of Abner and Abigail ( ) Cundall. Mary was born June 1, 1792 in Portsmouth. Peleg and Mary had five children:

Isaac Cundall, born March 10, 1812 is discussed on page 438.

Charles, born March 24, 1814 is discussed on page 439.

Abner Cundall, born May 9, 1816 is discussed on page 439.

Harriet was born August 4, 1818. She married Samuel Witheroe and lived in Pennsylvania.

Abigail was born September 18, 1820. She married Benji Chase and lived in Fall River, MA. Abigail died May 20, 1874.

Peleg died February 19, 1822 in Portsmouth. Mary died June 19, 1860 in Johnston (or Providence), RI.

References: (7) 4:97; (35); (199) p. 181; (328); (329) entry 459; (330).

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James [7]

Richard [1], George [2], Richard [3], George [4], Peleg [5], Richard [6] page 136

James (1788-1859)
1813 | Anna Woodman (-1885)

- Susan Eastman Woodman (-)
- Philadelphia Brownell (-1885)
- Richard W. (-)
  - Charlotte Peckhm (-)
- James Manning (1824-1911)
  - Vilroy Ann Dean (-)
- George Hall (1827-1889)
  - Christiana Dean (1841-1915)

James Sisson was born September 16, 1788 in Portsmouth, Newport County, RI. On February 3, 1813 he married Anna Gardiner Woodman, daughter of Richard, Jr. and Elizabeth Ann (Southwick) Woodman of Newport. Anna was born about 1796. James owned a parcel of land on the Sakonnet River near McCurry's Point. James and Anna had five children:

Susan Eastman Woodman was born about 1818. She was not married.

Philadelphia Brownell was born about 1820. She was not married and died in May, 1885.

Richard W., born about 1822 is discussed on page 440.

James Manning, born November 18, 1824 is discussed on page 440.

George Hall, born in 1827 is discussed on page 441.

James and Anna are mentioned in the will of Susan E. Woodman dated 1821. On November 27, 1823 James and Anna signed a quit-claim to his father Richard for eight acres "adjoining Peleg's land" in Portsmouth, valued at $300. James died May 3/4, 1859, age 70 years. He died intestate, his widow and sons Richard and George administered the estate allotting Anna $300. Anna wrote her will April 17, 1861, proved August 10, 1885 in Portsmouth, giving most of her estate to daughter Philadelphia, who had died in May, 1885. Family members divided the estate by deed.

References: (7) 4:97; (14) Vol. 10, p.306; (87) 2:147 & 5:11,12; (149) 5:139-150, 7:258; (331) February 6, 1813; (332) 15:30, 217, 14:460, 10:531.

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George [7]

Richard [1], George [2], Richard [3], George [4], George [5], Peleg [6] page 137

George(1812-) | Frances White(-) — George, Jr.(-); Frank(-)

George Sisson was born February 27, 1812 in Portsmouth, RI. He was a twin to Isaac. He married Frances White and they had two sons:

George, Jr. was born about 1840.

Frank was born about 1845.

Reference: (7) 4:98.

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Isaac P. [7]

Richard [1], George [2], Richard [3], George [4], George [5], Peleg [6] page 137

Isaac P.(1812-1887) | Amelia Devol(1815-1891) — John(-); Charles Richmond(-); 1865 Laura F. Potter(-); Anna Amelia(-); 1868 Elton W. Briggs(-); Walter Franklin(1857-1887)

Isaac P. Sisson was born February 27, 1812 in Portsmouth, RI. He was a twin to George. He was a clothier in Providence, RI. Isaac P. married Amelia Devol, daughter of John Devol. Amelia was born October 18, 1815. Isaac P. and Amelia had four children:

John was born about 1835 and died young in Rhode Island.

Charles Richmond, born about 1840 is discussed on page 442.

Anna Amelia was born about 1848. On January 3, 1868 she married Elton W. Briggs. They had a daughter, Amelia. Ref: (217) p.450.

Walter Franklin was born in 1857. He was not married and died in 1887.

Isaac P. died in 1887; Amelia died in 1891. They are possibly listed in the Lete County, MI, 1850 census.

Reference: (7) 4:98.

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Thomas [7]

Richard [1], George [2], Richard [3], George [4], George [5], George [6] page 138

Thomas(1796-1867)
1821|Laura Hopkns(1803-1853)
1855|Sabery Flint(-1865)

Luther S.(1821-1901)
1846|Eliza M. Garrett(1827-)
Rufus P.(1825-1904)
1845|Pamelia Demond(1827-1906)
Ransom E.(1827-1872)
1850|Hulda E Dennison(1832-1864)
1865|Catherine Waldrn(-)
Cynthia Jane(1833-1910)
1856|Jonathan Turner(1819-1895)

Thomas Sisson was born September 5, 1796 in Rhode Island. He was a farmer in Berne, Albany County, NY. On March 22, 1821 he married first Laura Hopkins of Berne, daughter of Abijah and Hannah ( ) Hopkins. Laura was born in 1803. Thomas and Laura had four children:

Luther S., born December 13, 1821 in New Baltimore, NY, is discussed on page 442.

Rufus P., born June 15, 1825 in Berne, NY, is discussed on page 443.

Ransom E., born August 14, 1827 in Berne is discussed on page 443.

Cynthia Jane was born November 14, 1833 in Berne. On May 25, 1856 she married Jonathan Turner. Jonathan was born in 1819. Cynthia and Jonathan had two daughters: Ellen, December 7, 1862; and Mary, May 6, 1870, married Mr. Norton. Jonathan died February 5, 1895; Cynthia died June 22, 1910.

Laura died August 22, 1853. Thomas married second December 6, 1855 Sabery Ann Flint. Sabery died December 6, 1865; Thomas died December 21, 1867. Thomas is buried in Turner Burying Ground, Berne.

References: (333) 1850; (334); (335).

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Waite [7]

Richard [1], George [2], Richard [3], George [4], George [5], George [6] page 138

Waite(1798-1871)
|(-)

Noel E.(1821-1904)
1843|Emiline Griffin(1819-1890)
1891|Anna Bogardus(1860-1908)

Waite Sisson (a daughter) was born December 30, 1798. She was deserted by her husband and her father adopted her son:

Noel E., born January 23, 1821 in Berne, Albany County, NY, is discussed on page 444.

Waite died July 3, 1871.

We have no additional references.

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John [7]

Richard [1], George [2], Richard [3], Richard [4], Mary [5], Lemuel [6] page 139

John(1796-1879)
1820|Mary Brownll(1800-1881)

Ephraim Bailey(1820-1905)
1843|Harriet S. Shaw(1821-1902)
1902|Eliza Robinson(1839-1916)
Clarissa Head(1834-)

John Sisson was born January 23, 1796 in Portsmouth, RI. He was a farmer in Little Compton, RI. He married Mary Bailey Brownell in Little Compton, the daughter of Edmond and Priscillar "Polly" (Bailey) Brownell. Their marriage was reported in the November 11, 1820 Providence Phenix (publication). Mary was born May 6, 1800 in Little Compton. John and Mary worked a farm belonging to James I. Bailey in Seaconnet. John and Mary had two children:

Ephraim (or Eshraim) Bailey was born February 4, 1820 in Little Compton and also lived in South Compton. He was a farmer and briefly a teacher. He was also a Republican, a Methodist, and a member of the International Order of Odd Fellows. On February 28, 1843 he married Harriet S. Shaw, daughter of Jediah and Rhoda (Manchester) Slocum Shaw. They were married in Little Compton by Thomas Ely, Justice. Harriet was born December 18, 1821 in Little Compton. She died June 3, 1902. Ephraim married second November 25, 1902 Eliza (Taylor) Robinson, a widow and daughter of Gregg and Elizabeth (Morris) Taylor. Eliza was born September 18, 1839 in Beloit, OH. There was no issue from either marriage; an infant by the first wife is also reported. Ephraim died December 27, 1905 and is buried beside Harriet in the Little Compton Cemetery. Eliza died December 11, 1916 and is buried in Rural Cemetery, New Bedford.

Clarissa Head was born circa 1834 in Rhode Island.

Both John and Mary were baptized Methodists on July 7, 1821 in his father's home. They are mentioned in her father's will dated 1840. John died November 20, 1879; Mary died January 6, 1881. Both are buried in Little Compton Cemetery.

References: (7) 4:58, 97 & 18:48 & 20:329; (11) Vol. IV, p.12; (14) Vol. 10, p.309; (205).

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Joseph [7]

Richard [1], George [2], Richard [3], Richard [4], Mary [5], Lemuel [6] page 139

Joseph(1801-1876)
1827|Patience Wilbour(-1842)
1843|Harriet (W) Allen(1818-)

John(1846-)
1868|Mary E Almy(-)

Joseph Sisson was born February 12, 1801 in Portsmouth, Newport County, RI. He was a Whig and farmer. He married first Patience T. Wilbour, daughter of Lt. Gov. Isaac and Hannah (Taber) Wilbour of Little Compton. They were married there August 24, 1827 by Rev. Amos Binney. Patience died June 14, 1842. Joseph married second October 19, 1843 Harriet (Webb) Allen, daughter of Rev. Daniel and Eliza ( ) Webb and widow of John K. Allen. They were married in Little Compton by Rev. Daniel Webb. Harriet was born circa 1818 in Massachusetts and had a daughter Susan Allen. Joseph and Harriet had a son:

John, born October 23, 1846 in Little Compton is discussed on page 445.

Joseph died October 29, 1876 in Little Compton; he is buried in the "New Cemetery at the Commons". Harriet is buried beside John Allen in New Bedford, MA.

References: (7) 4:58, 98 & 16:517 & 18:49 & 20:329; (11) Vol. IV, p.10.

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David [7]

Richard [1], George [2], Richard [3], Richard [4], Mary [5], Lemuel [6] page 139

David(1803-1874) = Sarah Bailey(1805-1895)

- William Henry(1828-1829)
- Henry Tillinghast(1831-1910)
  - 1864 Nettie Walworth(1845-1868)
  - 1871 Emily J Brownell(-1902)

David Sisson was born February 14, 1803 in Portsmouth, Newport County, RI. This family has been confused with the family of David, Jr., 1809, page 365. David had a farm "The Point" (formerly the Roach estate) in Little Compton, RI. He was a merchant and mill owner in the Fall River, MA, iron works with the Borden family; later he was associated with manufacturing enterprises including American Print Works, American Linen Manufacturing Company and the Providence Tool Company. David married Sarah A. Bailey, daughter of Tillinghast and Anna (Briggs) Bailey of Little Compton. Sarah was born August 20, 1805 in Little Compton. David and Sarah had two sons:

William Henry was born July 10, 1828 and died November 2, 1829. He is buried in Little Compton Cemetery.

Henry Tillinghast, born August 20, 1831 in Fall River is discussed on page 445.

David died February 22, 1874; Sarah died June 26, 1895. Both are buried in Little Compton Cemetery.

References: (7) 4:38; (11) Vol. IV, pp.13-14; (205).

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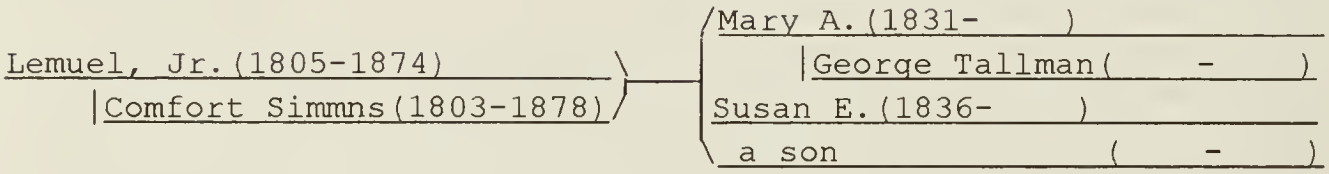
Lemuel, Jr. [7]

Richard [1], George [2], Richard [3], Richard [4], Mary [5], Lemuel [6] page 139



Lemuel Sisson, Jr. was born May 27, 1805 in Portsmouth, Newport County, RI. He was a farmer and married Comfort Simmons, daughter of Nancy ( ) Simmons of Rhode Island. Comfort was born in September, 1803. Lemuel and Comfort had three children born in Rhode Island:

Mary A. was born circa 1831. She married George Tallman. He has also been reported as the husband of Mary's sister Susan.

Susan E. was born circa 1836.

A son.

Lemuel and Comfort are mentioned in her mother's will dated 1837. Lemuel died February 1, 1874; Comfort died April 14, 1878. Both are buried in Little Compton Cemetery.

References: (7) 4:98; (14) Vol. 10, p.309.

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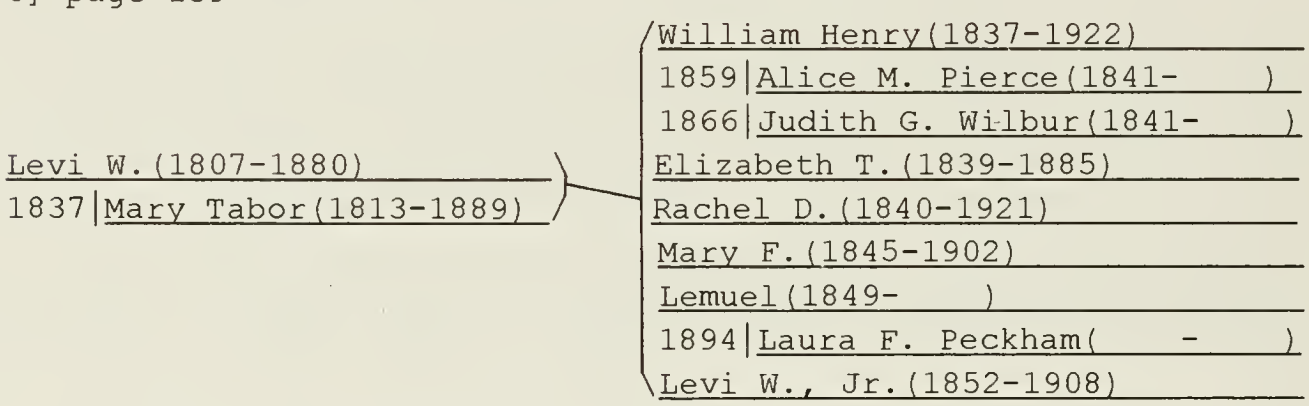
Levi W. [7]

Richard [1], George [2], Richard [3], Richard [4], Mary [5], Lemuel [6] page 139



Levi W. Sisson was born March 19, 1807 in Portsmouth, Newport County, RI. He was a laborer, farmer, Republican and Methodist-Episcopal. On February 2, 1837 he married Mary Tabor of Fairhaven, MA, daughter of Elnathan Tabor. Mary was born in February 22, 1813 in Fairhaven. Levi and Mary had six children, all born in Little Compton:

William Henry, born December 24, 1837 is discussed on page 446.

Elizabeth T. was born May 22, 1839. She was not married and died March 30, 1885.

Rachel D. was born October 30, 1840. She was not married and lived on the family homestead with her brother Levi. Rachel died September 25, 1921 in Waltham, MA.

Mary F. was born September 30, 1845. She was not married and died April 27, 1902.

Lemuel, born February 8, 1949 is discussed on page 447.

Levi W. Jr. was born December 9, 1852. He was not married, was a farmer, poultry raiser with his brother Lemuel and a Republican. He lived on the family homestead. Levi died May 5, 1908.

All these children except Lemuel and his wife Laura are buried in Little Compton Cemetery.

Levi W. Sr. died November 1, 1880; Mary died November 28, 1889. They are buried in Little Compton Cemetery.

References: (7) 4:98; (11) Vol. IV, pp.15-16; (29); (89) 2000-1; (205).

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James Phillips [7]

Richard [1], George [2], Richard [3], Richard [4], Mary [5], Lemuel [6] page 139

James Phillips(1812-1861)
1834 Mary S. Tew(1815-1885)

- James L.(1837-1875)
  - 1860 Adeline M Warner(-)
- Mary Eliza(1840-1914)
  - Charles Furneaux(1837-1913)
- Joseph Preston(1842-1927)
  - 1870 Ellen Holden(1842-1899)
- Harriet E.(-)
  - Congdon(-)
- David(1846-1870)
- Sarah Ann(1849-1930)
  - 1872 John Jay Hicks(1833-1901)

James Phillips Sisson was born June 16, 1812/13 in Portsmouth, Newport County, RI. He was a farmer. On October 5, 1834 in Fall River, MA, he married Mary S. "Polly" Tew, daughter of Philip and Silence M. (Mason) Tew. Polly was born February 2/19, 1815 in Berkley/East Greenwich, MA. They are mentioned in the will of Abigail Tew dated 1841. James and Polly had six children, all born in Rhode Island:

James L. was born in 1837. On April 16, 1860 he married Adeline M. Warner, daughter of William W. and Caroline ( ) Warner. James was living in Hawaii when his brother Joseph arrived there in 1868. James died in 1875 a widower, in Hawaii. Ref: (52) 4:13.

Mary Eliza was born January 25, 1840 in Little Compton. On November 10, 1869 she married Charles Furneaux as his second wife. Charles was born circa 1837 in Boston. They were married by Rev. J. F. Sheffield in the Methodist-Episcopal Church in East Greenwich. They lived in Melrose, MA, and Hawaii. Mary and Charles had one child who may have died young. Charles died in 1913 and Mary died June 29, 1914. Both died in Hilo and are buried in Homelani

Cemetery there. Refs: Death certificate of Mary; (7) Vol. 11, p.475.

Joseph Preston, born January 22, 1842 in Little Compton, is discussed on page 447.

Harriet E. "Hattie" was born about 1844. She married Mr. Congden and had two daughters: Bertha C., married Mr. Kerr, had a son; and Helen C., married Mr. Trisdale, had three children.

David was born in 1846 in Rhode Island. He joined the Methodist-Episcopal Church in East Greenwich December 31, 1863 and was removed in November, 1865. He died unmarried June 27, 1870 in East Greenwich.

Sarah Ann "Sally" was born December 15, 1849 in Little Compton. On June 12, 1872 she married John Jay Hicks, son of John and Caroline (Almy) Hicks of New Bedford. They were married by Rev. James Mather in the Methodist-Episcopal Church. John was born August 13, 1833. They had no children. Sarah joined the Methodist-Episcopal Church, East Greenwich, August 5, 1883 and was removed to Westerly September 2, 1886. John died in 1901 in New Bedford. Sarah died November 21, 1930 in Boston, MA. Ref: (7) Vol. 11, p.475.

James Phillips and Mary T. joined the Methodist-Episcopal Church, East Greenwich, April 4, 1853. He died May 8, 1861 in East Greenwich or Pawtucket, RI. She "died suddenly" July 27, 1885 in East Greenwich.

References: (7) 4:98 11:508; (11) Vol. IV, p.11; (14) Vol. 6, p.246 & Vol. 10, p.309; (52) 4:29; (206); (336).

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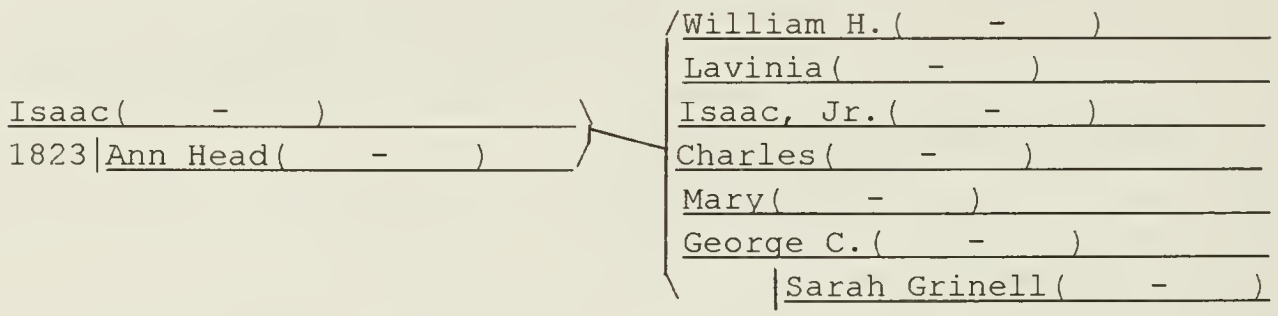
Isaac [7]

Richard [1], George [2], Richard [3], Richard [4], Richard [5], Richard [6] page 140



Isaac Sisson was born about 1804. On January (or July) 1, 1823 in Newport, RI, he married Ann Head. They are reported in the Providence Journal as "both of Portsmouth". It has also been reported that she married Isaac born August 14, 1802 [see Isaac page 438]. Isaac and Ann had six children:

William H. was born about 1825.
Lavinia was born about 1827.
Isaac, Jr. was born about 1830.
Charles was born about 1832.
Mary may have been born about 1834.

George C. may have been born about 1837. He married Sarah Grinell. George and Sarah had four children: Georgianna; Emma; Charles; and Thomas V., married Margaret Bateson [these are ancestors of Howard Sisson, North Haven, CT].

References: (7) 16:517 & 18:49 & 20:329.

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Job, Jr. [7]

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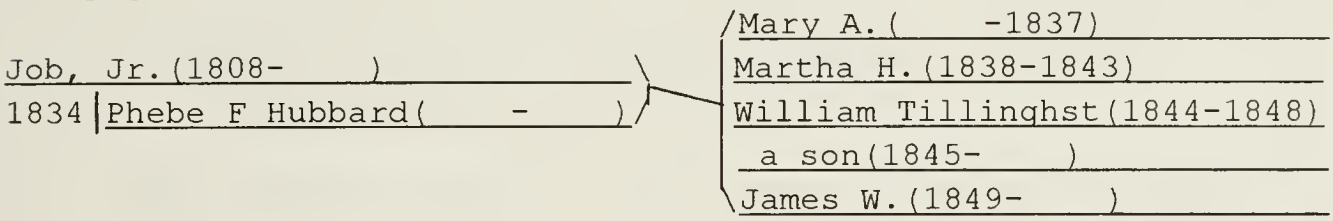

Job Sisson, Jr., was born September 8, 1808. On October 5, 1834 in New Bedford, MA, he married Phebe F/H. Hubbard of Nantucket. Job and Phebe had five children, probably all born in Nantucket:

Mary A. died September 8, 1837.

Martha H. was born in 1838 died November 22, 1843.

William Tillinghast was born February 20, 1844 and died December 20, 1848.

A son was born September 5, 1845.

James W. was born July 11, 1849.

Reference: (77).

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John F. [7]

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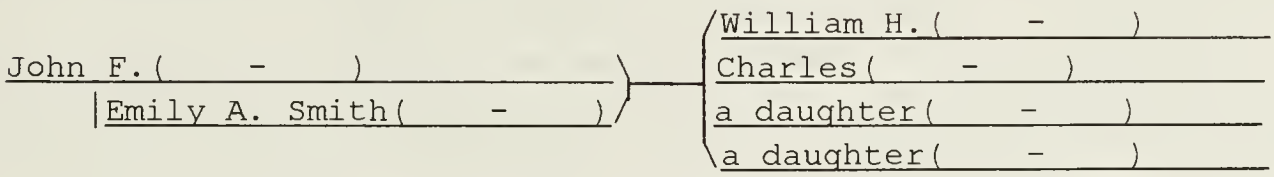

John F. Sisson was born about 1820. He married Emily A. Smith and had four children:

William H. was born about 1840. He was a private in the Massachusetts militia and lived in Cornish, NH.

Charles was born about 1842. This may be the Charles S. Sisson who was born about 1840 and married Elisha[?] Rhodes Brown of Dover, NH, daughter of Carrie Mitchell. Elisha was born June 3, 1849.

Two daughters, names unknown, were also born to this family.

We have no additional references.

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William, Jr. [7]

Richard [1], George [2], Richard [3], Richard [4], Richard [5], William [6] page 142

William, Jr.(1818-) ⟩
1843 Phebe A. Esleeck(1817-1903) ⟩—< Charles(-1867)

William Sisson, Jr. was born June 28, 1818 in Portsmouth, Newport County, RI. William was a laborer. On August 14, 1843 he married Phebe Almira Esleeck of Newport, daughter of John Reed and Ann Eddy (Hunt) Esleeck. They were married there by Rev. Thomas Leaver. Phebe was born March 15, 1817 in Alexandria, VA. William and Phebe had a son:

Charles was born about 1844. He was a depot master at Blackstone, MA, and was killed in 1867 by "cars".

William, Jr. died during the Civil War in Newbern, NC. Phebe died December 2, 1903 in Bristol. She is buried in St. Mary's Cemetery, Portsmouth.

References: (7) 4:64, 98; (11) Vol. II, p.84.

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Albert A. [7]

Richard [1], George [2], Richard [3], Richard [4], Richard [5], William [6] page 142

Albert A.(-) ⟩ ⟨Frances J.(1846-)
1844 Jane C. Tallman(-) ⟩—⟨ Albert F.(1853-)

Albert A. Sisson was born about 1820 in Portsmouth, Newport County, RI. He was a laborer; on November 17, 1844 he married Jane C. Tallman of Rhode Island. They were married in Portsmouth by Rev. Ebenezer Blake. They had two children, both born in Portsmouth:

Frances J. "Fannie" was born April 9, 1846.

Albert F. (or T.) was born July 3, 1853.

References: (7) 4:41, 98.

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Henry Jones [7]

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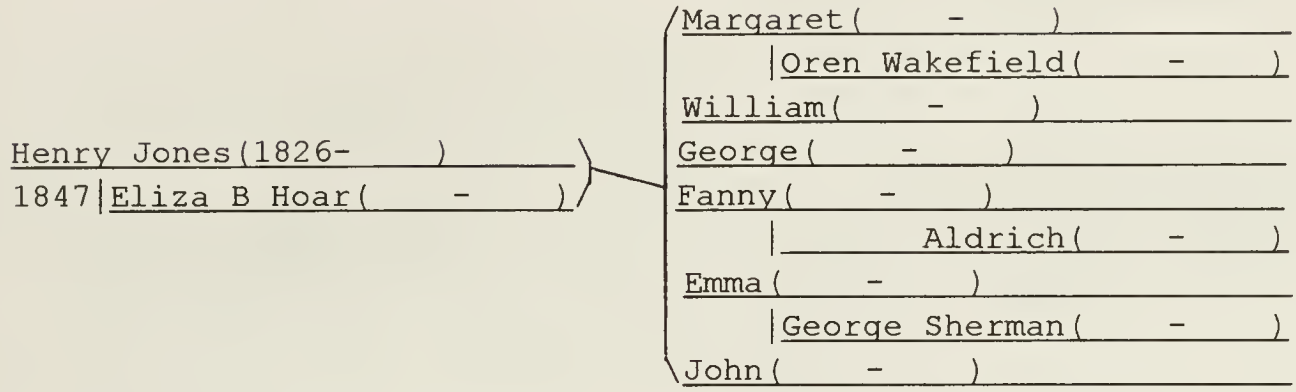

Henry Jones Sisson was born November 10, 1826 in Portsmouth, Newport County, RI. On July 13, 1847 in Fall River, MA, he married Eliza B. Hoar, daughter of George and Margaret ( ) Hoar. The family lived in Webster, MA. Henry and Eliza had six children:

Margaret was born about 1850. She married Oren Wakefield.
William was born about 1852.
George was born about 1854. He was not married.
Fanny was born about 1857. She married Mr. Aldrich.
Emma was born about 1858. She married George Sherman.
John was born about 1862. He was not married.

References: (7) 4:98; (11) Vol. II, p.84.

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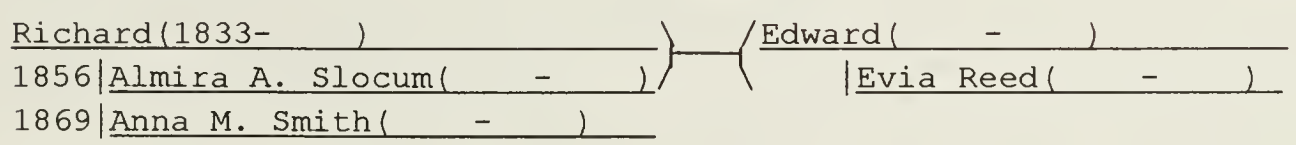
Richard [7]

Richard [1], George [2], Richard [3], Richard [4], Richard [5], William [6] page 142



Richard Sisson was born in 1833 in Portsmouth, Newport County, RI. He was a detective on the O.C.R.R. in Boston in 1882. He married first on November 25, 1856 in Fall River, MA, Almira A. Slocum, daughter of Edwin and Elizabeth ( ) Slocum. Richard and Almira had a son:

Edward was born about 1857. He married Evia Reed. They resided at 429 Bedford Street in Fall River, MA, in 1882.

Richard married second December 14, 1869 in Fall River, Anna M. Smith, daughter of Joel and Emeline (Thomas) Smith.

Reference: (7) 4:98; (11) Vol. II, p.84.

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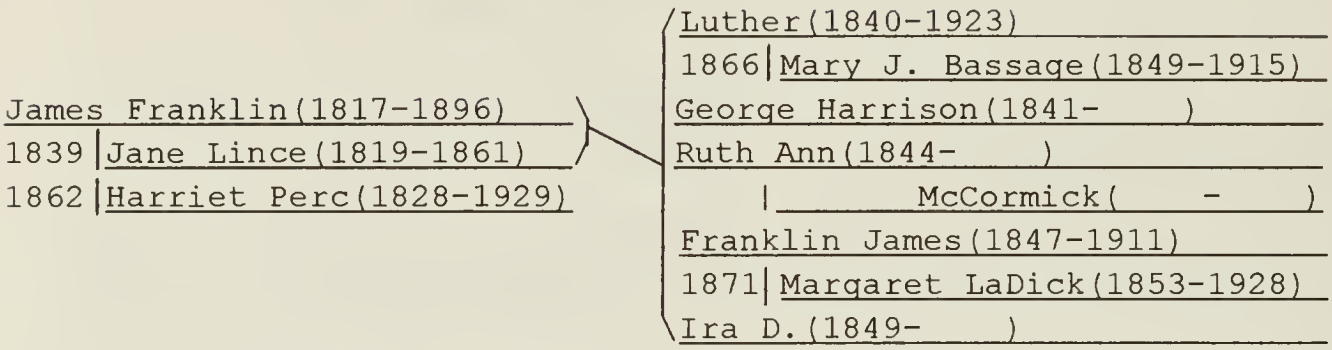
James Franklin [7]

Richard [1], George [2], George, Jr. [3], John [4], George [5], Benoni [6] page 145



James Franklin Sisson was born May 4, 1817 in Yates County, NY. He was a farmer and married first in 1839 Jane Lince. Jane was born in 1819. [This is probably the James Sisson who was married to Jane Linn, parents of Jane Ewing, born March 3, 1845.] James and Jane had five or six children, all born in Torrey, NY:

Luther, born January 14, 1840 is discussed on page 448.

George Harrison was born in 1841. In 1850 he was in Jerusalem, Yates County, NY, and was named as the son of James in an 1889 petition. In 1896 he was in St. Thomas, Ontario, Canada, but is not mentioned in his father's will.

Ruth Ann was born in 1844. She married a Mr. McCormick; they were living in Penn Yan, NY, in 1889.

Franklin James, born May 23, 1847 is discussed on page 449.

Ira D. was born in 1849, probably June 16. He went to the Dakotas and is not named in his father's will.

James was worth $1,000 in the Jerusalem, Yates County, NY, 1850 census. Jane died in 1861. James married second April 1, 1862 Harriet Elizabeth Pierce, a widow with four children: Charles, circa 1848; Marion F., circa 1852; Delos, circa 1854; and Hannah, 1858 to October 13, 1893. Harriet was born in 1828 in New York. James died December 28, 1896, and is buried in Lakeview Cemetery in Penn Yan. Harriet died in 1929 [at the age of 101].

References: (337); (338) 1850 & 1865; (339).

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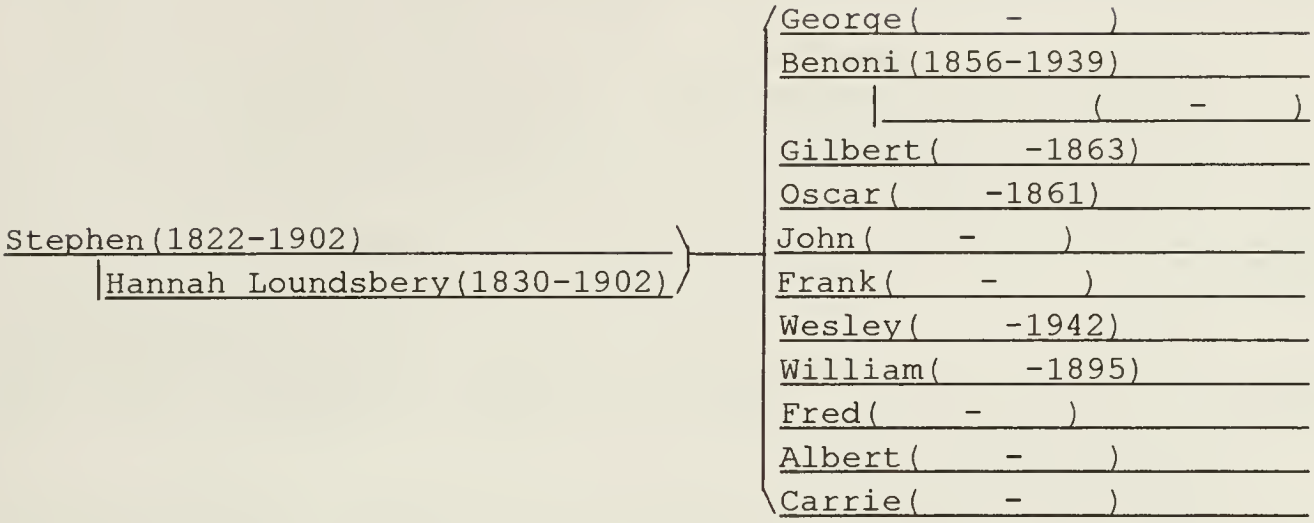
Stephen [7]

Richard [1], George [2], George, Jr. [3], John [4], George [5], Benoni [6] page 145



Stephen Sisson was born in 1822 in Yates County, NY. He married Hannah Loundsbery. Hannah was born in 1830. Stephen and Hannah had ten children:

George was born about 1854.
Benoni, born April 13, 1856 is discussed on page 450.
Gilbert was born about 1858 and died in 1863.
Oscar was born about 1860 and died in 1861.
John was born about 1862.
Frank was born about 1864.
Wesley was born about 1867 and died in 1942.
William was born about 1869 and died about 1895.
Fred was born about 1872.
Albert was born about 1875.
Carrie was born about 1878 and died young.

Both Stephen and Hannah died in 1902.

We have no additional references.

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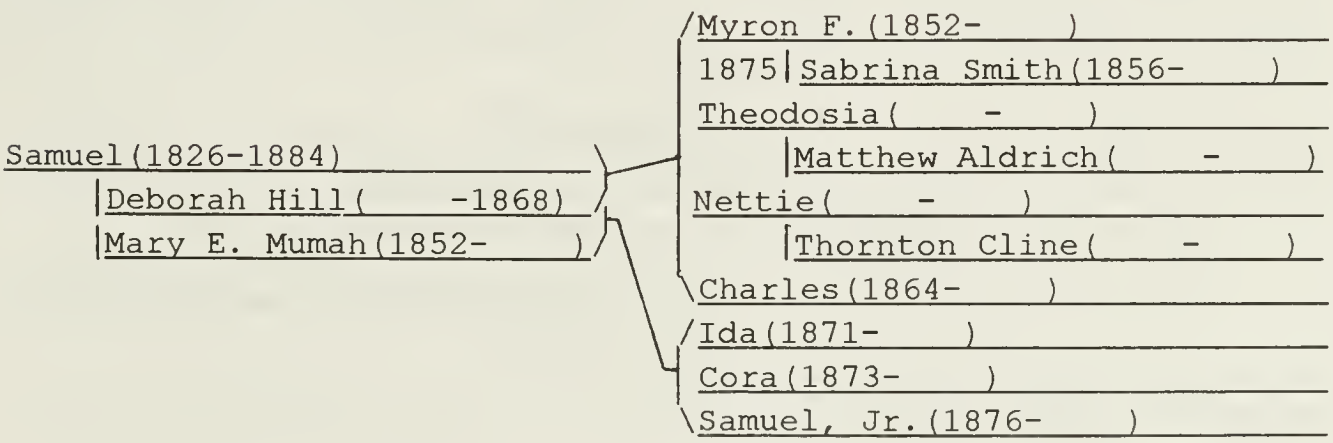
Samuel [7]

Richard [1], George [2], George, Jr. [3], John [4], George [5], Benoni [6] page 145



Samuel Sisson was born April 22, 1826 in Yates County, NY. Samuel married first Deborah Hill of New York. The family lived in Nelson, MI. Samuel and Deborah had four children, probably all born in Michigan:

Myron F., born September 4, 1852 is discussed on page 451.

Theodosia was born about 1854. She married Matthew Aldrich of Chicago, IL.

Nettie was born about 1856. She married Thornton Cline of Grand Rapids, MI.

Charles was born in 1864. He lived in Oakfield Center, Kent County, MI.

Deborah died in 1868. Samuel married second Mary Elizabeth Mumah. Mary was born in 1852 in Michigan. Samuel and Mary had three children, all born in Michigan:

Ida was born in 1871.

Cora was born in 1873.

Samuel, Jr. was born in 1876.

Samuel died April 25, 1884.

References: (340) 1880.

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William [7]

Richard [1], George [2], George, Jr. [3], John [4], George [5], Jonathan [6] page 146

William(-)
Melissa Gnng(1825-)

Sarah M.(-)
Elisha Champlin(1843-)
Edward J.(1849-)
Carrie Genung(1852-)
Eugene(-)

William Sisson was born about 1815. He married Melissa Genung, daughter of William and Eunice (Angel) Genung. Melissa was born October 7, 1825. The family moved to "about one mile west" of Italy Hill, NY. William and Melissa had three children, probably all born in Italy Hill:

Sarah M. was born about 1845. She married Elisha Champlin, son of Rowland and Mary (Ingram) Champlin. Elisha was born October 20, 1843 in Jerusalem, Yates County, NY. He was a farmer. Sarah and Elisha had two children: Mary S., died at age 13; and Charles Gardner. Ref: (207).

Edward J. was born in November, 1849. He married his first cousin, Carrie Genung, the daughter of William, Jr. and Bethany (Sisson) Genung. They are discussed on page 451.

Eugene was born about 1850 and may have died in 1864.

Apparently William died before 1904, when Melissa was living in Prattsburg, NY, with her daughter Sarah.

References: (208); (210).

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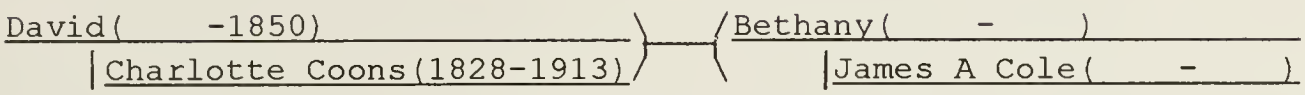
David [7]

Richard [1], George [2], George, Jr. [3], John [4], George [5], Jonathan [6] page 146



David Sisson was born about 1820 in Jerusalem, Yates County, NY. He married Charlotte Coons, daughter of Zachariah and Celinda (Briant) Coons. Charlotte was born in 1828. David and Charlotte had one daughter:

Bethany was born about 1847. She married James A. Cole. They had one daughter who moved to Arizona.

David went to California during the gold rush in 1849. He died in 1850. Charlotte married second David's brother Harrison, below; she died in 1913.

Reference: (210) p.613.

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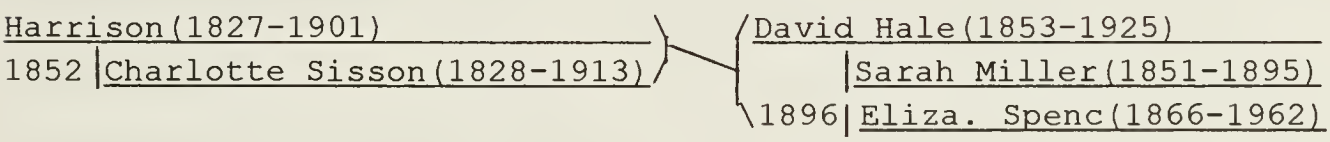
Harrison [7]

Richard [1], George [2], George, Jr. [3], John [4], George [5], Jonathan [6] page 146



Harrison Sisson was born in 1827 (or 1829) in Jerusalem, Yates County, NY. He was a farmer on his father's homestead. In 1852 he married Charlotte (Coons) Sisson, his brother David's widow. Harrison and Charlotte had one son:

David Hale, born September 11, 1853 is discussed on page 452.

Harrison was supervisor of Jerusalem in 1868. Harrison died in 1901 and Charlotte died in 1913.

Reference: (210) p.613.

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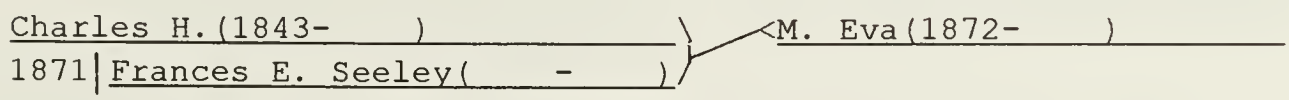
Charles H. [7]

Richard [1], George [2], George, Jr. [3], John [4], George [5], Luther [6] page 147



Charles H. (or M.) Sisson was born June 25, 1843 in Penn Yan, Lancaster County, NY. On October 15, 1871 he married Frances E.

Seeley. Charles and Frances had a daughter, probably born in Penn Yan:

M. Eva was born October 14, 1872.

We have no additional references.

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John Humphrey Thompson [7]

Richard [1], George [2], George, Jr. [3], John [4], Esek [5], Luther [6] page 148

John H. T.(1828-1864)
1850|Lydia Willams(1832-)

- Francis Henry(1850-)
- 1873|Eliza Ann Hobart(-)
- John Davis(1852-1853)
- Luther Clifford(1854-1855)
- Alice Amelia(1855-1859)
- Charles Clifford(1860-)
- 1882|Nellie M Freeman(1858-)
- Elmer Elwood(1863-)

John Humphrey Thompson Sisson was born January 26, 1828 in Dorchester, Suffolk County, MA. He was a machinist. On January 20, 1850 he married Lydia Ann Williams, daughter of Thaddeus and Eliza (Ennis) Williams. They were married in Cumberland by Rev. John Boyden, Jr. Lydia was born on October 30, 1832. They lived in Easton, MA. John and Lydia had seven children:

Francis Henry, born December 28, 1850 is discussed on page 453.

John Davis was born February 3, 1852 and died in September, 1853.

Luther Clifford was born March 1, 1854 and died June 23, 1855.

Alice Amelia was born March 17, 1855 and died in April, 1859.

Charles Clifford, born March 10, 1860 is discussed on page 453.

Elmer Elwood was born April 28, 1863 and died an infant.

John Humphrey died June 13, 1864 in Easton.

References: (7) 3:58; (54); (341) p 897; (342).

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Luther Sabra [7]

Richard [1], George [2], George [3], John [4], Esek [5], Luther [6] page 148

Luther Sabra(1829-1909)
1856|Sarah Humphry(1839-1903)

- Lennette Green(1861-1940)
- 1878|George L. Allen(1853-)
- 1915|Edwin J. Foster(-)

Luther Sabra Sisson was born December 29, 1829 in Dorchester, Suffolk County, MA. He was a machinist in Easton, MA. On March (or November) 6, 1856 John married Sarah Maria Humphrey, daughter of

James and Abigail Adelaide (Greene) Humphrey. Sarah was born January 9, 1839 in North Bridgewater, Plymouth County, MA. They were officers in the Masons (1881-2) and Eastern Star (1875) in Easton and Cambridge, MA. Luther and Sarah had one child, born in North Easton:

Lennette Greene was born May 2, 1861. On December 24, 1878 she married George L. Allen, son of William and Elizabeth (Liddle) Allen. George was born December 14, 1853. He was referred to as "Captain". They lived in Worchester, MA. Lennette and George had two children: Mabel Lennette, February 16, 1881, died young; Bessie, November 25, 1884, married a Mr. Dodge. Lennette married second December 25, 1915 Edwin J. Foster. She died April 19, 1940 in Worcester.

Sarah died in 1903; Luther died April 6, 1909 in Worcester.

References: (35) pp 5 & 6; (54); (215); (341) p.897; (342).

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Asa Church [7]

Richard [1], George [2], George [3], John [4], Esek [5], Luther [6] page 148

Asa Church(1834-1925)
1854|Ellen Randll(1835-1922)

- Carrie Ella(1856-1936)
  1885|Franklin C. Wade(1859-1949)
- Herbert Church(1858-1912)
  1891|Marian A Leonard(1867-1911)
- Alfred Asa(1860-1912)
  1886|Marian E. Wilber(1861-1936)

Asa Church Sisson was born June 11, 1834 in Easton (or Bridgewater, Plymouth County), MA. He worked in a foundry pattern shop. On October 13, 1854 in North Easton he married Ellen F. Randall, daughter of Henry Miller and Amanda S. (Shaw) Randall. Ellen was born June 2, 1835/8 in Easton. Asa and Ellen had three children:

Carrie Ella was born November 22, 1856 in Bridgewater or Easton. On September 11, 1885 in Easton she married Franklin C. Wade of Easton. "Frank" was born January 23, 1859. Carrie and Frank had two children: Hester Crawford, adopted 1890 and Charles Mylert, July 7, 1892. Carrie died in 1936; Frank died of a carcinoma in 1949. Both are buried in Pine Grove Cemetery.

Herbert Church, born June 9, 1858 in Easton is discussed on page 453.

Alfred Asa, born December 2, 1860 in Easton is discussed on page 454.

Ellen died August 18, 1922; Asa died January 6, 1925, both in Easton. They are buried in Furnace Village cemetery.

Reference: (54); (342); (343).

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Jonathan Thomas [7]

Richard [1], George [2], George [3], John [4], Esek [5], Luther [6] page 148

Jonathan Thomas (1836-1913) — 1866 Alomie Ghen (1845-)
- Arthur Clarence (1868-) — 1889 Mary Bell Cliffe (1857-)
- Daisy D. (1870-1870)
- Gertrude June (1881-) — 1904 Ernest T. Walker (1882-)
- Edith Alomie (1884-)

Jonathan Thomas Sisson was born June 18, 1836 in Easton, MA. He was a foundryman. On November 26, 1866 he married Alomie Frances Ghen, daughter of Ephraim and Mary (Collins) Ghen. Alomie was born June 25, 1845. Jonathan and Alomie had four children:

Arthur Clarence, born January 1, 1868 is discussed on page 454.

Daisy D. was born March 26 and died July 16, 1870 in North Easton.

Gertrude June was born July 18, 1881. On July 18, 1904 she married Ernest T. Walker. Ernest was born December 10, 1882. Gertrude and Ernest had two children: Gertrude Margaret, January 27, 1905; and Ernest Clifford, November 17, 1906.

Edith Alomie was born February 12, 1884.

Jonathan died November 28, 1913 in Easton and is buried in Furnace Village cemetery.

Reference: (54); (342).

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Henry Fones [7]

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Henry Fones (1843-) — 1869 Nellie P. Boynton (-1884) — Cora Post (-)
- Walter Manley (1870-)
- Ethel Boynton (1877-)

Henry Fones Sisson was born October 31, 1843 in Easton, MA. He was a draftsman in Yonkers, NY. He married first on January 19, 1869 Nellie P. Boynton of Townsend, VT. At some time they lived in Boston. Henry and Nellie had two children:

Walter Manley was born August 20, 1870 in Shaftsbury, Rutland County, VT.

Ethel Boynton was born February 18, 1877.

Nellie died on July 2, 1884. Henry married second Cora Post.

Reference: (54); (342).

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Charles Trott [7]

Richard [1], George [2], George, Jr. [3], Gideon [4], Freeborn [5], Freeborn, Jr. [6] page 151

Charles Trott(1833-)
1855 Stela Peront(1836-1896)

- Mary Avery(1856-)
  - 1874 Henry H. Hazzard(-)
- Stella H.(1861-)
- Bessie(1865-1867)
- George Towner(1868-1951)
  - 1893 Eloise Pettigrew(1872-1966)

Charles Trott Sisson was born June 28, 1833 in Elmira, NY. He is listed as a clerk in the LaSalle County, IL, 1850 census. On June 12, 1855 in Amboy, Lee County, IL, he married Stella Avery Peironnet, daughter of Robert D. and Susan (Avery) Peironnet. Stella was born in 1836. Charles was a first lieutenant in the Nora Home guards at the outbreak of the Civil War. Charles is listed with Van Dusen and Sisson in 1869 in Chicago. His sister Jane married a Van Dusen. His residence was 20 S. Ann, he is listed as "traveling sales" with Root and Cady in 1870, with various addresses and businesses between 1884 and 1894. Charles and Stella had four children, all born in Illinois:

Mary Avery "Molly" was born in 1856. On November 26, 1874 in Austin, TX, she married Henry H. Hazzard. Mary and Henry had four children: Bess; Herman; Stella; and Mary.

Stella H. was born circa 1861. She is listed as a music teacher in the Chicago Music College, 1887 to 1898. She was not married at that time.

Bessie was born in April, 1865 and died January 26, 1867 in Warren, IL, age 21 months. She is buried in Warren Cemetery. Ref: (344) August 17, 1932.

George Towner, born May 22, 1868 is discussed on page 455.

In 1871 the family moved to Austin, TX, where Charles was a music dealer. Stella died of cancer July 25, 1896 in Chicago. She is buried in Rose Hill Cemetery there.

Reference: (219); (345) pp.133-6; (346) p.382; (347) 1860 p.440; (348) 1870.

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John, Jr. [7]

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John, Jr.(1790-1859)
|Betsy Buckmn(1796-1870)

- Louisa(1815-)
- Anna R.(1816-1872)
  - |Robert Laymond(1814-1892)
- Lucinda(1817-1894)
  - 1847|Benjamin Sage(-)
- William(1819-1819)
- Erastus H.(1820-)
  - |Laura A. (-)
  - 1868|Abba C. Bean(-)
- Asa(1822-1899)
  - 1852|Pamelia Whitcomb(1833-1920)
- Ezra(1824-1898)
  - 1855|Amelia Christian(1828-1914)
- Zera(1826-)
  - |Martha (-)
- Maryette(1828-1907)
  - |David Felt(-)
- Loretta(1830-)
  - |Thrasher(-)
  - |Levi Sartwell(-)
- Huldah(1832-1907)
  - |Joel Tyrell(1826-1892)
- Julia(1834-1918)
  - 1851|Benejah Tyrell(1830-1894)
  - |Benjamin Sage(-)
- Amzi(1836-1863)
- Mary Elizabeth(1840-)
  - |Samuel Leslie(-)

John Sisson, Jr., was born January 15, 1790 in Hoosic, NY. He was a farmer. He served in the War of 1812 and was awarded claims of $77.50 and $68 for personal property "worn out, lost, or destroyed" in the War. He married Betsey Buckman, possibly the daughter of Silas Buckman. Betsey was born July 5, 1796. The family lived in Crown Point, NY. John and Betsey had fourteen children, all born in Crown Point:

Louisa was born February 6, 1815 and probably died young.

Anna R. (or Annar) was born March 17, 1816. She married Robert Laymond, son of John and Jane ( ) Laymond. Robert was born September 13, 1814 in Ireland. Anna and Robert had ten children, all born in Essex County: Maria, 1838 to August 2, 1861, married Joseph R. Warren; Lucinda, January 10, 1840 to January 4, 1889, married Julius Tyrell; Samantha, August 16, 1841 to July 11, 1880; Olive, December 24, 1845 to December 27, 1883, married Frank R.

Fisk; Jane, August 7, 1848 to October 26, 1861; Daniel, 1850-1916, married Olive Whitty; Ellen, April 5, 1853 to November 30, 1863; Arvilla, September 20, 1854 to November 24, 1863; Eva, 1856-1935; and John, March 4 to September 17, 1858. Anna died August 28, 1872 in Schroon Lake, Essex County, NY. Robert died July 24, 1892 in Paradox, NY. Both parents and seven children are buried in Severence Platts (Baptist) Cemetery in Schroon Lake.

Lucinda was born March 21, 1817. On June 20, 1847 she married Benjamin Sage. Lucinda died in 1894 in Crown Point. Benjamin married second Julia, Lucinda's sister, below.

William was born March 10 and died in April, 1819.

Erastus H. was born September 7, 1820. He married first Laura A. ( ). On March 26, 1868 in Northfield, VT, he married second Abba C. Bean. He was a machinist living in Concord, NY.

Asa, born June 30, 1822 is discussed on page 455.

Ezra, born April 21, 1824 is discussed on page 457.

Zera (or Zerah) was born January 3, 1826. He married Martha ( ).

Maryette was born January 10, 1828. She married David Felt. Maryette died May 3, 1907.

Loretta was born April 15, 1830. She married first Mr. Thrasher and second after 1860, Levi Sartwell. She is listed as Loretta Thrasher, age 30, in the Schroon, Essex County, NY, 1860 census, in the household of Betsy Sisson.

Huldah was born April 2, 1832. She married Joel Tyrell, the son of Rila and Harriet (Jones) Tyrell. Joel was born February 16, 1826 (or '34). He was a brother to Benejah Tyrell, her sister Julia's husband. They "lived in a red house across from Stockton's". Hulda and Joel had three children: Irving Washington, November 19, 1855 to March 8, 1929, married Ella Louise Stowell; Minnie B., 1865 to 1906, married Scott Smith and moved to Dakota; and Franklin E., July or August, 1854 to September 16, 1863. Joel died February 11, 1892. Huldah died June 24, 1907 in Crown Point. Joel, Hulda and son Franklin are buried in Severence Platts Cemetery. Refs: (349) 1855 & 1860.

Julia was born May 15, 1834. Circa 1851 she married Benejah Tyrell, brother of Joel Tyrell, above. He was noted as "30 years old" in the 1860 census. Julia and Benejah had 14 children, including: Valorus Wolcott, 1852-1852; Myron, 1854; Zera, 1856; Ralph, 1858; and Ellory, (the five children buried in the Baptist Cemetery in Schroon). Benejah died December 11, 1894. Julia married second Benjamin Sage, her sister Lucinda's widower. Julia and Benejah Tyrell owned a hotel in Whallonsburg, Essex County, NY, for many years and were residing there when they died. Both are buried in Burt Cemetery located between Whallonsburg and Boquet. Julia died April 24, 1918. Ref: (349) 1860 p.84.

Amzi was born September 1, 1836. He was not married. He was a farmer and a private in the 83rd Reg. NY Volunteers. He died November 14, 1863 intestate; Julia Tyrell was appointed administratrix, February 7, 1865. Ref: (350) Book C, p.29.

Mary Elizabeth was born April 4, 1840. She married Samuel Leslie before June, 1865.

John died November 27, 1859; Betsey died July 7, 1870, both in Schroon Lake. They are buried in Platt's Cemetery (near the town of Severan), Schroon Lake.

References: Will of John Sisson; Bible of John Sisson, Jr; (222) 1810, 1820, 1830; (228) pp.14-16; (276); (351); (352); (353).

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Reuben J. [7]

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Reuben J.(1797-)
1820|Rebecca Pratt(-)

George W.(1837-)
|(-)

Reuben J. Sisson was born in 1797 in Cornwall, VT. In 1820 he married Rebecca Pratt, daughter of Asa Pratt of Massachusetts. Reuben and Rebecca had a son:

George W. was born March 13, 1837 in Bradford County, PA. He married and has descendants in New York and Pennsylvania, but we have no data.

On October 19, 1838 Reuben bought 80 acres in Washington Township, NY, for $575. He sold this land to W. M. Sherwood on February 5, 1849 for $750. He also bought land in Edinboro, PA, from his father in 1849.

Reference: (227) Vol. T, p.377.

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Hiram [7]

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Hiram(1803-1865)
1824|Eliza Johnsn(1809-1888)

Wealthy(1829-1855)
Orlando Franklin(1831-1842)
Charles Henry(1833-1863)
1858|Annette Peasley(1839-1913)
Roseltha(1836-)
1861|Francis Champagn(-1875)
George William(1839-1899)
1871|Eunice A. Cowan(1848-1891)
Franklin(1842-1909)
1863|Jane Moore(1845-1870)
|Julia Neddo(1845-1915)
Wilbur(1846-1914)
1889|Fannie Evans(-)
Willard(1846-1912)
1906|Winnie Thompson(-)
Mary Jane(1850-1889)
Loverna(1852-)
1876|Joseph Renfrey(-)

Hiram Sisson was born January 28, 1803 in Cornwall, Addison County, VT. Legal papers for his father's estate were sent to Severance, Essex County, NY. On October 31, 1824 he married Eliza Johnson, daughter of Amos and Desire ( ) Johnson. Eliza was born February 7, 1809 in Charlestown, Sullivan County, NH. Hiram and Eliza had ten children, all born in Crown Point, NY:

Wealthy (or Wealtha) was born May 3, 1829 and died August 18, 1855.

Orlando Franklin was born January 20, 1831 and died March 7, 1842 in Crown Point.

Charles Henry was born August 28, 1833. At times he is referred to as Henry. He was a blacksmith. On December 13, 1858 he married Annette Peasley. Annette was born in 1839 (or 1838). We know of no children. Charles died December 22, 1863. Annette died in 1913. Both are buried in Ironville Cemetery, Crown Point.

Roseltha was born March 21, 1836. On December 18, 1861 she married Francis Champagne. Roseltha and Francis had a daughter: Cora Eliza, July 29, 1863 to January 13, 1950. Francis died September 24, 1875; Roseltha probably died in Crown Point.

George William, born March 10, 1839 is discussed on page 458.

Franklin, born March 20, 1842 is discussed on page 459.

Wilbur was born July 4, 1846. He was a twin to Willard. On March 23, 1889 he married Fannie Evans. Wilbur died March 1, 1914. He is probably the Wilbur Sisson, 1848-1914, buried in Mt. Hope Cemetery, Ticonderoga, NY.

Willard, born July 4, 1846 is discussed on page 459.

Mary Jane was born May 31, 1850 and died June 13, 1889 in Crown Point.

Loverna was born November 2, 1852. On August 2, 1876 she married Joseph Renfrey.

Hiram died May 22, 1865 in Crown Point. Probate letters were issued October 3, 1865 (Book C, p.59) with son George W. administrator. Eliza died July 17, 1888 in Crown Point. Both are buried in Ironville Cemetery there.

References: Hiram Sisson's Bible, supplied by Thelma Greer, Ticondaroga, NY; (222) 1840, 1850, 1860.

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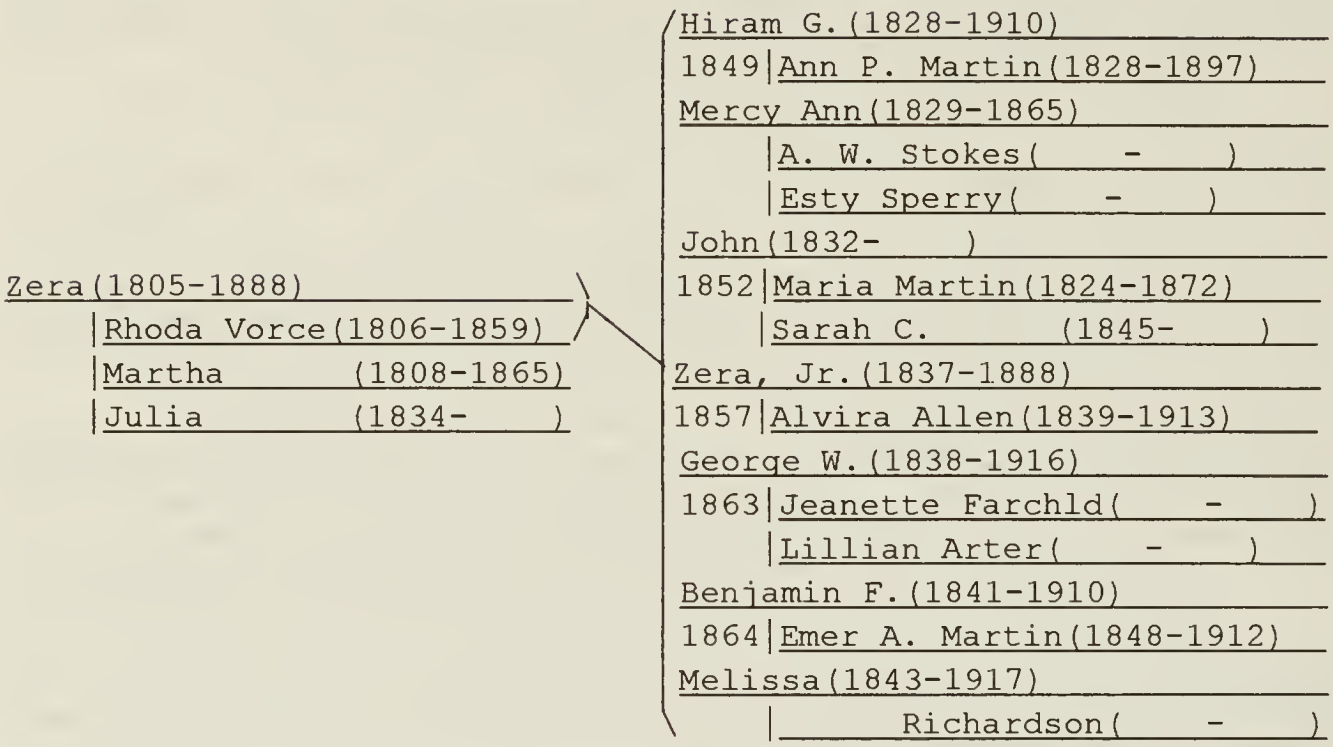
Zera [7]

Richard [1], George [2], Thomas [3], Giles [4], Samuel [5], John [6] page 153



Zera Sisson was born September 10, 1805 in Crown Point, Essex County, NY, across the river from Cornwall, VT. He married first Rhoda Vorce, daughter of Sgt. Thomas and Mercy Ann ( ) Vorce, his step-sister. Zera and Rhoda had seven children:

Hiram G., born in 1828 in Erie, PA, is discussed on page 460.

Mercy Ann was born circa 1829 in Erie. She married first A.W. (or W.A.) Stokes and had Frank P. who was living in Ohio in the late 1800's. Mercy Ann married second Esty Sperry. Mercy and Esty had a daughter, Jennie. Mercy Ann died September 24, 1865.

John, born September 29, 1832 in Erie is discussed on page 460.

Zera, Jr., born in 1837 in Pomfret, Chautauqua County, NY, is discussed on page 461.

George W. was born May 12, 1838 in Pomfret. On August 16, 1863 he married first Jeanette (or Jennet) E. Fairchild. He married second Lillian Arter. This may be the George Sisson who bought part of his grandfather John's property.

Benjamin F., born in 1841 in Pomfret is discussed on page 462.

Melissa (or Mellisa) was born in March, 1843 in Pomfret. She married Mr. Richardson. She was listed as a domestic in the house of her brother Hiram G. in the 1860 Chautauqua County census. She died June 18, 1917.

Zera had multiple land dealings in Erie County, PA, between 1833 and 1863. Rhoda died July 3, 1859. Zera married second Martha ( ). Martha was born in 1808 in New Hampshire. She died November 15, 1865. Zera married third Julia ( ). They are referred to as "Gera" and "Celia, age 46", in the 1880 census. Zera died January

20, 1888. He and Rhoda are buried in Pioneer Cemetery in Fredonia. Zera's will, recorded July 17, 1885 in Chautauqua County, NY, Will Book, #9, p. 140, Probate Book 10, p.139, mentions a 4½ acre lot in Sheridan, NY, a house and other outbuildings. Also mentioned are his wife Julia and as heirs: sons Hiram, Zera, Benjamin and George, daughter Melissa, and grandchildren Frank P. Stokes, Jennie Sperry, children of Mercy Ann; Frank J. Sisson, and Hattie Sisson, age 7, daughter of son John by his second marriage. Mercy Ann and John are not mentioned otherwise.

References: Zera's Bible; Cemetery inscriptions; Fredonia, NY "Censor" (newspaper); (227) Vols. H, L, N, R, T, U, W, 1, 7; (354) 1830, 1850, 1880.

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George Washington [7]

Richard [1], George [2], Thomas [3], Giles [4], Samuel [5], John [6] page 153

George Washington (1813-1858)
1834 | Sally Scofld (1809-1868)

- Jane Ann (1835-1859)
  - | Justus Churchill (1835-)
- Hannah Ann (1844-1868)
  - | Pound (-)
- Adoniram Judson (1847-1871)
  - | Alice Pound (-)
- Andrew F. (1849-1918)
  - 1889 | Nellie Thomas (-1920)
- George Washington, Jr. (1851-1927)
  - 1874 | Theresa D. Wood (1857-1939)

George Washington Sisson was born in 1813 probably in New York. On August 23, 1834 he married Sally Ann Scofield, daughter of Levi and Hannah (Ide) Scofield. Sally was born October 9, 1809 in New York. Erie County, PA, Land Records for 1840 and 1842 show land transactions for George in Vol. M, p.345, and Vol. N, p.451, 481, and 627. They lived in Edinboro, PA, in 1849, and later in Porter, Rock County, WI. He is listed in the 1850 census as "B. clergy". George and Sally had five children:

Jane Ann was born July 30, 1835 in New York. She married Justus (Justis) Churchill of New York. Justus was born circa 1835. Jane and Justus had two children: Thaddeus, circa 1856 and Martha E., circa 1859. Jane Ann died March 16, 1859 in Frewsburg, Chautauqua County, NY. The 1860 census for Frewsburg lists Justus Churchill, a farmer, age 25 and Thaddeus, born in Iowa, age 4, and a housekeeper with two teenage sons.

Hannah Ann was born November 21, 1844. The 1860 census for Porter/Fulton lists Hannah Ann as a hired servant in the household of Samuel and Elmira Pound. She later married a Mr. Pound, and died April 6, 1868.

Adoniram Judson "Judd" was born January 22, 1847 in PA. He was probably named for the missionary, Rev. Adoniram Judson (1751-1826), buried in Burial Hill Cemetery, Plymouth, MA. The 1860 census for Porter/Fulton lists Judson, age 13, born in PA, in the

household of John and Lucy Scofield. This could have been Sally's relative. Judson married Alice Pound. They lived in Rock County, WI. Adoniram visited Colorado and then moved there with his wife in 1864. They had no children. Adoniram died in August, 1871.

Andrew F., born February 19, 1849 in NY is discussed on page 462.

George Washington, Jr., born October 1, 1851 in Janesville, WI, is discussed on page 463.

The 1850 census lists George W., 36, Sally, 40, Jane, 15, Hannah, 6, Judson, 4 and Andrew, 2. The 1860 census lists Sally, 48, and George, 8. George, Sr. died August 17, 1858 and Sally died March 26, 1868 in Wisconsin.

References: Family Bible and pictures; (355) 1850; (356) 1860.

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John [7]

Richard [1], George [2], Thomas [3], Giles [4], Samuel [5], Samuel, Jr. [6] page 154

John(1800-1882)
1824 | Amanda Waite(1802-1883)

- Louisa(1824-1902)
  - 1852 | George D. Alton(1817-1878)
- Henry Alfred(1827-1893)
  - 1849 | Tirzah I Bradley(1830-1923)
- Susan Jane(1829-1922)
  - 1850 | Joseph F. Alton(1828-1880)
- Daniel William(1831-1908)
  - 1855 | Eliza E. Supplee(1836-1869)
- John Wilson(1833-1921)
  - 1857 | Sarah L Montague(1837-1904)
  - | Marie (-)
- George Washington(1835-1917)
  - 1859 | Mary E. Herrin(1841-1909)
- Edward Keys(1837-1907)
  - 1858 | Elizabeth Courier(1832-)

John Sisson was born January 1, 1800 in Otsego County, NY. He was a farmer owning a farm between Dunkirk and Fredonia. At some time he transported immigrants from Dunkirk, NY, to Warren, PA. On January 1, 1824 in Charlotte, Chautauqua County, NY, he married Amanda Wait(e), daughter of Adin and Tabitha (Osborn) Waite. Amanda was born April 2, 1802 in Masonville, Delaware County, NY. In 1825 they moved to Dunkirk. John and Amanda had seven children, the first born in Charlotte and the remaining six in Dunkirk:

Louisa was born December 3, 1824. In March, 1852 she married George Dorance Alton, son of Samson and Fanna (Gates) Alton. George was born September 15, 1817 in Dunkirk. He was a grocer and the first white child born in Dunkirk. Louisa and George had two children: George D. Jr., October, 1853-1913, not married; and Clara Louise, July 2, 1856 to January 29, 1926, married William John

Donihue. George died in 1878; Louisa died October 3, 1902 in Dunkirk and is buried in Forest Hills Cemetery, Fredonia.

Henry Alfred (or Alford), born November 5, 1827 is discussed on page 464.

Susan Jane was born June 17, 1829. She married in Laona, October 20, 1850 Joseph F. Alton, son of Samson and Fanna (Gates) Alton. He was born October 14, 1828 in Dunkirk. He was a carpenter. Susan and Joseph had six children, all born in Dunkirk: Edward Samson, April 29, 1852, married Rose Bridgit Harrigan [grandparents of Virginia Mary (Alton) Wolff]; Marian Martha, April 20, 1854, married Joseph Sippel; Addie F., June 24, 1858 to August 28, 1922, married first Stephen Thorn, second D. Lloyd Davis; Henry Walton, February 17, 1860; Nellie M., April 19, 1864 to October 14, 1925, married Joseph Tunmore; and Maude Emma, May 23, 1866 to 1869. Joseph died June 8, 1880. Susan died September 13, 1922 in Kenmore, Erie County, NY, and is buried in Forest Hills Cemetery.

Daniel William, May 1, 1831 is discussed on page 465.

John Wilson, born January 27, 1833 is discussed on page 466.

George Washington, born April 21, 1835 is discussed on page 466.

Edward Keys, born February 6, 1837 is discussed on page 468.

John and Amanda have also been reported as having two more children: Lillian, born about 1827, married July 17, 1847, Joel H. Green ("Fredonia Censor"); and Charles F. of Gowanda, NY, who married Alice Hubbell, and was killed in the Civil War May 14, 1862. John died on October 29, 1882 in Fredonia. Amanda died on March 28, 1883 in Dunkirk. Both are buried in Forest Hills Cemetery, Fredonia.

References: John Sisson's obituary; Cemetery inscriptions; (229); (354) 1860 & 1870; (357); (358) 1830, 1840 & 1850;

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George [7]

Richard [1], George [2], Thomas [3], Giles [4], Samuel [5], Samuel, Jr. [6] page 154

George(-) ⎫ ⎧ Alfred(-)
Mary Ann (-) ⎭ ⎩ Austin(-)

George Sisson was born about 1804 in Albany County, NY. In 1825 he moved to Dunkirk, NY. He married Mary Ann ( ). Mary Ann was born about 1812. George and Mary Ann had two sons, born in Dunkirk, and others:

Alfred was born about 1830.

Austin was born about 1832.

In 1840 the family moved to Jackson, MI. George was killed in a steam ship explosion on Lake Erie or Lake Superior.

References: Letter by Mary Ann to her niece Louisa (1825); (359) 1830.

Erastus R. [7]

Richard [1], George [2], Thomas [3], Giles [4], Samuel [5], Samuel, Jr. [6] page 154

Erastus (1806-1876/7)
1825 | Lois Page (1804-1881)

- Electa (1829-)
- Esek S. (1831-)
  - Melynda (-)
- Albert W. (1834-)
- Francis L. (1836-1918)
  - 1867 | Emma Hilol (1836-1883)
- Martin Henry (1839-1917)
  - 1860 | Esther E Cook (1840-1907)
  - 1908 | Jennie (F) Bradt (-)
- Amy (1845-)
- Hazzard Perry (1848-1918)
  - 1870 | Mary Ann Smith (-)

Erastus R. Sisson was born circa 1806 in Albany County, NY. On December 18, 1825 in Gerry, Chautauqua County, NY, he married Lois Page. She was born circa 1804 in Massachusetts. According to the Fredonia, NY, "Censor" December 21, 1825 the marriage was performed by P. Warren, Esq. Erastus and Lois went to Dunkirk, NY, and then in 1836 to Jackson County, MI, where they were living in 1842. Erastus and Lois probably had seven children:

Electa was born in 1829 in New York; she died young.

Esek S., born in 1831 in New York is discussed on page 468.

Albert W. was born circa 1834 in New York. He lived in Brookfield, MI.

Francis L. was born circa 1836 in Jackson City, MI. On August 10, 1867 he married Emma Hilol. Emma was born circa 1836 in England. Emma died circa 1883 in Wisconsin; Francis died circa 1918 in Nebraska.

Martin Henry, born 1839 in Liberty, MI, is discussed on page 469.

Amy was born circa 1845 in Eaton, MI.

Hazzard Perry was born June 5, 1848 in Michigan. On May 8, 1870 he married Mary Ann Smith. Hazzard died December 2, 1918.

Erastus was a farmer with a $400 valuation in 1850. He also farmed in Kern County, CA, and Nebraska with other family members. Erastus died in Jackson, MI, April 18, 1876/7. Lois died in Wiota, WI, March 9, 1881.

References: (360) 1840, p.139; (361) 1850, p.994; (362).

Henry [7]

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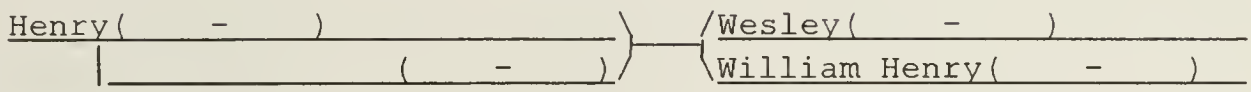

Henry Sisson was born about 1812, in Albany County, NY. He moved to Dunkirk, NY, in 1825 then to Jackson, MI, in 1832. We do not know his wife's name. They had two sons, probably born in Jackson:

Wesley was born about 1850, and was living in Mount Vernon, NY, in 1938.

William Henry was also born about 1850 and living in Mount Vernon in 1938.

We have no additional references.

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William [7]

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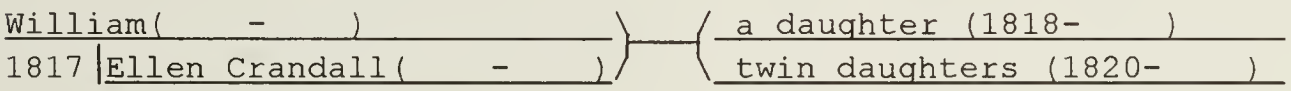

William Sisson was born about 1796 in Unadilla, Otsego County, NY. He was a brickmaker. On July 4, 1817 in Switzerland County, IN, he married Ellen Crandall. They had a daughter circa 1818 and twin daughters circa 1820. William disappeared on his way home. He is believed to have been killed in Cincinnati, OH, for his pay.

We have no additional references.

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Daniel Higby [7]

Richard [1], George [2], Thomas [3], Giles [4], John [5], John, Jr. [6] page 155

Daniel Higby(1800-1878)
1821|Sarah M Eves(1805-1892)

- Hannah Harriet(1822-1909)
  - 1846|George A. Pratt(1810-1863)
- Orrin Higby(1825-1848)
- Henry Eves(1826-1827)
- Sarah Malinda(1828-1848)
  - 1846|Sylvester Gould(-)
- Zenas Lawyer(1830-1904)
  - |Sarah E. Heady(1819-1896)
- Henry Eves(1833-1901)
  - 1851|Margaret Moyer(1832-1908)
- Wilson Crandall(1834-1922)
  - 1854|Phebe A. Cabbage(1836-1923)
- Thomas Heady(1836-1911)
  - 1859|Mary E. Lewman(1841-1883)
- Jane Mary(1839-1908)
  - 1855|Washington Bowmn(1830-1903)
- James Jones(1841-1929)
  - 1865|Kate B Sutherlnd(1847-1874)
  - 1882|Mary Ann Stinson(1850-1926)
- Olive Permelia(1843-1922)
  - 1862|Madison Bottorf(-)
- Martha Angeline(1847-1911)
  - 1865|James E. Widener(-)
- Margaret Eveline(1851-1885)
  - 1868|Washington Hawk(-)

Daniel Higby Sisson was born December 22, 1800 in Unadilla, Otsego County, NY. His family moved from Otsego County to Ohio in 1814 and to Switzerland County in 1817, then to Vevay in 1823. He was a farmer and belonged to the Methodist-Episcopol Church. On May 12, 1821 in Vevay, Switzerland County, IN, he married Sarah Malinda Eves, called Malinda, daughter of Henry and Sarah (Campbell) Coombes Eves. The marriage was recorded in Switzerland County May 30. Various records show Malinda's name as Malindia and Melindia. Malinda was born September 8, 1805 in Switzerland County; her father Henry was born in Ireland. Daniel and Malinda had thirteen children, all born in Switzerland County:

Hannah Harriet was born May 6, 1822. On December 22, 1846 in Vevay, she married George A. Pratt. George was born in 1810. Hannah and George had eight children: Mary, October 16, 1847, married Mr. Widner; Sarah, August 22, 1849, married Mr. Sudweeks; Charlotte, December 2, 1850, married Mr. Hunter; Daniel J., November 21, 1852; Julia C., October 8, 1854, married Mr. Griffith; Orin S., October 4, 1856; James E., June 6, 1858; and Wilson R., April 12,

1861. George died March 27, 1863. The family moved to Eskridge, KS, in 1871 where Hannah died November 17, 1909. She is buried in Eskridge Cemetery and was survived by all eight children. Refs: Hannah's obituary; (231).

Orrin Higby was born January 28, 1825. He died of typhoid fever September 25, 1848 just before being married.

The first Henry Eves was born September 15, 1826 and died August 2, 1827. He is buried in Switzerland County.

Sarah Malinda was born July 5, 1828. On December 30, 1846 in Switzerland County, she married Sylvester Gould. She died without issue September 17, 1848 in Switzerland County [possibly of typhoid fever; see brother Orrin above, since this had been reported as his death date].

Zenas Lawyer, born May 10, 1830 is discussed on page 471.

The second Henry Eves, born April 1, 1833 is discussed on page 472.

Wilson Crandall, born May 30, 1834 is discussed on page 473.

Thomas Heady, born May 20, 1836 is discussed on page 474.

Jane Mary was born February 10, 1839. On January 18, 1855 in Keokuk County, IA, she married Washington Bowman. Washington was born July 6, 1830 in Randolph County, WV. Jane and Washington had nine children: Malinda Clara, August 28, 1859, married Mr. Cowger and moved to Montana; Melissa, August 10, 1864; William; James Wilson; Laura; Charles; Ethel; Flara Alice; and Eugene. Washington died December 26, 1903 in Wayne County, IA. Jane Mary died March 8, 1908 and is buried in the Powersville, MO, cemetery. Refs: Jane's obituary; (363).

James Jones, born February 13, 1841 in Vevay is discussed on page 474.

Olive Permelia was born May 29, 1843. She married in Keokuk County, December 18, 1862 Madison Bottorf. They had four children and moved to Nebraska. She died November 28, 1922 in Springfield, Sarpy County, NE. Ref: (364).

Martha Angeline "Marthy" was born January 12, 1847. On May 20, 1865 in Keokuk County, she married James E. Widener. They lived in Eskridge, KS. Martha and James had nine children: Ola; Sarah; Olive; Henry, July 18, 1872; Jess, 1874; Ida; Mae; Ben; and Fred. Martha died May 29, 1911 and is buried in Victor, Teller County, CO. James is buried in Topeka, KS. Refs: Martha's death certificate; (364).

Margaret Eveline "Eve" was born January 28, 1851. Her family moved to Keokuk, IA, in 1851. On March 5, 1868 in Keokuk, she married Washington Hawk, son of Ezra Hawk. They had one son: Sherman, who died at age 11 years. Martha died February 12, 1885 perhaps of pneumonia, in Blue Rapids, Marshall County, KS. She is buried in Harveyville Cemetery, Harveyville, KS, next to her only son. Washington died after Margaret. References: Margaret's birth and death records and obituary; (364) [recorded as "Hawks"].

Daniel and Malinda moved in 1851 to Keokuk County, IA, then in 1876 to Eskridge, KS, with their son James Jones. Daniel died September 30, 1878 about 1 o'clock in the afternoon in Wilmington, Wabaunsee County, KS. Malinda died November 24, 1892. Both are buried in the Harveyville Cemetery.

References: Malinda Eve Sisson's Bible; Obituaries; (231); (365); (366).

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Zenas L. [7]

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Zenas L.(1803-1881)
1826|Eliz. Basset(1807-1895)

- Eleanor(-)
  - D. Drake(-)
- Daniel Wright(1827-1917)
  - 1851|Margaret Gibson(1828-1921)
- Zenas Basset(1829-1906)
  - 1851|Catherine Shaddy(1834-)
- William Mapes(1831-1876)
  - Emmeline Andersn(1837-1900)
- John Francis(-)
  - Nancy Gibson(-1862)
  - Sarah M. Riley(-)
- Charles Curtis(-)
  - Alice Woods(-)
- James Gardiner(-)
  - 1860|Melissa J. Kemp(1845-1883)
- Benjamin Franklin(1840-1914)
  - Cynthia Anderson(1842-1912)
- Elizabeth(-)
- Mary Emeline(-)
  - Jacob Weaver(-)
- Cyrus W.(1848-1908)
  - 1872|Charl. Disborogh(1847-1904)
- Amanda Jane(1848-)
  - Joseph Hollis(-)

Zenas L. Sisson was born January 29, 1803 in Unadilla, Otsego County, NY. He was a merchant. In 1816 his family moved to Long Bottom, Meigs County, OH, and then in 1826 to Indiana. In 1826 in a double ceremony he married Elizabeth (Mapes) Bassett, widow of Ebenezer Bassett and daughter of James Mapes; she was 18 at the time. Elizabeth was born March 18, 1807 in Ohio. Elizabeth brought to the marriage a daughter:

Eleanor was born about 1825 and was adopted by Zenas. She married D. Drake.

Zenas and Elizabeth had eleven children, probably all born in Indiana:

Daniel Wright, born September 16, 1827 is discussed on page 476.

Zenas Bassett, born October 9, 1829 is discussed on page 477.

William Mapes, born November 8, 1831 is discussed on page 477.

John Francis, born about 1834 is discussed on page 478.

Charles Curtis, born about 1836 is discussed on page 479.
James Gardiner, born about 1837 is discussed on page 479.
Benjamin Franklin, born in 1840 is discussed on page 480.
Elizabeth was born about 1842 and died young.
Mary Emeline was born about 1845. She married Jacob Weaver and had one daughter.
Cyrus W. (or Cyrus Nutt, or Cyrus Wright), born in 1848 is discussed on page 480.
Amanda Jane was also born in 1848, a twin to Cyrus. She married Joseph Hollis and had two sons and three daughters. [There was a Charles B. Scisson, age 10, born in Ohio, enumerated with George H. Hollis in the Swan Creek Twp, Fulton County, Ohio, 1880 census, Vol. 23, p.11.]
A child named Harry D. has also been reported.

[NOTE: It is possible, in view of the lack of dates, that this is an instance where sons were listed before daughters, so some estimated birthdates above may not be accurate.]

In the 1860 census for Switzerland County, Indiana, Zenus is listed with $3200 in real estate and $2895 in personal property value. In 1861 the family moved to Mason, IL. Zenas died October 31, 1881 and Elizabeth died in 1895, both in Mason. They are buried in the old cemetery there.

References: (35); (248) 1860 p.233; (256) Vol. LXXXVI [1911] and CV & CVI [1913]; (367).

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John, III [7]

Richard [1], George [2], Thomas [3], Giles [4], John [5], John, Jr. [6] page 155

John, III(1812-)
1834|Delia Young(1806-)

- Mary(1835-)
- Sarah(1837-)
  1853|Edward Adkins(-)
- Jane(1839-)
- Samuel T.(1840-1927)
  1868|Mary Jane Widner(1849-1926)
- Eveline(1843-)
  1865|William C Walker(-)

John Sisson, III, was born circa 1812 in Ohio. He was a cabinetmaker and artist. On February 20, 1834 in Vevay, IN, he married Delia Young with "Camma R. Young consenting". Delia was born circa 1806. John and Delia had five children, all born in Indiana:
Mary was born circa 1835.
Sarah was born circa 1837. This is probably the Sarah Ann Sisson who married November 20, 1853 Edward Adkins. Ref: (231).
Jane was born circa 1839 and lived in Indiana.
Samuel T., born April 13, 1840 is discussed on page 481.

Eveline (or Emeline) was born circa 1843. She was married in Madison, IN, April 26, 1865 to William C. Walker. She was living with her father John in the 1860 census.

The family lived in Vevay, near Madison, IN. John and Delia were divorced. She remarried and went to Kentucky. The 1860 census lists John with $0 real estate and $100 personal property value.

References: Diary of grandson Oscar U. Sisson; (35); (59); (232) 1860, p.112; (368); (369) 1850; (370).

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Henry [7]

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Henry(1796-1827)
1818|Sarah Putnam(1800-1886)

- Edwin(1818-)
- Lucinda(1820-1894)
  1841|Noah Dean, Jr.(1816-1896)
- Horace Birdsell(1821-1893)
  1854|Margaret Rider(1832-1907)
- Mary Eliza(1823-)
  1850|James Stewart(1806-1892)

Henry (or Harry) Sisson was born April 7, 1796 in Unadilla, NY. On February 13, 1818 in Galliopolis, OH, he married Sarah "Sally" Putnam of that city, daughter of Gen. Washington and Lucinda (Oliver) Putnam; they were married by Rev. William R. Gould. Sarah was born in Marietta, OH, January 27, 1800. Henry and Sarah had four children:

Edwin was born November 27, 1818 and died young.

Lucinda was born March 20, 1820 in Galliopolis. On July 6, 1841 in Louisville, KY, she married Noah Dean, Jr., son of Noah and Roxellanna (Haskell) Dean. Noah was born July 5, 1816 in Matapoisett, MA. Lucinda and Noah had seven children: Henry Haskell, February 25, 1845, married Kate Hammond; Mary Eliza, October 28, 1846, married John M. Newell; Laura, February 21, 1851, married William A. Tappan; Emma, October 3, 1852, married Henry M. Capp; Ellen Allen, February 8, 1855, married Robert Lockwood; Louise, September 16, 1860, married Charles F. White; and William Warren, July 18, 1863, married Lillia Thompson. Lucinda died September 3, 1894 and Noah died August 7, 1896; both died in St. Louis, MO.

Horace Birdsell, born August 27, 1821 in Chase Mills, OH, is discussed on page 482.

Mary Eliza was born January 15, 1823 in Galliopolis. On July 9, 1850 in Louisville, she married James Stewart. James was born July 31, 1806 in Kentucky and died in 1892. Mary and James had eight children: James Putnam, March 29, 1851, married Margaret Coleman; William, February 16 to July 16, 1853; Lucy Belle, February 12, 1856, married H. B. Kurtz, M.D.; Marion, January 2, 1858 to March 20, 1869; George, August 22, 1860; Henry Sisson, March 13, 1863, married Hara Schumate; Horace Greeley, June 9, 1864; and Benjamin Edward, December 6, 1866 to November 30, 1871.

Henry was killed by a falling tree, January 10, 1827 in Galliopolis. He is buried on the Putnam farm. The widow Sally married second June 25, 1833 William Clarke of Springfield Twp. They were married by Charles Scott, J. P. Sarah died October 20, 1886 in Webster, KY.

References: Marriage certificate of Henry and Sarah; (35); (234) Vol. 1, pp.74, 231.

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Nahum [7]

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Nahum(-)
Eleanor (-)
Frances (-)
Mary(-)
Ellen(-)
George(-)

Nahum Sisson was born about 1801. He was a steamboat man and went from Ohio to New Orleans, LA. He married first Eleanor ( ) and second Frances ( ). The family had three children:

Mary, Ellen, and George.

Nahum died in the South before the Civil War.

We have no additional references.

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Martin Solomon [7]

Richard [1], George [2], Thomas [3], Giles [4], John [5], Giles [6] page 157

Martin Solomon(1806-1852)
1826 Maryann Sisson(1809-1844)
Sarah Angeline(1827-1892)
1842 John P Hanley(-)
Henry Crandall(1830-1867)
Amanda L.(1833-)
Naham W.(1836-)
Mary E.(1841-1841)

Martin Solomon Sisson was born July 14, 1806. He was a riverman and lived in Gallia County, OH. On December 31, 1826 he married Maryann Miranda Sisson, daughter of Benjamin and Seriah (Pendleton) Sisson, see page 164. Ref (234) Vol. 1, p.153, states "Solomon M. married Maryann M. Sisson of Springfield Twp ... by a J.P." signed by Elijah Moore, J.P. Maryann was born April 27, 1809 in New York. The family lived near the junction of Kentucky, Indiana and Ohio. Martin and Maryann had five children:

Sarah Angeline was born November 26, 1827. On May 26, 1842 in Vicksburg, MS, she married John P. Hanley. Sarah died February 22, 1892 in Vicksburg.

Henry Crandall was born April 5, 1830. He was a farmer and at some time lived in Warsaw, KY. He died in 1867.

Amanda L. was born July 14, 1833.

Naham (or Nauham) W. was born October 21, 1836.
Mary E. was born October 21, 1841 and died the next day.

Maryann died September 5, 1844. Martin died July 28, 1852 in Vicksburg.

We have no additional references.

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George Washington [7]

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George Washington(1808-1866)
1838 Mary A. Howe(1814-1899)

- Lucy Ann(1839-1914)
- Julia(1840-1841)
- Elbert Nathan(1841-1923)
  - 1896 Maggie J. Dix(-1896)
- Julia Ward(1842-1907)
  - David Funston(-)
- Melville Cox(1844-1886)
- George(1846-1910)
- Mary Ann(1848-1935)
- Henry Elmer(1850-1886)
  - 1876 Mary Stephens(-)
- Ellen Tennessee(1852-1941)
  - 1874 Theo. W Rowan(-1874)
- Frances Adelaide(1853-1915)
  - 1876 Joseph S. Dey(-)
- John Emory(1857-1941)

George Washington Sisson was born May 26, 1808 in Unadilla, Otsego County, NY. On March 30, 1837 he sold 30¾ acres in Hartwick, NY, to Andrew Shute, Jr. On April 7, 1838 he bought five acres in Westford for $700 from Calvin and Fanny Graves. On September 9, 1839 he sold five acres with water for $1,000 to Peter Platner. On May 13, 1844 he sold 5¾ acres in Westford for $520 to A. P. Chamberlain. On April 12, 1838 in Westford he married Mary Ann Howe, daughter of Artemus and Fanny (Parker) Howe. Mary Ann was born March 27, 1814 in Westford. George and Mary had eleven children:

Lucy Ann was born August 24, 1839 in Westford. She was not married. She died in Los Angeles, CA, circa 1914 and is buried in Rosedale Cemetery.

The first Julia was born December 12, 1840 and died February 1, 1841 in Westford.

Elbert Nathan was born November 2, 1841 in Milford, NY. He married Maggie Jane Dix in Green Valley, IL, in February, 1869. She may have died that same month. Elbert was a Civil War veteran and died May 7, 1923 in San Diego, CA.

Julia Ward was born December 27, 1842 in Milford. She was married in Brighton, IA, to David Funston. She died circa 1907.

Melville Cox was born July 8, 1844 in Westford and died November 2, 1886 in Los Angeles.

George was born October 16, 1846 in Montville, Medina County, OH. This could be the George "Baldy" Sisson who owned the Sisson Hotel in Saratoga, WY, around the turn of the century and "drowned one day in the river". George was not married and died circa 1910 "in the mountains" in Wyoming.

Mary Ann was born July 11, 1848 in Jackson, OH. She died in Los Angeles circa 1935.

Henry Elmer, born February 16, 1850 in Jackson is discussed on page 483.

Ellen Tennessee "Ella" was born July 16, 1852 in Fulton County, OH. She married December 17, 1874 in Washington County, IA, Theodore W. Rowan. Theodore died in 1874; Ellen died in 1941/2 in Los Angeles.

Frances Adelaide "Fanny" was born December 29, 1853 in Fulton County, OH. On March 19, 1876 in Brighton, Washington County, IA, she married Joseph Sanford Dey. [These are the grandparents of Dorothy Dey, Wellington, KS.] Fanny died January 15, 1915 in Wellington.

John Emory was born April 22, 1857 in Blackhawk Township, Jefferson County, IA, near the Washington County line. He was not married and died in Los Angeles.

The family moved from Medina, OH, to Wayne County, OH, to Washington/Jefferson County, IA, and in 1885 to Los Angeles. George Washington died December 19, 1866 in Brighton and Mary Ann died September 12, 1899 in Los Angeles. Most of the family is buried in the Rosedale Cemetery in Los Angeles.

References: (35); (371).

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William Giles [7]

Richard [1], George [2], Thomas [3], Giles [4], John [5], Giles [6] page 157

William Giles(1811-1844) = 1831 Phebe Brdbry(1811-1893)

- Caleb B.(1832-1836)
- Nahum S.(1834-1836)
- Mary E.(1836-1856)
- 1854 James C. Tate(-)
- Joseph W.(1839-1862)
- George T.(1841-1854)
- Sarah M.(1843-)
  - William A Robson(-)
- Warren(-)

William Giles Sisson was born May 26, 1811 in Reading, NY. He was a schoolteacher, an assessor, and sheriff. On December 30, 1831 in Kyger, OH, he married Phebe Bradbury, daughter of Joseph and Elizabeth ( ) Bradbury. Phebe was born in 1811, probably in Ohio. William and Phebe had seven children, all born in Ohio:

Caleb B. was born September 26, 1832 and died March 3, 1836.

Nahum S. was born August 4, 1834 and died March 13, 1836. [These two children may have died in the cholera epidemic along the Ohio River Valley in 1836-8.]

Mary E. was born December 13, 1836. On June 1, 1854 in Gallia County she married James C. Tate, son of David and Letetia ( ) Tate; they were married by Rev. W. Morris. Mary died March 5, 1856. Ref: (234) Vol. 2, p.268.

Joseph W. was born February 26, 1839. He was a soldier and died November 16, 1862. [Possibly he died in the Civil War.]

George T. was born June 3, 1841 and died September 17, 1854.

Sarah M. was born December 3, 1843. She married William A. Robson of Cleveland, OH, son of Barnet and Martha ( ) Robson. This is possibly the Sarah M. Sisson listed in the Cheshier Twp, Gallia County, OH, 1900 census as "head of household, single, born August, 1844 in Ohio, father born New York, mother born Ohio; a merchant who owned her own home".

Warren was born about 1844 and probably died before 1850.

William died February 17, 1844 in Galliopolis, OH. According to the 1850 Census, Phebe was living in Gallia County, OH, without Warren. At this time she had 150 acres in Cheshire Township. Phebe died November 5, 1893.

We have no additional references.

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John [7]

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John (1826-1911)
1846 | Mary McCarty (1829-1884)

- Susan M. (1847-)
  - 1866 | Alexander Shuler (-)
- Viola R. (1848-)
  - 1877 | Charles Scott (-)
- Alice A. (1850-)
  - 1874 | Jeremiah Thompsn (-)
- Mary E. (1852-)
  - 1880 | Robert Thompson (-)
- John F. (1854-1856)
- James Oscar (1856-1942)
  - 1879 | Elizabeth Mulfrd (1861-1896)
  - 1907 | Mahalia Mulford (-1949)
- Alexander Samuel (1859-1910)
  - 1880 | Alberta Swisher (1864-1956)
- Louisa R. (1861-)

John Sisson was born August 12, 1826 in Cheshire, OH. He was a farmer, Democrat, and Methodist-Episcopalian. On August 27, 1846 in Cheshire he married Mary McCarty; they were married by William S. Jenkins, J.P. Mary was born September 4, 1829. They lived in Unadilla, NY, then went to Ohio locating on a farm 13 miles from

Galliapolis. John and Mary had eight children; a son Frank is also reported:

Susan M. was born March 25, 1847. She married Alexander Shuler in 1866. They had six children: Alice, married a Mr. Runwald and had three children; Florence, married a Mr. Belcher; Lottie; Margaret; Ross; and David.

Viola R. was born December 10, 1848. She married Charles Scott in 1877. They lived in Ford, Ford County, KS. Viola and Charles had eight children: Bell; Eva; Mary, who married a Mr. Swaza; Abbie, who married Mr. Hammer; Baker; John; Guy; and Carl.

Alice A. was born June 30, 1850. In 1874 she married Jeremiah Thompson. They had four children: Myrtle; Virgil; John, who died in the "American War" without issue; and George.

Mary E. was born November 9, 1852. She married Robert Thompson in 1880. Mary and Robert had three children: Sadie, married Mr. Arnold; James; and Mary.

John F. was born December 29, 1854 and died January 11, 1856.

James Oscar, born November 8, 1856 in Gallia County, OH, is discussed on page 484.

Alexander Samuel, born April 17, 1859 in Cheshire, Gallia County, OH, is discussed on page 485.

Louisa R. "Lola" was born August 13, 1861. In 1880 she was reported as crippled. She is listed as single, living with her father, a widower in the 1900 Cheshier Twp. census.

Mother Mary died in early December, 1884; John died January 8, 1911 in Cheshire.

References: (234) Vol. 2, p.42; (237); (372); (373) 1860, 1870, 1880, and 1900.

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Alexander [7]

Richard [1], George [2], Thomas [3], Giles [4], John [5], Giles [6] page 157

Alexander(1828-1855) — 1850 Almira J.Z. Smith(-)

- Florence(-)
- Mac(-)
- Frank(-)
- Vallie(-)

Alexander Sisson was born January 5, 1828 in Glenns Falls, NY. On September 21, 1850 in Gallia County, OH, he married Almira J. Zelda Smith; they were married by William S. Jenkins, J.P. They lived in Bryant, NY. Alex and Almira had four children:

Florence was born about 1851.

Mack was born about 1853 and died young.

Frank was born about 1854 and died young.

Vallie was born 1855/6 and also died young.

Alex died of lockjaw in October, 1855.

Reference: (234) Vol. 2, p.155.

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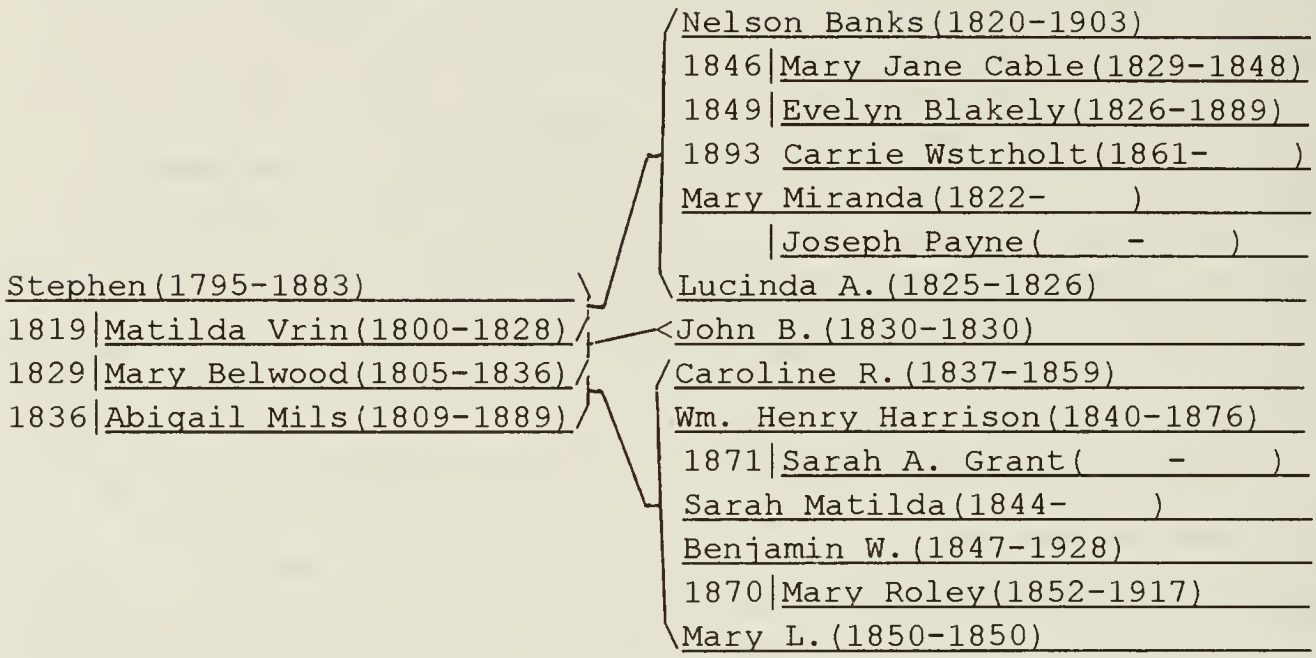
Stephen [7]

Richard [1], George [2], Thomas [3], Giles [4], John [5], Wilson Crandall [6] page 177



Stephen Sisson was born January 30, 1795 in Otsego County, NY. He was the first Sisson to Gallia County, OH, in 1816. He rode a horse from Otsego County to Galliopolis to join friends, the Holcombs, who settled there in 1804. Stephen returned in 1817 and brought his uncles David, Giles and Simeon back to Ohio, along with his mother and family. He sold "1/13th of John Sisson farm" to Ira Sabin and sold 200 acres in Unadilla for $400 to John Gardner. Stephen was a Methodist-Episcopalian, an abolitionist, Republican, and carpenter with 500 acres. He married first on September 12, 1819 in Gallia County, Matilda Varian; they were married by Rev. William R. Gould. Matilda was born August 28, 1800 in Ohio. Stephen and Matilda had three children:

Nelson Banks, born July 17, 1820 is discussed on page 487.

Mary Miranda was born August 14, 1822. She married Joseph Payne, a dentist, and lived in Gallia County, then Dewight, IL. Mary and Joseph had five children: Rachel; Ellen R.; Joseph Warren; Martha; and Jennie.

Lucinda A. was born November 28, 1825 and died September 4, 1826.

Matilda died June 2, 1828 in Porter, Gallia County, OH. Stephen married second March 23, 1829 Mary Belwood. Mary was born May 15, 1805. Stephen and Mary had one son:

John B. was born June 4 and died August 23, 1830.

Mary died July 8, 1836. Stephen married third November 10, 1836 in Gallia County, Abigail Mills, daughter of Nancy ( ) Mills; they were married by Rev. Jacob Delay. Abigail was born March 25, 1809. Stephen and Abigail had five children:

Caroline R. was born September 7, 1837 in Ohio. She died April 29, 1859, unmarried.

William Henry Harrison, born September 25, 1840 in Ohio is discussed on page 488.

Sarah Matilda was born in Ohio August 18, 1844. She lived in Pine Grove, OH, and was not married.

Benjamin W., born in Ohio July 20, 1847 is discussed on page 488.

Mary L. was born circa 1850 and died at age nine months in Ohio.

All three of the surviving sons served in the Civil War. Stephen died May 30, 1883 in Porter; Abigail died May 20, 1889.

References: (35); (234) Vol. 1, pp.87 and 272; (235); (483).

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Wilson Crandall, Jr. [7]

Richard [1], George [2], Thomas [3], Giles [4], John [5], Wilson Crandall [6] page 177

Wilson Crandall Jr(1804-1860)
1831 | Maria Hayward(-)

- Martha(-)
  - George Smith(-)
- Francis W.(1839-)
  - Butler(-)
- Ellen R.(-)
- Mary(-)
  - Rhodes(-)
- Mariah(-)
  - Ben Butler(-)
- Stephen C.(1857-)
- Olive(-)
  - Rhodes(-)

Wilson Crandall Sisson, Jr. was born March 2, 1804. He lived in Ohio. On September 6, 1831 he married Maria(h) Hayward of Galliopolis, Gallia County, OH; they were married by Rev. Nathaniel W. Fisher. Wilson and Maria had seven children:

Martha was born about 1837. She married George Smith of Point Pleasant, WV.

Francis W. was born in 1839. He lived in Brazil, IN. Francis studied law at Point Pleasant and was a first lieutenant and adjutant with the 13th West Virginia Infantry. He married a Ms. Butler.

Ellen R. was born about 1842.

Mary C. was born about 1845. She married a Mr. Rhodes.

Mariah was born about 1850 and married Ben Butler.

Stephen C. was born in 1857.

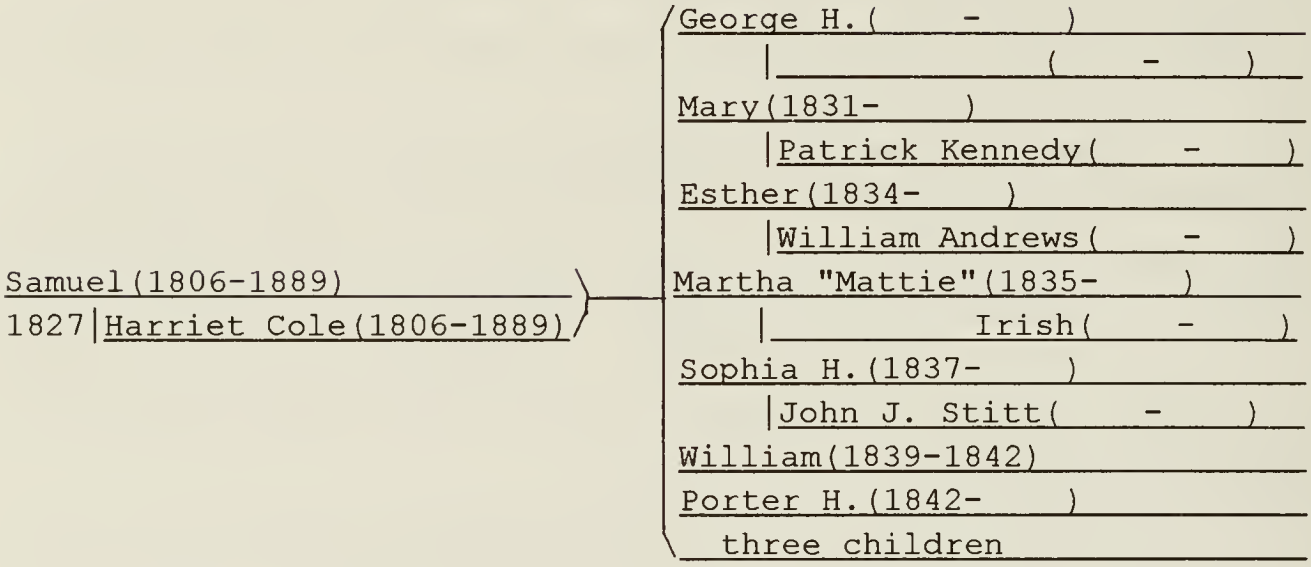
Olive was born about 1859 and married a Mr. Rhodes.

Wilson Crandall, Jr. died about 1860.

References: (35); (234) Vol. 1, p.203.

Samuel [7]

Richard [1], George [2], Thomas [3], Giles [4], John [5], Aaron [6] page 160



Samuel Sisson was born August 16, 1806 in New York. He was a twin to Ann, a merchant, postmaster and farmer. On October 18, 1827 he married Harriet Cole, also reported as Harriet Egnor. Harriet was born April 29, 1806. The family moved to Pennsylvania with his brothers Putnam, Theodore and Alvin. Samuel bought land January 6, 1848 from Naomi Cranston for $300. Samuel and Harriet had ten children, including:

George H., born about 1829 is discussed on page 489.

Mary was born circa 1831 in Connecticut. She married Patrick Kennedy and had three children: George; Hattie; and Emma. Both parents but not the children are mentioned in her father's will of 1889.

Esther was born circa 1834. She married William Andrews and had two children: Will; and Lizzie.

Martha "Mattie" was born circa 1835 in Connecticut. She married a Mr. Irish and had at least one child: Fred C., who is mentioned in her father Samuel's will but Martha is not.

Sophia H. was born circa 1837 in Pennsylvania. She married John J. Stitt. Both are mentioned in Samuel's will.

William was born in November, 1839 and died on June 22, 1842. He is buried in Wiswell Cemetery, McKean Township, Erie County, PA.

Porter H. was born circa 1842 in Pennsylvania. He is mentioned in his father's will.

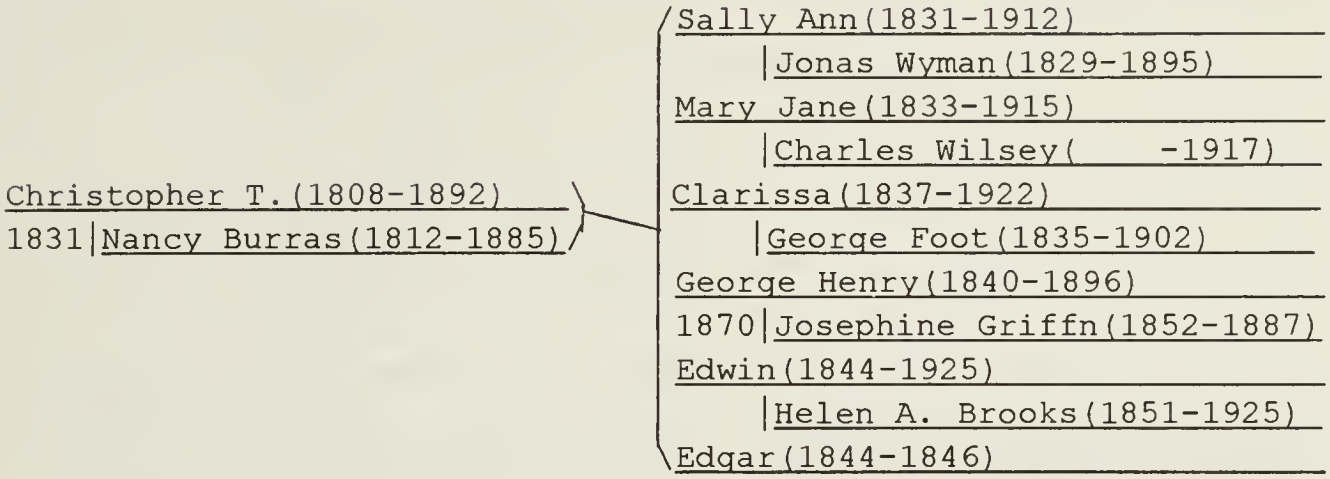
Three more children were born to this family.

Harriet died July 15, 1889 in Albion, PA, and is buried in Lockport Cemetery, Girard Township, Erie County. Samuel died October 1, 1889 in Lockport.

References: Samuel's will; (35); (227) Vol. Z, p.563; (374).

Christopher T. [7]

Richard [1], George [2], Thomas [3], Giles [4], John [5], Aaron [6] page 160



Christopher T. Sisson was born July 5, 1808 in Unadilla, Otsego County, NY. He was a farmer and on January 7, 1831 he married Nancy (Mary?) Burras (Burris). Nancy was born February 18, 1811 in Unadilla. Christopher and Nancy had six children, all born in Otsego County:

Sally Ann was born November 5, 1831. She married Jonas Wyman. Jonas was born in 1829. Sally and Jonas had two sons: Leroy, April 3, 1856 to 1933, married Addie Breed; and LeGrand, 1859 to 1933, married Oliva Patent. Jonas died in 1895; Sally died May 26, 1912.

Mary Jane was born July 17, 1833. She married Charles Wilsey. Both are listed in the 1855 census for Unadilla. Mary died November 29, 1915; Charles died March 25, 1917.

Clarissa was born January 29, 1837. She married George Foot who was born in 1835. Clarissa was not listed with her father in the 1850 census, but this couple is listed in the 1855 census. George died July 22, 1902; Clarissa died August 25, 1922.

George Henry, born January 27, 1840 is discussed on page 489.

Edwin (or Edward), born August 27, 1844 is discussed on page 490.

Edgar, a twin to Edwin, died January 18, 1846. He is buried in an unmarked grave in Sand Hill Cemetery in Unadilla.

Nancy died March 13, 1885. A commentary in Ref. (379) p. 371 states that Nancy is probably the last burial in Sisson Hill Cemetery. Christopher died October 9, 1892.

References: (236) 1850 and 1855.

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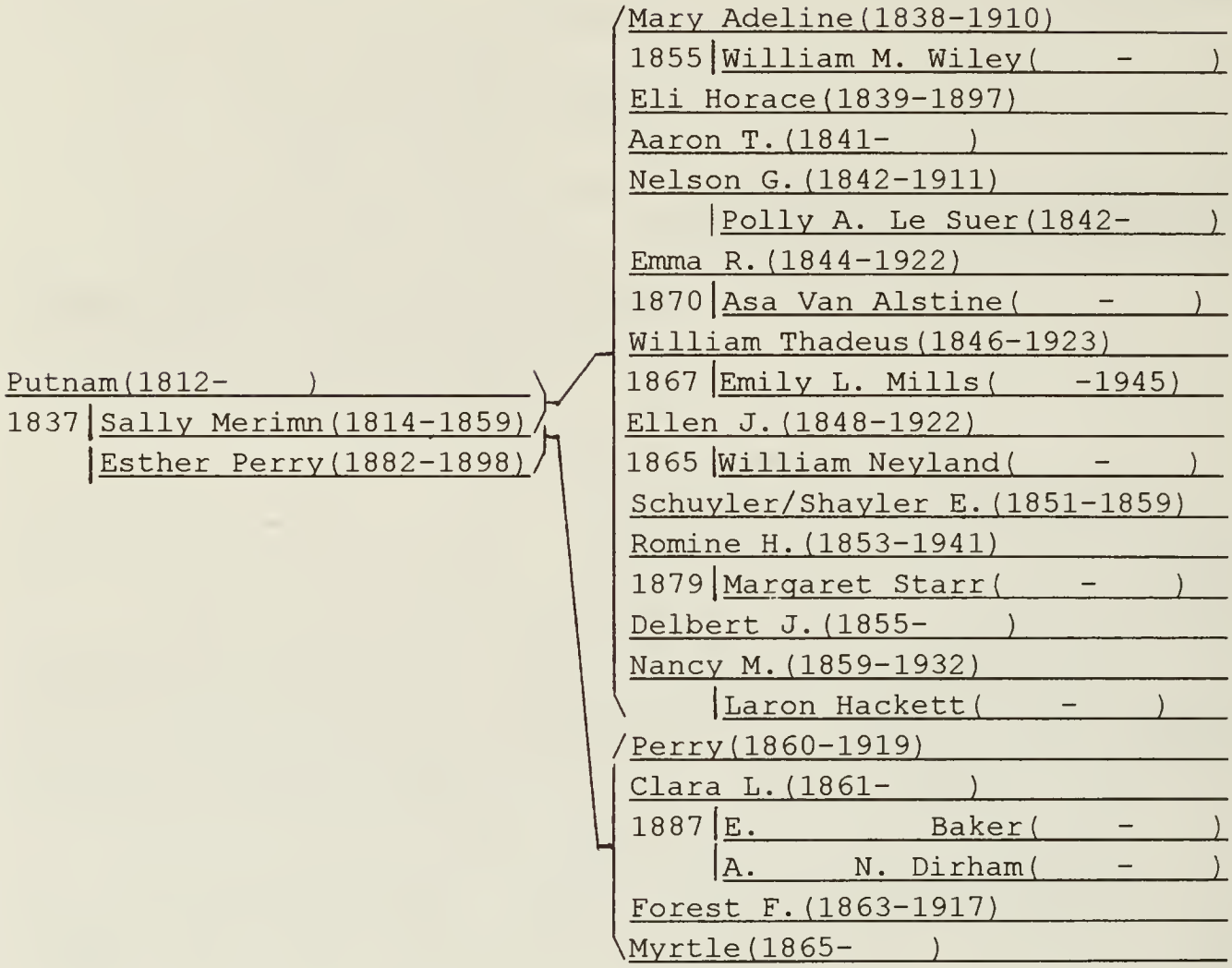

Putnam (or Putman) Sisson was born August 23, 1812 in Unadilla, Otsego County, NY. He was a farmer and went to Pennsylvania with his brothers Samuel, Theodore and Alvin. On October 5, 1837 in Otsego County Putnam married first Sally Merriman, daughter of Samuel Merriman. Sally was born circa 1814. She is reported as "died young, without issue" in Ref. (104). The family is listed in the Washington Township, Erie County, PA, censuses for 1850 and 1860. In 1850 he was listed as worth $800; in 1860 he is listed as worth $2,000. Putnam and Sally bought 22 acres and "65 perches" in 1853 from James and Sally Campbell and John and Ellen Campbell. Putnam and Sally had eleven children, all but the first born in Pennsylvania [birth dates given in family Bible were entered at a later date and do not necessarily agree with other data]:

Mary Adeline was born August 19, 1838 in Otsego, NY. On January 1, 1855 she married William Marshall Wiley. Mary and William had two daughters: Rosellen Loretta, September 23, 1877 to September 27, 1954; and Elva Ida. Mary died May 10, 1910 in Lotona, MN, and is buried in Menahga, MN.

Eli Horace was born November 24, 1839. The family Bible lists him as Horace Eli, but his military records and tombstone state Eli

H. Eli fought in the Civil War, enlisted in the 145th Pennsylvania Volunteers, Co. B, 1862-65. He fought at Fredericksburg and Gettysburg where he was wounded, and later received a pension of $2 a month. Eli died December 7, 1897 in East Chain, Martin County, MN, and is buried in Oakwood Cemetery there.

Aaron T. was born March 28, 1841. He is probably the Aaron mentioned in "Land Records of Erie County, PA" in 1875 and July, 1911.

Nelson G., born December 9, 1842 (or 43) is discussed on page 491.

Emma R. was born September 27, 1844. In 1870 she married Asa Van Alstine. Emma and Asa had a son: Charles. Emma died February 20, 1922 in Minnesota. Both Asa and Emma are buried in Oakwood Cemetery, East Chain.

William Thadeus, born May 6, 1846 in Franklin Twp. is discussed on page 491.

Ellen J. was born May 14, 1848 in Erie. On December 28, 1865 in Edinboro, PA, she married William H. Neyland of Washington, PA. Ellen died in 1922.

Schuyler/Shayler E. was born February 21, 1851 in Erie. He died before 1859 and is buried next to his mother in McLean Baptist Cemetery.

Romine H. was born March 21, 1853 in Erie. On November 1, 1879 in Tyler, Lincoln County, MN, he married Margaret Jane Starr. Romine and Margaret had seven children: Leroy; Maud; Mary; Alice; Esther; Frank; and William. Romine died May 7, 1941 in Tyler.

Delbert J. was born July 14, 1855.

Nancy M. "Fanny" was born January 31, 1859. She married Laron Hackett. Fanny died July 15, 1932.

Sally died February 5, 1859 and is buried in McLane Baptist Cemetery in Washington Twp. Putnam married second on June 18, 1859 in Erie County, PA, Esther Perry. Esther was born circa 1822 in Pennsylvania; also reported 1827. Putnam and Esther had four children:

Perry was born August 10, 1860 and probably died in January, 1919.

Clara L. was born December 20, 1861. This is probably the Clara L. Sisson of Union City, PA, who married E. Baker November 15, 1887 in Union City and later married A. N. Dirham.

Forest F. was born August 26, 1863 and died April 30, 1917. Ref: (375) File #31339, Clara Dirham, administrator.

Myrtle was born November 13, 1865.

The 1870 census for Washington Twp, Erie County, PA, lists an Esther Sisson, a housekeeper with Osias/Asias age 11, Carrie 8, Frank 6, and Myrtha 4 all born in Pennsylvania, in her household. Putnam moved near his sons Eli and William in East Chain. Putnam died September 2, 1880 in East Chain and is buried in Oakwood Cemetery in Martin. Esther remained in Pennsylvania and died in 1898.

References: (227) Vol. W, p.1307 & Vol. Z, p.622 & Vol. 1, p.1030 & Vol. 8, p.254; (375); (376) 1850 and 1860; (377).

Theodore H. [7]

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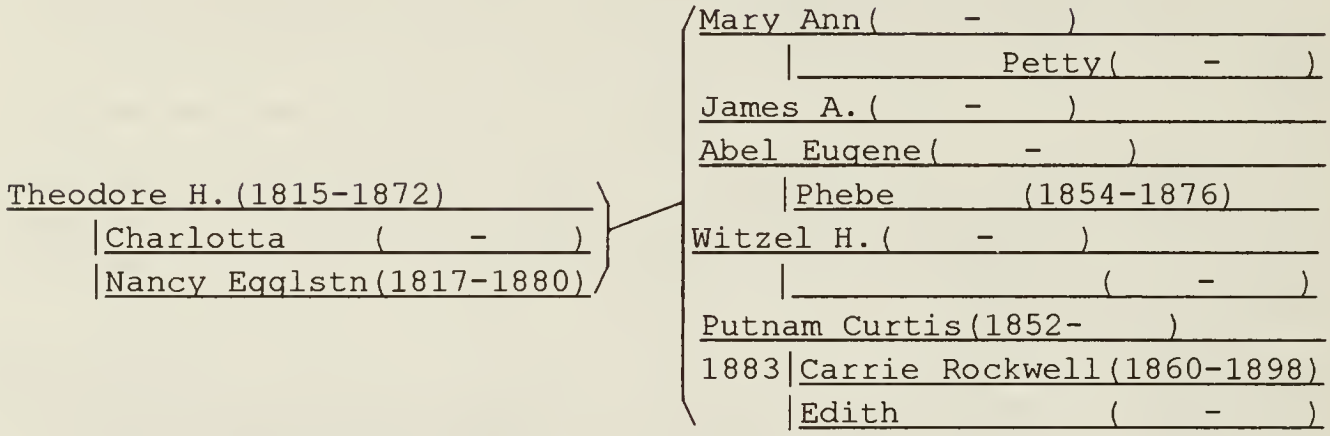

Theodore H. Sisson was born January 28, 1815. He went to Erie County, PA, from Almira, NY, with his brothers Samuel, Putnam and Alvin. He married first Charlotta ( ) and second Nancy A. Eggleston. Nancy was born September 21, 1817. Theodore had five children; we do not know which wife was mother:

Mary Ann was born about 1840. She married Mr. Petty.

James A. was born about 1844.

Abel Eugene, born about 1848 is discussed on page 492.

Witzel H., born about 1855 is discussed on page 493.

Putnam Curtis, born November 13, 1852 in Jackson, Tioga County, PA, is discussed on page 493.

Theodore died November 29, 1872 and is buried in Maple Ridge Cemetery in Jackson. All five children are mentioned in his will written in 1872. Nancy died March 1, 1880.

Reference: Theodore's will.

Richard [1], George [2], Thomas [3], Giles [4], John [5], Aaron [6] page 160

Alanson(1817-1891)
1841|Maria Earl(1819-1905)

- Francis Marion(1842-1921)
  1866|Laura A. Styles(1846-1926)
- Mary E.(1844-1918)
  1869|George M Quincey(1845-1913)
- William Wallace(1846-1935)
  1867|Phebe L Sherwood(1849-1906)
  |Lena Lingee(-)
- Samuel Mason(1849-1934)
  1870|Sarah R. Sarle(1848-1915)
- Elbert Alanson(1851-1915)
  1873|Emily J. York(1855-1930)
- Lucy M.(1857-1861)
- Cora M.(1859-1882)
  1880|Leroy B Connelly(1859-1937)

Alanson Sisson was born March 10, 1817 on the Sisson Hill Farm in Unadilla, Otsego County, NY. He was a Democrat, farmer, member of the Baptist Church, and owned the original homestead after Aaron died. On February 14, 1841 he married Maria (or Rachel Maria) Earl, daughter of Moses and Lucy (Weed) Earl. Maria was born June 7, 1819 in Sidney, Delaware County, NY. Alanson and Maria had seven children, probably all born in Unadilla; they may also have had a son Alvin in 1841:

Francis Marion, born July 26, 1842 is discussed on page 494.

Mary E. was born July 4, 1844. On February 13, 1869 she married George M. Quincey. George was born August 24, 1845. Mary and George had four children: Frank R., May 23, 1875 to November 27, 1917, married Emma Lingee; Earl, October 4, 1882, married Cecile Wall; Nellie, January 15, 1871 to March 14, 1874; and Mae, January 8, 1873 to June 23, 1930, married Clarence Wood. George died July 3, 1913; Mary died September 12, 1918.

William Wallace, born September 10, 1846 is discussed on page 494.

Samuel Mason, born May 22, 1849 is discussed on page 495.

Elbert Alanson, born December 17, 1851 is discussed on page 495.

Lucy M. was born April 24, 1857 and died October 5, 1861. She is buried in Sisson Hill Cemetery in Unadilla; she is also marked at her parents' grave in Sand Hill Cemetery. The two cemeteries are about 1½ miles apart.

Cora M. was born November 18, 1859. On February 18, 1880 she married Leroy B. Connelly. Leroy was born May 19, 1859. The couple had a daughter: Cora M. born in 1882. Mother Cora died July 25, 1882. Daughter Cora was adopted by her uncle Francis Marion. Leroy married second December 17, 1884 Mary Shaw; he died May 27, 1937.

Alanson died January 16, 1891 of "disease of heart". Maria died January 9, 1905 of pneumonia.

References: (35); (104) p.13; (236) 1855; (378); (379) p.350; (380).

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Alvin [7]

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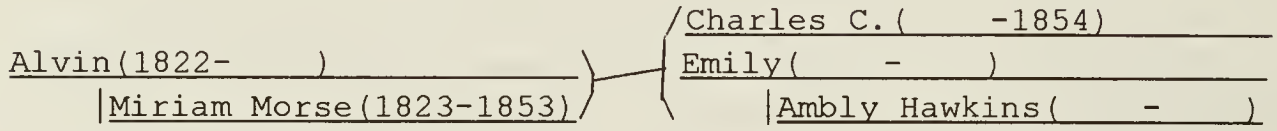

Alvin Sisson was born circa 1822 in Otsego County, NY. He was a farmer and went to Erie County, PA, with his brothers Samuel, Putnam and Theodore. He married Miriam Morse in New York. Miriam was born circa 1823. Alvin and Miriam had two children:

Charles C. was born about 1850 and according to Otsego County death records, died April 6, 1854.

Emily was born about 1852. She married Ambly Hawkins.

This could be the Alvin in the Fairfield, Herkimer County, NY, 1850 census, with a wife and two children. Miriam died October 22, 1853. Alvin lived with his sister Rosemund in Pennsylvania until she died, then he went to Unadilla to live with his nephew Fred Earl, son of Alvin's sister Harriet, see page 160. Alvin was crippled and committed suicide.

Reference: (236) 1855.

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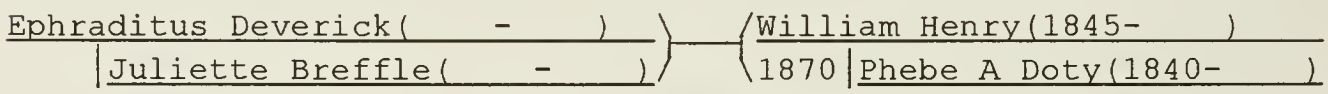
Ephraditus Deverick [7]

Richard [1], George [2], Thomas [3], Giles [4], John [5], Wright [6] page 162



Ephraditus Deverick Sisson was born about 1817. He married Juliette Breffle. On May 5, 1845 Julia bought 15 acres in Lot 103, Unadilla, Otsego County, NY, for $300 from Jesse and Margaret Foot. On May 18, Ephraditus bought 30 acres in Lot 105 for $107 from Chauncey and Matthew Williams; on May 23 they sold 30 acres for $136 to Gardner Cone. On August 18, 1845 they sold 15 acres to Laban Crandall for $300. Ephraditus and Juliette had a son born in Unadilla:

William Henry, born October 10, 1845 is discussed on page 496.

Reference: (245).

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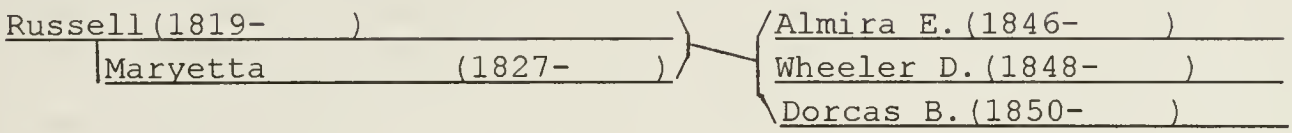
Russell [7]

Richard [1], George [2], Thomas [3], Giles [4], John [5], Wright [6] page 162



Russell Sisson was born circa 1819 in New York. He may have been a twin to Joseph. He was a laborer and married Maryetta ( ). Maryetta was born circa 1827 in New York. They had three children, all born in New York:

Almira E. was born in 1846.

Wheeler D. was born in 1848.

Dorcas B. was born in 1849 or 1850. She was "6/12" in the 1850 census.

The Unadilla, Otsego County, NY, 1850 census lists Malinda Colton, 15 years, in the household.

We have no additional references.

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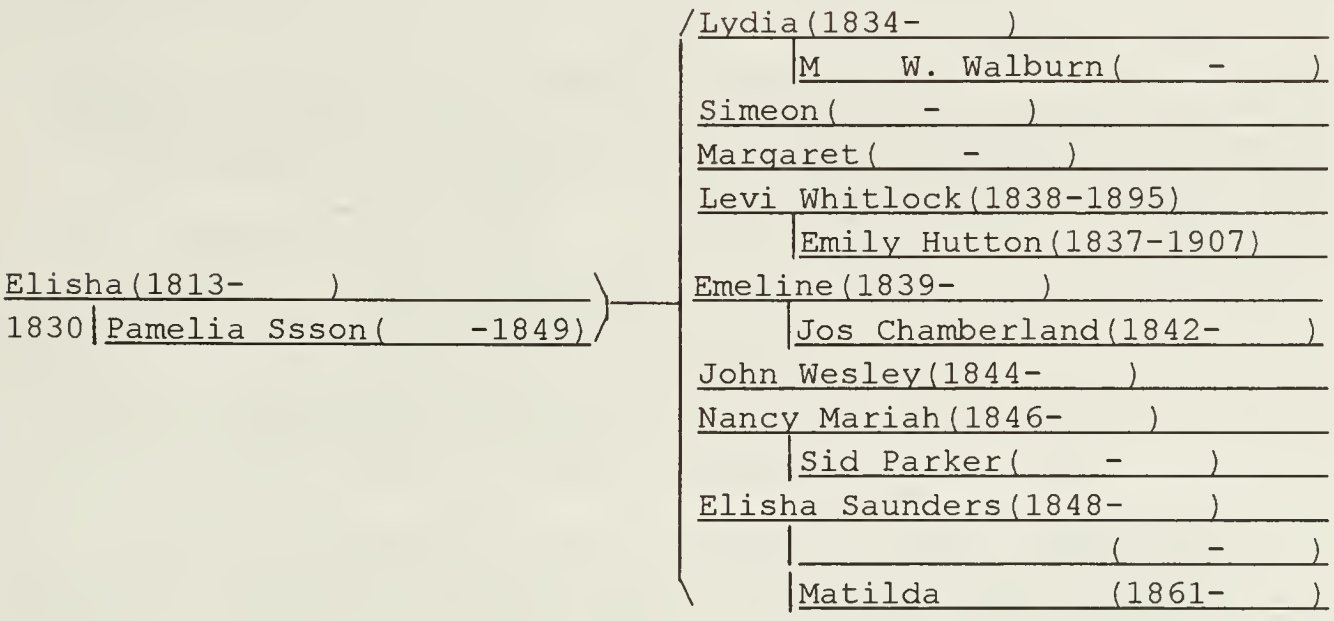
Elisha [7]

Richard [1], George [2], Thomas [3], Giles [4], John [5], Simeon [6] page 163



Elisha Sisson was born circa 1813 in New York. He was a farmer. On August 15, 1830 (license August 12) in Vevay, IN, he married Pamelia "Mary" Sisson, daughter of John and Hannah (Gardner) Sisson see page 155. Pamelia's father consented to the wedding. Pamelia was born about 1814 in Pennsylvania or Indiana. Elisha and Pamelia had about 1600 acres in Meigs County, OH, in 1850. They had nine children:

Lydia was born in 1834. She married M. W. Walburn.

Simeon was born about 1835.

Margaret was born about 1837.

Levi Whitlock, born January 16, 1838 is discussed on page 497.

Emeline was born circa 1839. She married Joseph Martin "Mart" Chamberland, a farmer. Joseph was born circa 1842 in Ohio. Emeline and Joseph had five children, all born in Minnesota: Mary M., circa 1867; Ulysses G., circa 1869; Rosetta, circa 1871; Lydia, circa 1874; and Emma J., circa 1877. Ref: (382) 1880 p.9.

John Wesley (called Wesley) was born circa 1844. He died in the Civil War.

Nancy Mariah was born circa 1846. She married Sid Parker.

Elisha Saunders, born circa 1848 is discussed on page 497.

Pamelia died April 8, 1849 and is buried in Temple Cemetery, Meigs County, OH. There was an Eliza A. Barnhouse, 18, female, born in Ohio, also in the household in 1860.

References: (383) 1850 and 1860 p.13.

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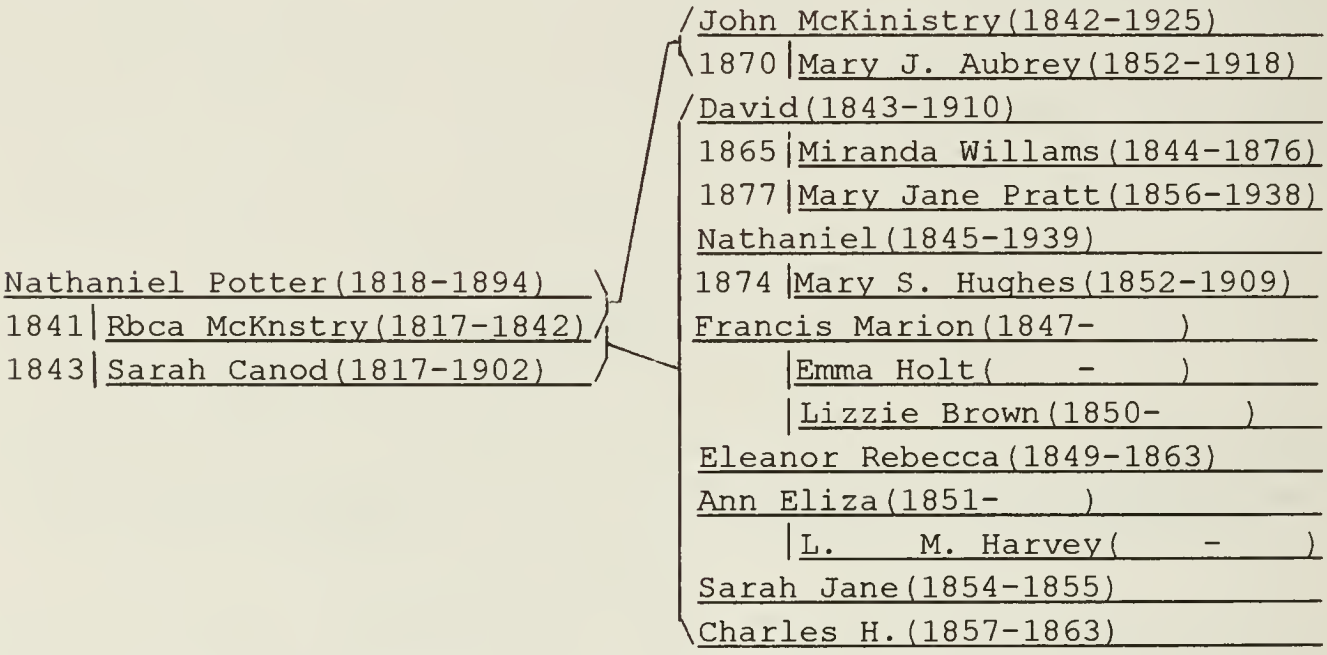
Nathaniel Potter [7]

Richard [1], George [2], Thomas [3], Giles [4], John [5], Simeon [6] page 163



Nathaniel Potter Sisson was born September 16, 1818 in Galliopolis, Gallia County, OH. Nathaniel was a farmer, mechanic, and member of the Disciples Church. He married first in 1841 Rebecca McKinistry of Seific, Archer County, OH. Rebecca was born October 2, 1817. Nathaniel and Rebecca had one son:

John McKinistry, born July 3, 1842 is discussed on page 498.

Rebecca died July 23, 1842. Nathaniel married second January 22, 1843 Sarah Harrington (Green) Canode, widow of David Canode and daughter of William and Mary (Erhardt) Green. Sarah was born March 16, 1817 and brought two children to the marriage: George W. and

Mary Canode. Nathaniel and Sarah had seven children, the first two born in Meigs County, OH:

David, born November 26, 1843 is discussed on page 499.

Nathaniel, born May 25, 1845 is discussed on page 499.

Francis Marion, born November 7, 1847 is discussed on page 500.

Eleanor Rebecca was born April 2, 1849 and died July 5, 1863.

Ann Eliza was born April 26, 1851. She married L. M. Harvey.

Sarah Jane was born August 5, 1854 and died March 28, 1855.

Charles H. was born March 5, 1857 and died July 5, 1863 in Middleport, Meigs County.

Nathaniel died February 18, 1894 in Middleport and is buried in the family cemetery in Rutland, Meigs County. Sarah died in 1902 in Middleport.

Reference: (35).

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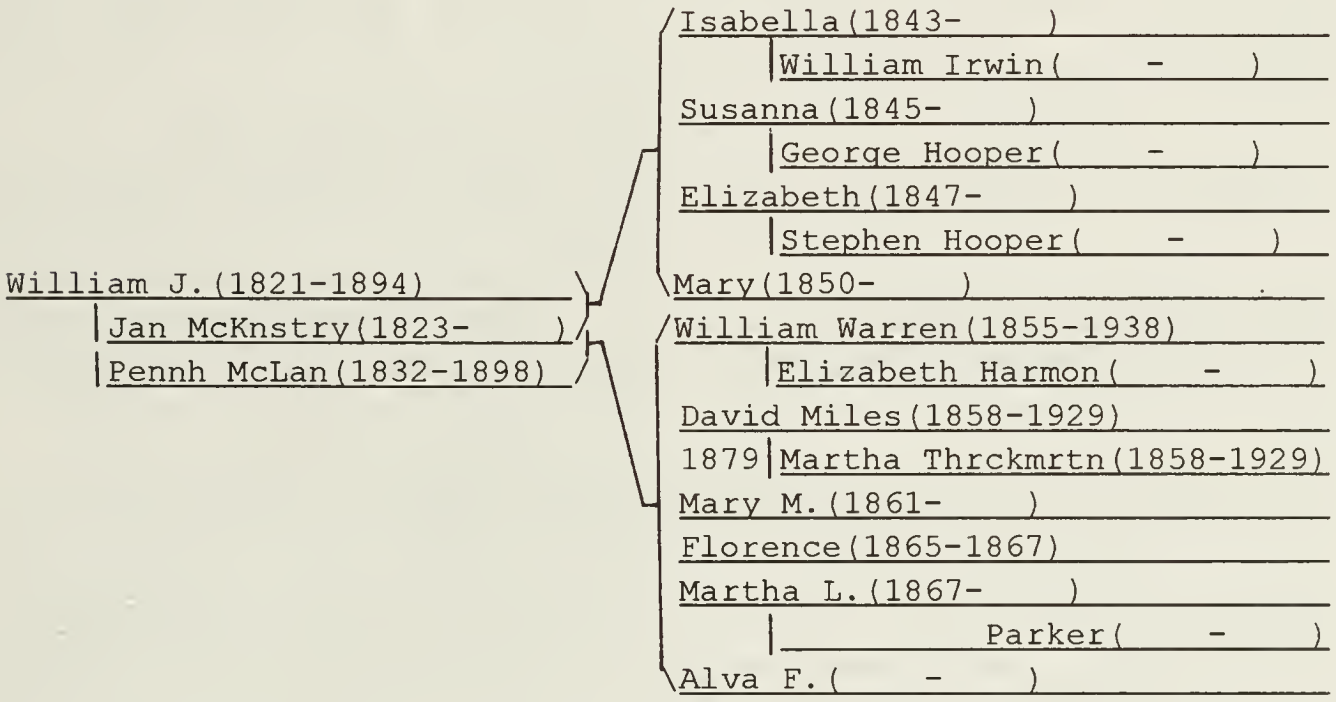
William J. [7]

Richard [1], George [2], Thomas [3], Giles [4], John [5], Simeon [6] page 163



William J. Sisson was born March 7, 1821 in Gallia County, OH. He was a farmer with 700 acres in 1850. The family appears in the Columbia Township, Meigs County, OH 1860 census. William was a Union soldier and was wounded in a battle at Cold Harbor, VA, (Company F, Regiment I, Ohio Volunteer Infantry). He married first Jane McKinistry who was born circa 1823 in Ohio. William and Jane had four daughters, all born in Ohio:

Isabella [Abby in the 1850 census] was born circa 1843. She married William Irwin.

Susanna was born circa 1845 and married George Hooper.

Elizabeth [Almira, age 3, in the 1850 census?] was born circa 1847 and married Stephen Hooper.

Mary was born in 1850 (age 4/12 in the 1850 census) and may have died young.

Jane died after 1850 in Ohio. William married second Peninah McLain. Peninah was born April 2, 1832 in Pennsylvania. William and Peninah had six children, all born in Ohio:

William Warren, born in 1855 is discussed on page 500.

David Miles, born November 23, 1858 is discussed on page 501.

Mary M. was born circa 1861.

Florence was born February 1, 1865 and died March 3, 1867.

Martha L. was born circa 1867. She married Mr. Parker and had a son Charles and one other child.

Alva F., a son, was born about 1873.

William died August 2, 1894 in Columbia Township. He is buried in "School Lot" Cemetery there. Peninah died May 31, 1898.

References: (383) 1850 p.80, 1860 p.25, and 1880 Vol. 45, p.7.

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Simeon Lewis [7]

Richard [1], George [2], Thomas [3], Giles [4], John [5], Simeon [6] page 163

Simeon Lewis (1828-1903)
1851 | Eliz. Thompson (1834-1905)

- Rosetta (-)
- Clara Louise (1855-1928)
  1878 | John McLane (1856-1919)
- Susannah (-)
- Charles Franklin (1863-1939)
  | Emma Borham (1865-1943)
- Sarah Ellen (1865-1925)
  1897 | Fred S. Grabel (-1912)
  1918 | Henry G. Nulk (-)
- William Elsworth (1868-1895)
- Lewis Elmer (-)
- Harriet Belle (1875-1937)
  1896 | Richard Borden (1872-1958)

Simeon Lewis Sisson was born February 15, 1828 in Cheshire, OH. On October 5, 1851 in Pomeroy, OH, he married Elizabeth Thompson. Elizabeth was born April 2, 1834 in Cheshire. Simeon and Elizabeth had eight children, all born in Ohio:

Rosetta was born about 1852 and died an infant.

Clara Louise was born in 1855. On May 30, 1878 she married John McLane. John was born February 14, 1856. Clara and John had two daughters: Linna, died an infant; Clara Mae Louise, June 4, 1881 to October 23, 1958, married Reuben Koehler. John died May 25, 1919; Clara died in July, 1928.

Susannah was born about 1858 and died an infant.

Charles Franklin, born in 1863 is discussed on page 501.

Sarah Ellen "Ella" was born on September 12, 1865. She married first on November 4, 1897 to Fred S. Grabel (or Grebill). Sarah and Fred had a daughter: Williamene, September, 1898 to May, 1868, married Charles F. Holtz. Fred died July 27, 1912. Sarah married second April 7, 1918 Henry G. Nulk. Sarah died July 11, 1925.

William Ellsworth was born in 1868 and died in 1895.

Lewis Elmer was born about 1870; he was not in the 1880 census.

Harriet "Hettie" Belle was born June 24, 1875. On January 1, 1896 she married Richard Borden. Richard was born October 27, 1872. Hettie and Richard had six children: Gladys Thelma, October 30, 1896, married first Mr. Fisher, second Mr. Chartier; Harold Cecil, August 22, 1898; Lawrence Donavan, April 22, 1901; Gretta Mae, May 6, 1903; Elizabeth Carolyn, April 18, 1905; and Phyllis Jeanne, January 16, 1916, married Mr. Skinner. Hettie died April 13, 1937; Richard died July 13, 1958. Ref: (384).

Simeon died March 26, 1903; Elizabeth died June 29, 1905. They were both buried in Hill Cemetery overlooking Middleport, OH. Simeon, Elizabeth, and their son William were later moved to Riverview Cemetery in Middleport.

Reference: (385) 1880 Vol. 45, p.24.

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Ira [7]

Richard [1], George [2], Thomas [3], Giles [4], John [5], Benjamin [6] page 164

Ira (1812-)
1833 | Jumina Lack (-) > Louvina J. (1834-)
| Susan (1823-)

Ira Sisson was born in 1812 in New York. He was a farmer. On January 2, 1833, in Vevay, Switzerland County, IN, he married Jumina (or Jemima) Lack (or Lock). Ira and Jumina had one daughter, born in Indiana:

Louvina J. was born circa 1834. She is listed in the Pleasant Twp, Switzerland County, 1840 census as under 5 years. She is also listed in the Knox County, IN, 1850 census as 16.

Jumina apparently died soon; Ira married second Susan ( ). Susan was born in Illinois and is listed as 27 in the 1850 census; also listed are Stephen Frayer, age 12, and James Horton, age 3, both born in Indiana. Ira and his family lived near Patriot, KY, during the Civil War. In 1845 Ira sold land in Switzerland County to John Sisson.

References: (35); (248) 1840 p.241; (386) District 61, 1850 p.220.

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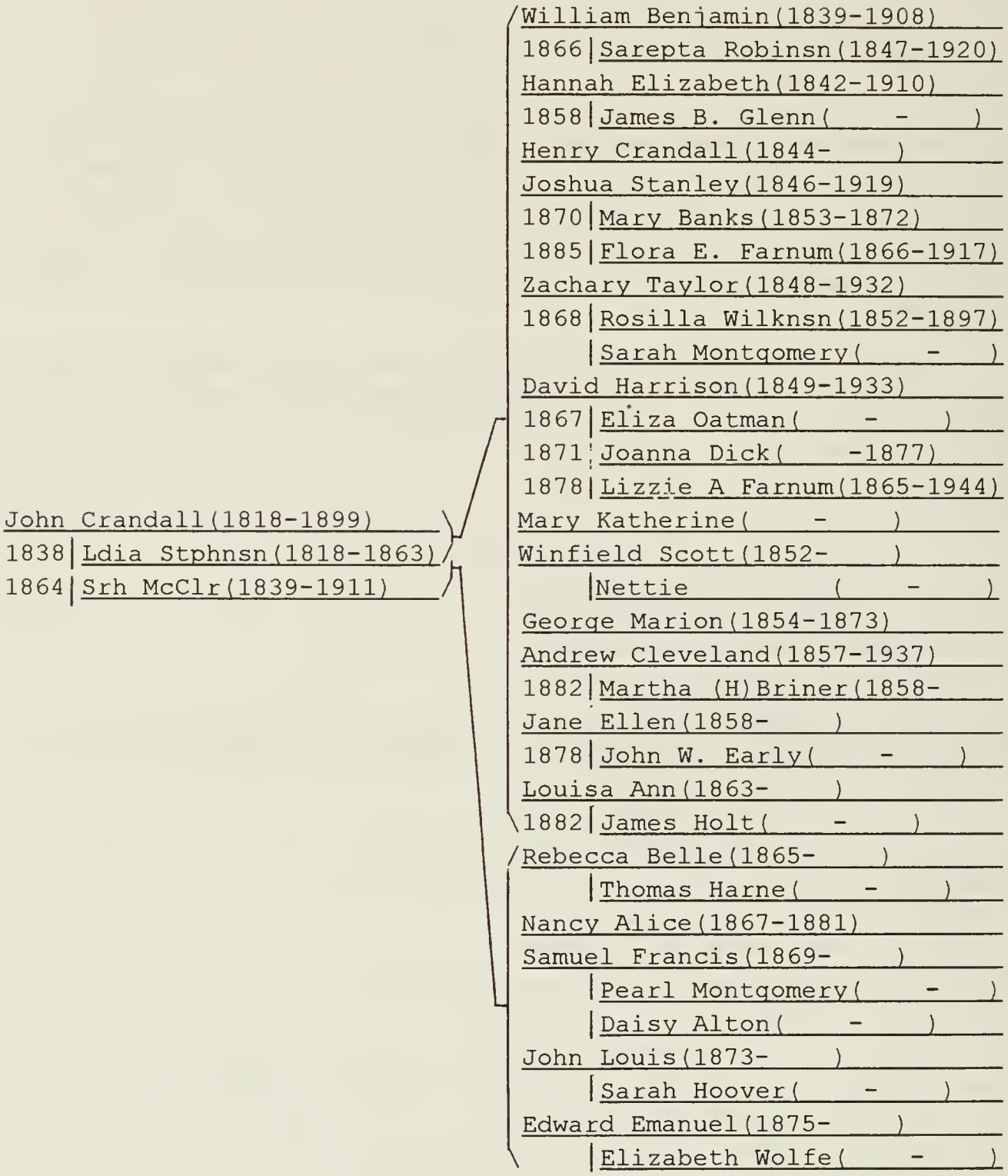
John Crandall [7]

Richard [1], George [2], Thomas [3], Giles [4], John [5], Benjamin [6] page 164



John Crandall Sisson was born August 3, 1818 in Hazelton, Gibson County, IN. He moved from Hazelton to Kentucky, then to Vevay, then to Levenworth, IN, in 1858 by flatboat and then back to Hazelton in 1879. He was a farmer in Vevay with 65 acres. Later he owned 65 acres 2½ miles from the river on the Milltown Road in Levenworth. He was a member of the United Brethern Church. On

October 16, 1838 in Switzerland County, IN, he married Lydia Elizabeth Stephenson, daughter of William and Catherine ( ) Stephenson. Lydia was born October 6, 1818 in North Carolina, probably Guilford County. John and Lydia had twelve children, the first five were born in Switzerland County, (a daughter Elizabeth E. has also been reported; this is probably a daughter of Sarah McClure by a previous marriage):

William Benjamin, born in December, 1839 is discussed on page 502.

Hannah Elizabeth was born in 1842. On December 1, 1858 she married James/Joseph B. Glenn. They had seventeen children, including: Oliver; Elmer; Joseph; Marion; Charles; Scott; and Louis! Hannah died in 1910.

Henry Crandall was born in 1844. He was not married and was a farmer in Warsaw, KY. He is buried in Hazelton, IN.

Joshua Stanley, born January 8, 1846 is discussed on page 504.

Zachary Taylor, born March 8, 1848 is discussed on page 505.

David Harrison (or Henry), born March 29, 1849 is discussed on page 506.

Mary Katherine was born about 1850 and died an infant.

Winfield Scott was born July 28, 1852. He was a teacher, mail carrier, postmaster, druggist, and Republican in Hazelton. He married Nettie ( ), or Mary Knauls. They had no children. Ref: (246).

George Marion was born October 1, 1854. He was not married and died in 1873. He was a teacher.

Andrew Cleveland, born April 16, 1857 is discussed on page 507.

Jane Ellen was born in 1858. She married in Knox County John W. Early February 26, 1878; they obtained their license on February 16. They had no children.

Louisa Ann was born in 1863. On August 14, 1882 she married James Holt and died a young woman.

Lydia died April 20, 1863 in Crawford County, IN. John married second in August, 1864 Sarah McClure, born in 1839/40 in Pennsylvania. Sarah and John had five children:

Rebecca Belle was born in 1865 and married Thomas Harne (or Horne). Rebecca and Thomas had four children: William, married Liva Young; Noah, married Elizabeth Harmbrook; John Russell, married twice; and Ethel, married Jonah Sherman.

Nancy Alice was born in 1867. She died at age 14.

Samuel Francis, born in 1869 in Indiana is discussed on page 508.

John Louis/Lewis, born in 1873 is discussed on page 509.

Edward Emmanuel, born in 1875 is discussed on page 509.

John Crandall died June 10 (or 30), 1899 in East Hazelton. Sarah died February 18, 1911 in Crawford County, IN.

References: (246); (369) 1870 p.60; (387); (388) 1850; (389) 1880 p.18; (390) "1858".

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Eli D. [7]

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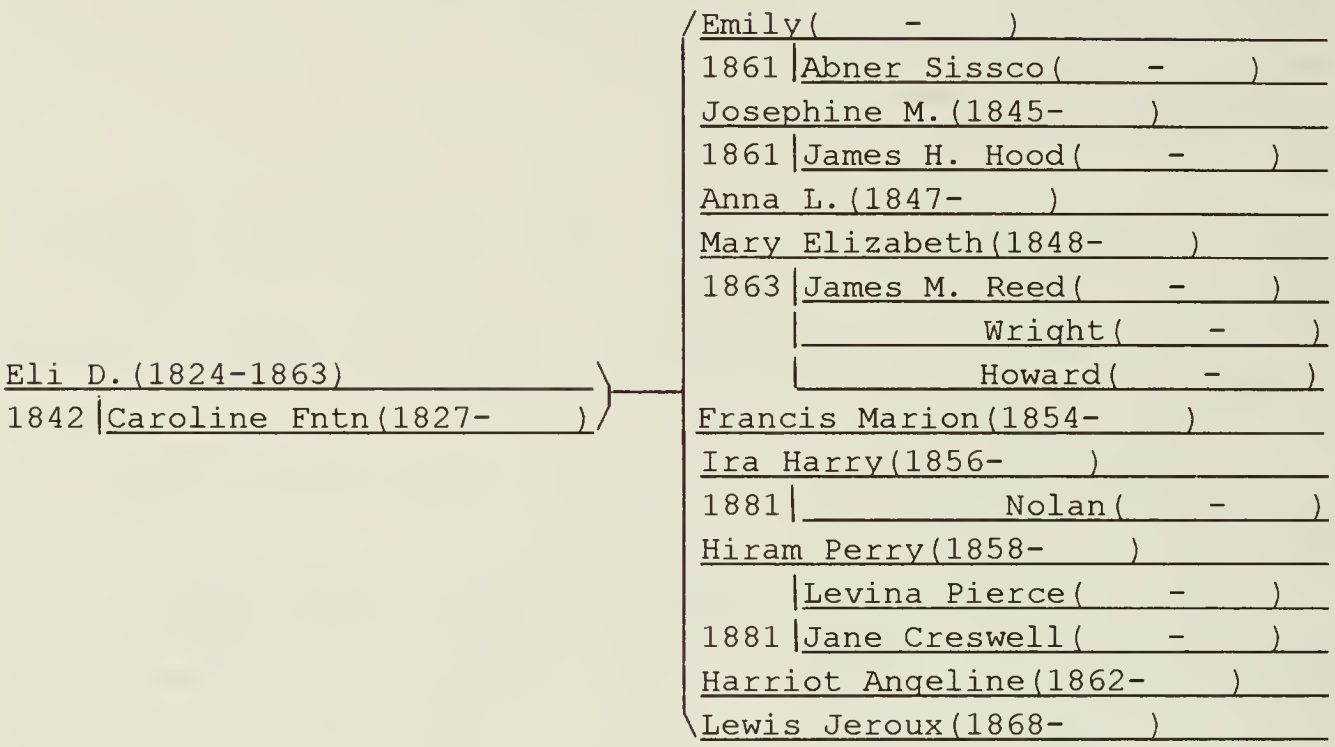

Eli D. Sisson was born in 1824 in Ohio. On December 10, 1842 in Switzerland County, IN, he married Caroline Fenton. Caroline was born in 1827. Eli served in the Civil War. Eli and Caroline had eight children:

Emily was born about 1843. On May 2, 1861 in Knox County, IN, she married Abner Sissco.

Josephine M. was born in 1845 in Switzerland County. On August 29, 1861 in Knox County, IN, she married James H. Hood. Ref: (391) Vol. F p.150.

Anna L. was born in 1847.

Mary "May" Elizabeth was born January 14, 1848. On June 20, 1863 in Knox County she married James M. Reed (or Reid). She later married two more times, to Mr. Wright and Mr. Howard; the order of these two marriages is uncertain. Ref: (391) Vol. F p.300 (she is reported as Mary J.).

Francis Marion was born March 30, 1854 in Indiana.

Ira Harry (or Harvey) was born February 16, 1856 in Indiana. On August 13, 1881 he married Ms. Nolan.

Hiram Perry, born November 16, 1858 in Kentucky is discussed on page 510.

Harriot Angeline was born November 30, 1862. Harriot is not listed with Caroline in the 1870 census.

Eli D. died March 8, 1863 in Kentucky. Children Josephine and Anna are not listed by Caroline in the 1863 pension records. Caroline married second on March 21, 1867 (license, March 19), Lewis Jeroux and had a son: Lewis, Jr. Apparently her second husband died

soon for Caroline and Lewis Jr. took the name Sisson in the 1870 census when they were living with her sons Francis, Ira, and Hiram.

References: Civil War Records, 1862; (248) 1850; (389) 1870; (391) Vol. G p.86.

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Amos, Jr. [7]

Richard [1], George [2], Thomas [3], Giles [4], John [5], Amos [6] page 165

Amos, Jr.(1839-)
1869 Mary C. Hall(1850-)
Jesse M.(1872-)
Rosalie(1874-)

Amos Sisson, Jr., was born in 1839 in Ohio. On August 1, 1869, in Grant County, IN, he married Mary C. Hall. Mary was born in 1850 in Indiana. Amos and Mary had two children, both born in Indiana:

Jesse M. was born in 1872.
Rosalie was born in 1874.

We have no additional references.

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Christian A. [7]

Richard [1], George [2], Thomas [3], Giles [4], John [5], Amos [6] page 165

Christian A.(-)
Mary E. (1852-)
George(1878-)
Amanda(1880-)

Christian A. Sisson is reported to have been born in 1851 in Ohio, but his mother was 56 years old in 1851. He married Mary E. ( ). Mary was born in 1852 in Ohio. Christian and Mary had two children, both born in Indiana:

George was born in 1878.
Amanda was born in 1880.

We have no additional references.

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Henry B. [7]

Richard [1], George [2], Thomas [3], Giles [4], John [5], James C. [6] page 165

Henry B.(1820-1909)
1837 Mary R Shaffr(-)
George Marion(1839-1897)
1861 Sarah A. Marcy(-)
Christopher Columbus(1844-)
1861 Augustine Webbr(-)
Mary Ann(-)
Joseph Peyton(-)

Henry B. Sisson was born April 22, 1820 in Athens, OH. He was a farmer. On July 28, 1837 in Switzerland County, IN, he married Mary R. Shaffer, daughter of David and Rachel (Reynolds) Shaffer of Montgomery County, KY. Henry and Mary had three children:

George Marion, born April 3, 1839 in Switzerland County is discussed on page 510.

Christopher Columbus "Lum", born in 1844 is discussed on page 511.

Mary Ann "Sis" was born about 1846. She married Joseph Peyton. Mary and Joseph had two children: Ella; and Clarence. Mary died after 1897.

Henry died December 15, 1909 in Gallatin County, KY. He is buried in Paint Lick Cemetery, Sugar Creek, KY.

References: Obituary of George Marion; (250) 1820; (251).

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Ebenezer [7]

Richard [1], George [2], Thomas [3], Giles [4], John [5], James C. [6] page 165

Ebenezer(1829-)
Clarinda Keith(-)

- Henry(1853-)
- Mary(1854-)
- William(1856-)
- George W.(1856-1869)
- Emily(1858-)
- Susan(1864-)
- Alice(1869-)

Ebenezer Sisson was born circa 1829 in Ohio. He married Clarinda Keith. Ebenezer and Clarinda had seven children:

Henry was born circa 1853.

Mary was born circa 1854.

William was born circa 1856, perhaps a twin.

George W. was born August 5, 1856 and died January 29, 1869. He is buried in Ten Mile Cemetery, Gallatin County, KY, near his grandparents with whom he was enumerated in the 1860 census.

Emily was born circa 1858.

Susan was born circa 1864.

Alice was born circa 1869.

Ebenezer died in 1918 in Gallatin County. He is buried in Paint Lick Cemetery, Sugar Creek, KY.

References: (231); (251).

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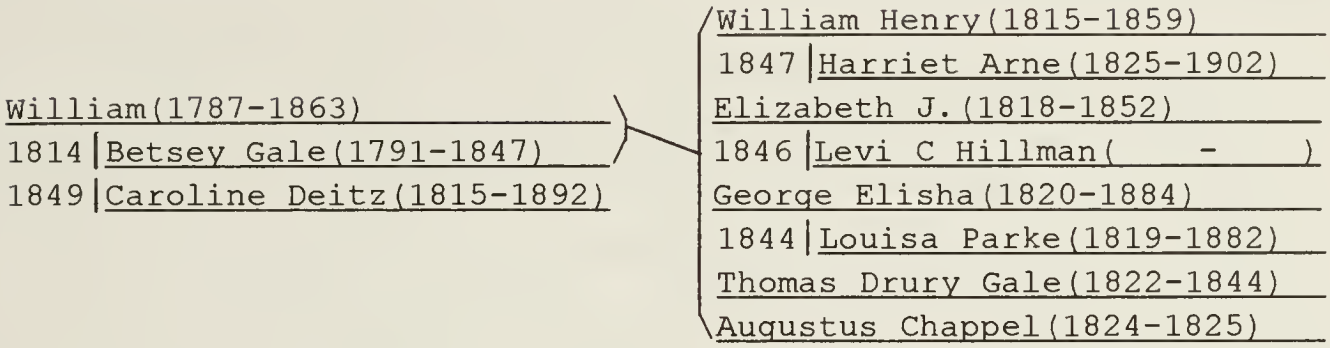
William [7]

Richard [1], George [2], Thomas [3], William [4], Nathan [5], Elisha [6] page 168



William Sisson was born November 12, 1787 in Connecticut. His family moved from Barre, VT, in 1804 to Cayuga County, NY, and in 1816 to Lyons, NY. He was a Democrat, Presbyterian, and Mason. He was a lawyer, appointed judge of the county court April 18, 1823 and February 3, 1835. On February 27, 1814 in Scipio, NY, he married Betsey Gale, daughter of Henry Gale. Betsey was born June 16, 1791. William and Betsey had five children, the first born in Scipio and the others in Lyons:

William Henry, born March 18, 1815 is discussed on page 512.

Elizabeth J. was born October 26, 1818. On June 9, 1846 in Lyons, she married Dr. Levi C. Hillman. Elizabeth and Levi had a daughter: Drurietta Clara, June 23, 1851 to May 28, 1852. Elizabeth died October 26, 1852 in Lyons. She is buried at the foot of her brother Drury's grave.

George Elisha, born April 2, 1820 is discussed on page 513.

Thomas Drury Gale was born December 9, 1822 and drowned February 17, 1844 in Lyons.

Augustus Chappel was born November 5, 1824 and died June 8, 1825.

Betsey died March 21, 1847 in Lyons. Both she and William are buried in Old Lyons Cemetery. On April 18, 1849 in Lyons William married second Caroline C. Deitz. Caroline was born February 18, 1815 in New York. They had no issue. William died December 7, 1863 and Caroline died March 7, 1892. She is buried in Lyons at the foot of William's grave.

References: (35); (195) Vol. 84, p.138; (253); (393) 1850 [Elizabeth Weans, age 23, born in Germany, also in the household]; (394).

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Richard [1], George [2], Thomas [3], William [4], Nathan [5], Augustus [6] page 169

Telotes(1793-1873)
1814|Sarah Convrs(1795-1881)

John Russel(1815-1896)
1843|Lucy G. Clarke(1825-1881)
1882|Mary B. Pelton(-)
Sarah Ann(1817-)
1837|Jano Robinson(-)
Francis O.(1820-)
|Lilphia L. Raice(-)
Converse L.(1822-)
1848|Lucy Brainard(-)
Mary E.(1825-)
1851|George Scoville(-)
Edwin F.(1828-1854)
1851|Martha J. Maltby(-)
Frederick A.(1831-)
1856|Elizabeth Lyman(-)
Wilder M.(1834-)
1856|Sarah Higley(-)
Cassimir(1837-1837)

Telotes Sisson was born May 7, 1793. On January 12, 1814 he married Sarah Converse. Sarah was born December 15, 1795. The family lived in Ohio. Telotes and Sarah had nine children:

John R., born May 22, 1815 in Wilbraham, MA, is discussed on page 513.

Sarah Ann was born January 22, 1817. On March 2, 1837 she married Jano Robinson. They lived at Briggs Station, CA.

Francis O., born May 11, 1820 is discussed on page 514.

Converse L. was born May 15, 1822. On April 1, 1848 he married Lucy Brainard of Mayfield, OH. They lived in Janesville, MN.

Mary E. was born February 14, 1825. On October 30, 1851 she married George W. Scoville. They lived in Geneva, OH.

Edwin F. was born November 24, 1828. On October 13, 1851 he married Martha J. Maltby of Hambden, OH. They lived in Wappelo, IA. Edwin died September 24, 1854.

Frederick A., born April 6, 1831 is discussed on page 515.

Wilder M. was born February 18, 1834. On July 3, 1856 he married Sarah Higley of Jefferson, OH. Sarah was born in Windsor, OH. This family also lived in Hambden. Sarah died in Plainsville, OH.

Cassimir was born January 5, 1837 and died March 24 of the same year.

Telotes died May 25, 1873; Sarah died November 9, 1881.

Reference: (35).

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Augustus Lyman [7]

Richard [1], George [2], Thomas [3], William [4], Nathan [5], Augustus [6] page 169

Augustus Lyman(1794-1878)
1815 Harriet Pottr(1795-1855)

- Jane(1816-1830)
- William Augustus(1818-1880)
- Harriet Lucretia(1820-1901)
- Lorenso(1822-1860)
- Anjanette(1824-1916)
- Katherine(1827-1840)
- Jan Ann(1835-1840)

Augustus Lyman Sisson was born June 16, 1794 in Hampton, MA. On January 5, 1815 he married Harriet Potter of New Haven, CT. Harriet was born April 10, 1795. Augustus and Harriet had seven children, the first four born in Wilbraham, MA, and the last three in Hambden, OH:

Jane was born in 1816 and died May 4, 1830.

William Augustus was born January 6, 1818 and died January 13, 1880.

Harriet Lucretia was born April 1, 1820 and died July 9, 1901.

Lorenso was born April 1, 1822 and died in August, 1860.

Anjanette was born January 26, 1824 and died September 4, 1916.

Katherine was born January 7, 1827 and died February 13, 1840.

Jan Ann was born June 10, 1835 and died July 5, 1840.

Harriet died July 9, 1855; Augustus died in September, 1878.

We have no additional references.

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Addie Bigelow [7]

Richard [1], George [2], Thomas [3], William [4], Nathan [5], Nathan, Jr. [6] page 170

Addie Bigelow(1805-1873)
Hulda Hall(-)
1855 Caroline Higly(-)

- Horton B.(-)
- Giles(1832-)
- Sarah J.(-)
- Hulda Etta(-)
  - Rollin Higley(-)

Addie Bigelow Sisson was born in 1805 in Wilbraham, MA. He was a farmer and distiller. He married first Hulda Hall, daughter of Joseph Hall. Hulda was born in Sommers, CT. In 1840 the family moved to Simsbury CT. Addie and Hulda had four children:

Horton B. was born about 1830.

Giles was born November 5, 1832.

Sarah J. was born about 1834.

Hulda Etta was born about 1836. She married Rollin Higley.

Hulda may have died in 1888, although this probably is the death year of Addie's second wife. On July 3, 1855 in Massachusetts Addie married Caroline Higley, daughter of Pomeroy Higley. Addie died in 1873.

We have no additional references.

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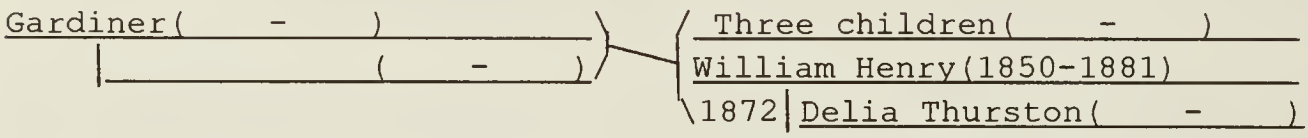
Gardiner [7]

Richard [1], George [2], Thomas [3], William [4], Nathan [5], Nathan, Jr. [6] page 170



Gardiner Sisson was born about 1818, probably in Wilbraham, MA. We do not know his wife's name. The family moved from Massachusetts to Janesville, WI. They had four children:

Probably Samuel Gardner Sisson of Janesville, WI, who joined the military August 18, 1862, mustered out May 1, 1865. He was a sergeant. He died August 24, 1897 and is buried in Oak Hill Cemetery, Janesville.

William Henry, born September 4, 1850 is discussed on page 515.

An Elizabeth Sisson died April 5, 1913 [age unknown] and is buried in Oak Hill Cemetery. This may be the wife of Gardiner or Samuel or an unmarried daughter of Gardiner.

We do not know the other child/children.

Reference: (395) #3807, Vol. 4, p.4 (both Samuel and Elizabeth).

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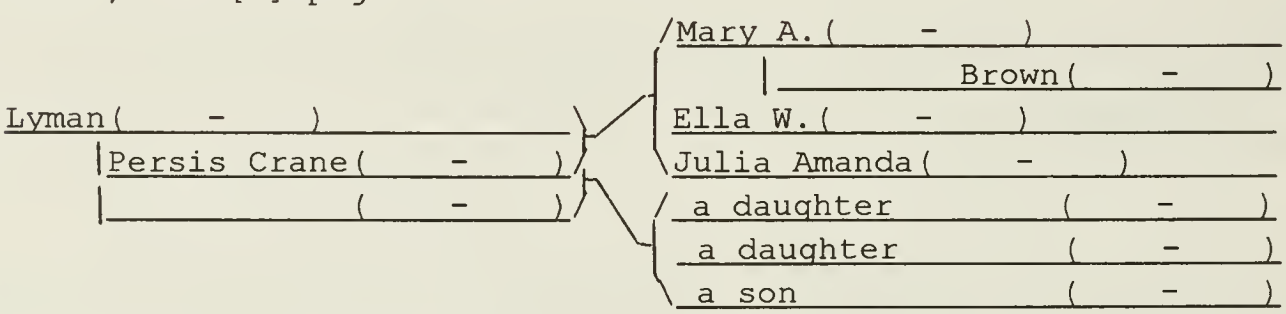
Lyman [7]

Richard [1], George [2], Thomas [3], William [4], Nathan [5], Nathan, Jr. [6] page 170



Lyman Sisson was born about 1827. He married first Persis Crane. They lived in Hartford, CT. Lyman and Persis had three children:

Mary A. was born about 1847. She married Mr. Brown of Anaheim, CA.

Ella W. was born about 1849 in Hartford, CT.

Julia Amanda was born about 1852 in Galena, IL.

Lyman married a second time and had two girls and one boy.

Reference: (35).

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James Herbert [7]

Richard [1], George [2], Thomas [3], William [4], Nathan [5], James [6] page 171

James Herbert(1812-1847)
1833 Nancy Pendltn(1815-1900)

- William Henry(1836-1847)
- Emma Jane(1838-)
- James Lansing(1840-1885)
- Helen Lucille(1842-1898)
  - 1862 Francis M DeKay(-)

James Herbert Sisson was born October 6, 1812 in Castile, Wyoming County, NY. On June 2, 1833 in Norwich, CT, he married Nancy Pendleton, daughter of Joshua and Amelia ( ) Pendleton. Nancy was born June 11, 1815 in Westerly, RI. James and Nancy had four children, all born in Castile:

William Henry was born May 2, 1836. He and his father were killed the same day by falling timber, November 11, 1847.

Emma Jane was born January 2, 1838.

James Lansing was born November 6, 1840 and died August 25, 1885.

Helen Lucille was born August 9, 1842. On November 13, 1862 she married Francis Milton DeKay. Helen died July 26, 1898.

James Herbert died November 11, 1847. On April 20, 1850 Nancy married second William W. Fuller. She died in May, 1900 in Knowlesville or Albion, NY.

Reference: (249) p.309.

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Moses Henry [7]

Richard [1], George [2], Thomas [3], William [4], Nathan [5], James [6] page 171

Moses Henry(1820-)
1849 Caroline M. White(1821-1881)

- Henry White(1850-1851)

Moses Henry Sisson was born October 5, 1820. He was a blacksmith. On April 24, 1849 he married Caroline M. White. Caroline was born November 13, 1821. They lived in Norwich, CT. Moses and Caroline had one son:

Henry White was born February 26, 1850 and died March 16, 1851.

Caroline died September 27, 1881.

We have no additional references.

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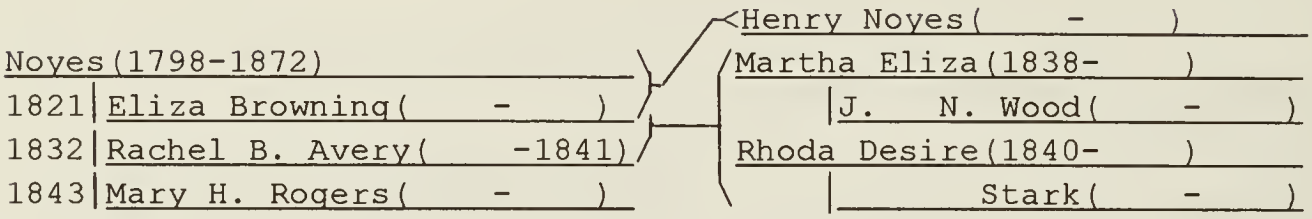
Noyes [7]

Richard [1], George [2], Thomas [3], William [4], William, Jr. [5], Gilbert [6] page 172



Noyes Sisson was born September 21 (or 19), 1798 in Stonington, CT. On April 21, 1821 in Stonington, he married Elizabeth Browning of Bozrah, CT, daughter of Jeffrey H. and Martha ( ) Browning. They are mentioned in South Kingstown Probate Records [3B:216; 4B:17, 19] dated 1823. Noyes and "Eliza" had one son:

Henry Noyes was born about 1822.

Noyes married second April 28, 1832 Rachel B. Avery of Bozrah. Noyes and Rachel two daughters:

Martha Eliza was born February 12, 1838. She married Rev. J. N. Wood. They lived in S. Pasadena, CA.

Rhoda (or Rhonda) Desire was born April 23, 1840. She married Mr. Stark.

Rachel died January 23, 1841 in Bozrah. Noyes married third August 2, 1843 Mary H. Rogers of Norwich, CT. Noyes died August 7, 1872.

Reference: (64) p.311.

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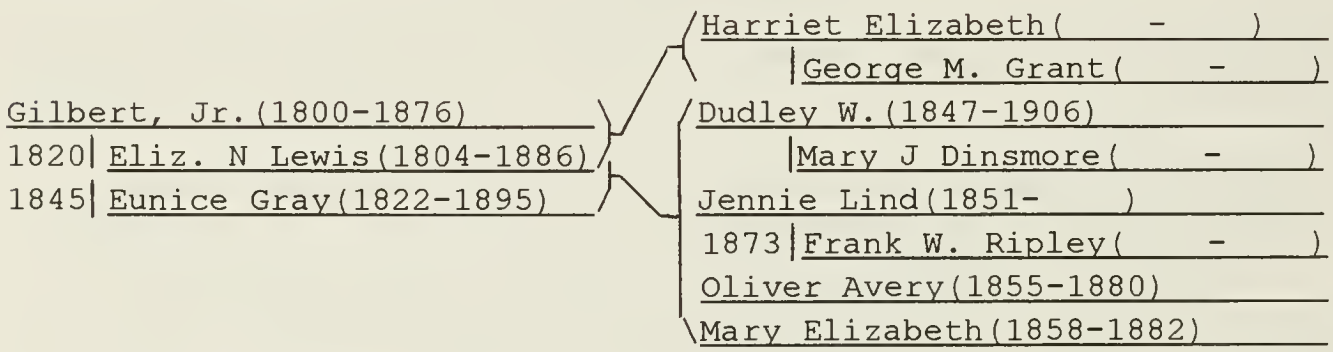
Gilbert, Jr. [7]

Richard [1], George [2], Thomas [3], William [4], William, Jr. [5], Gilbert [6] page 172



Gilbert Sisson, Jr., was born September 1 (or August 31), 1800 in Stonington, CT. On March 22, 1820 he married first Elizabeth Noyes Lewis, daughter of William and Elizabeth (Noyes) Lewis. Elizabeth's brother William married Gilbert's sister Esther; they were also further related [see Esther's sketch under Gilbert, Sr.]. Elizabeth was born in 1804. Gilbert and Elizabeth had a daughter:

Harriet Elizabeth was born about 1830 in North Stonington. She married George Marcena Grant. The family moved from Connecticut

to New York where their daughter, Fannie, was born. Fannie married M. R. Heber White.

Apparently Gilbert and Elizabeth were divorced; Elizabeth married second October 19, 1837 Benjamin F. Kip. Elizabeth died March 2, 1886. Gilbert married second March 7, 1845 Eunice Ann Gray, daughter of Lyman M. and Eunice P. (Leroy) Gray. Eunice was born October 7, 1822. Gilbert and Eunice had four children, all born in North Stonington:

Dudley W. was born April 2, 1847. He married Mary Jane Dinsmore and died April 14, 1906.

Jennie Lind was born March 27, 1851. On January 14, 1873 she married Frank Webb Ripley.

Oliver Avery was born September 26, 1855 and died September 18, 1880.

Mary Elizabeth was born January 5, 1858 and died April 11, 1882.

Gilbert died July 27, 1876 in Pownal, VT. Eunice married second Augustus Terwilliger. She died March 17, 1895.

References: (126) Vol. 7, #2, p.26; (177) Vol. 2, p.87.

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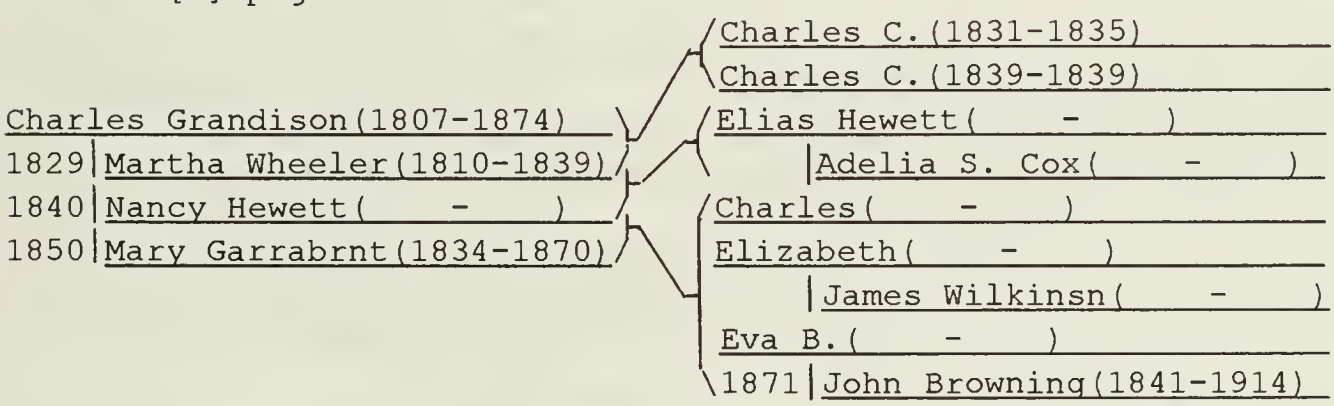
Charles Grandison [7]

Richard [1], George [2], Thomas [3], William [4], William, Jr. [5], Gilbert [6] page 172



Charles Grandison Sisson was born April 15, 1807 in Stonington, CT. He was a "projector", contractor and railroad president. He was active in financing and developing the Erie Railroad. The family settled in Jersey City before 1850. On May 11, 1829 he married first Martha Wheeler, daughter of Asa and Polly (Brown) or Bridget (Brant) Wheeler. Martha was born in 1810. Charles and Martha had two sons:

The first Charles C. was born in 1831 and died May 11, 1835.

The second Charles C. was born in 1839 and died October 9, 1839.

Martha died July 10, 1839. Charles married second June 21, 1840 Nancy Mary Hewett, daughter of Elias and Polly (Miner) Hewett. Charles and Nancy had one son:

Elias Hewett, born about 1845 is discussed on page 515.

Charles married third December 24, 1850 Mary Elizabeth Garrabrant [Wheeler shows Gasabrandt]. Mary was born in 1834. Charles and Mary had three children:

Charles was born about 1852.

Elizabeth was born about 1854 and married James Wilkinson.

Eva B. was born about 1855. On October 19, 1871 she married John Hull Browning. John was born in 1841. Eva and John had a son: John Hull, Jr., October 6, 1874/5 to June 10, 1917. John, Sr. died in 1914.

Mary died July 9, 1870; Charles died August 21, 1874 in Tenafly, NJ.

References: (37) pp.427, 569, 647; (62) pp.191-5; (129) Vol. 14, p.157.

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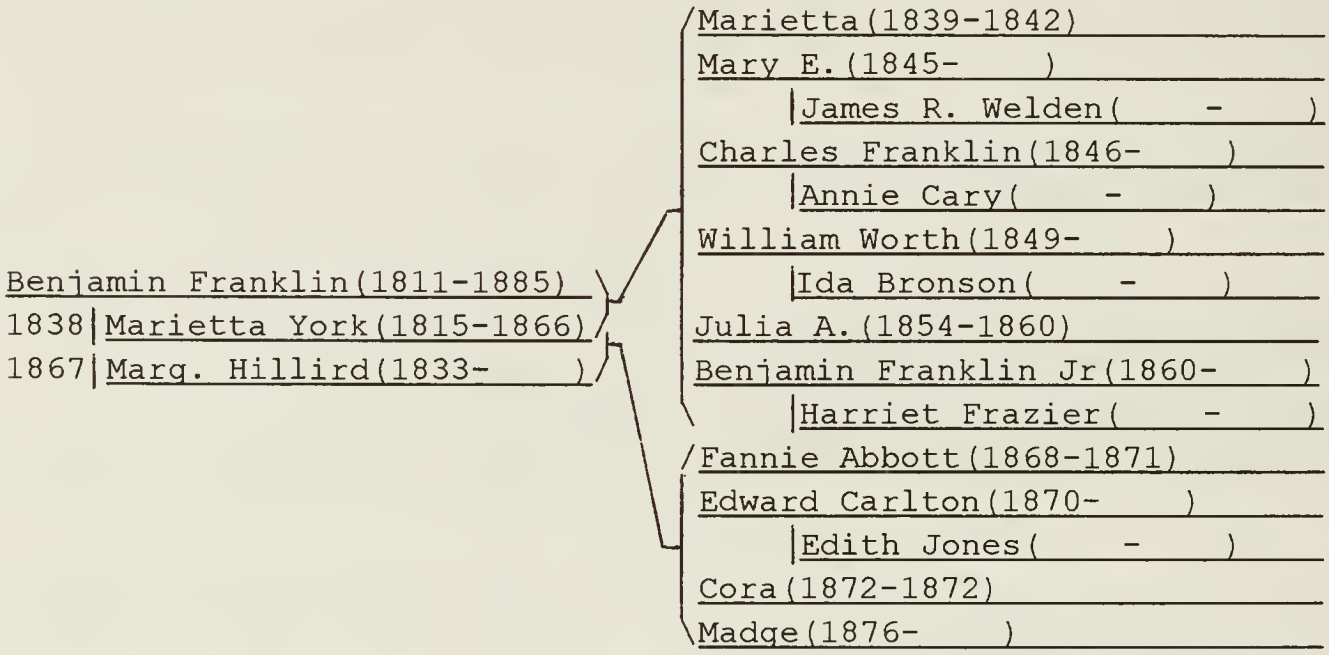
Benjamin Franklin [7]

Richard [1], George [2], Thomas [3], William [4], William, Jr. [5], Gilbert [6] page 172



Benjamin Franklin Sisson was born April 20, 1811 in Stonington, New London County, CT. At some time the family moved to Binghamton, NY, where Benjamin was a merchant. On August 28, 1838 in Stonington, he married first Marietta (or Marilla/Manita) York, daughter of Nathan and Patty (or Martha) (Breed) York. Marietta was born September 26, 1815 in Connecticut. Benjamin and Marietta had six children, the first born in Connecticut and the rest in New York (in 1850 the family lived in Chenango):

Marietta (or Martha) was born May 26, 1839 and died April 11, 1842.

Mary E. was born March 20, 1845. She married James R. Welden.

Charles Franklin, born July 24, 1846 is discussed on page 516.

William Worth was born October 15, 1849 in Binghamton. He married Ida Bronson.

Julia A. was born November 16, 1854 and died June 1, 1860.

Benjamin Franklin, Jr. was born December 22, 1860. He married Harriet Frazier.

Marietta died August 23, 1866. Benjamin married second October 9, 1867 Margaret Hilliard of North Stonington, daughter of William and Lucy Morella (Dewey) Hilliard. Margaret was born in 1833. Benjamin and Margaret had four children:

Fannie Abbott was born July 2, 1868 and died February 15, 1871.

Edward Carlton was born March 11, 1870 in Binghamton. He was a manufacturer and graduate of Yale University. He married Edith Jones, daughter of Edward Franc Jones. Edith was also born in Binghamton, date unknown. Edward died after 1897.

Cora was born March 7 and died July 26, 1872.

Madge was born December 12, 1876.

Benjamin died September 8, 1885. "The Sunday Globe", Broome County, NY, September 13, 1885 reports: "Benjamin F. Sisson died Tuesday in his 75th year. He came to Binghamton in 1842. He operated a cabinet shop; two years later moved to the present Sisson Building. In 1859 his brother Oliver A. became his partner, and in 1861 his brother William became a partner."

References: (35); (37) p.569; (396) 1850; (397) p.34A.

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Andes [7]

Richard [1], George [2], Thomas [3], William [4], Benejah [5], Jedediah [6] page 174

Andes(1792-1874)
1813 Lovinia Shaw(-1855)

- Albert(1814-1850)
- Laura(1816-1870)
  - 1840 John Doncaster(-)
- Catherine(1819-1890)
- Jedediah(1821-)
  - Mary Ann Atwood(-)
- Laura J.(1825-)
  - F. M. Hall(-)

Andes Sisson was born April 10, 1792. On October 7, 1813 he married Lovinia Shaw. Andes and Lovinia had five children:

Albert was born November 3, 1814 and died September 10, 1850.

Laura was born October 1, 1816. She married John Doncaster in October of 1840. Laura and John had three children: John A., October 1843; Robert D., December 25, 1847; and Laura, January 16, 1850. Mother Laura died October 15, 1870.

Catherine was born December 1, 1819. She died October 19, 1890 unmarried.

Jedediah, born January 3, 1821 is discussed on page 516.

Laura J. was born July 25, 1825. She married F. M. Hall. He may have died without issue.

Lovinia died November 12, 1855; Andes died August 22, 1874.

We have no additional references.

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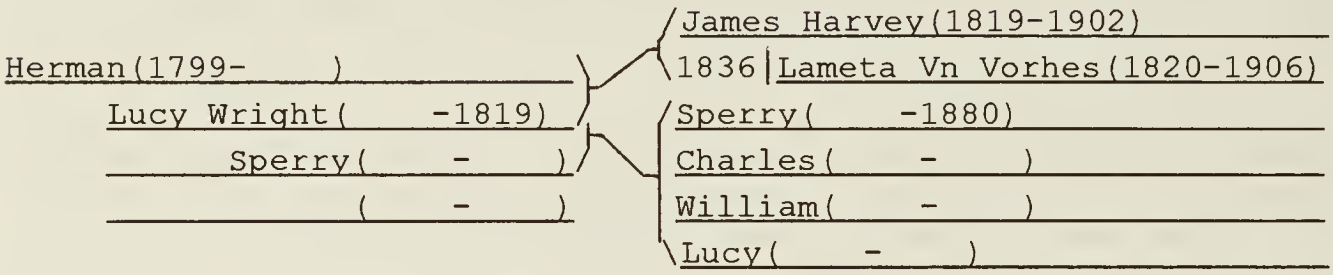
Herman [7]

Richard [1], George [2], Thomas [3], William [4], Benejah [5], Jedediah [6] page 174



Herman Sisson was born June 24, 1799. He married first Lucy Wright, daughter of James and Desire (Marsh) Wright. Herman and Lucy had a son born in Lowell, Middlesex County, MA.

James Harvey, born November 28, 1819 is discussed on page 516.

Lucy died in childbirth and James Harvey was raised by his grandparents. Herman married second Ms. Sperry. We assume that the remaining four children were by this wife:

Sperry was born about 1820 and has been indicated as the first son of Herman. Sperry died by suicide April 17, 1880.

Charles was born about 1822.

William was born about 1825.

Lucy was born about 1828.

Apparently Herman married a third time but we do not know his third wife's name. The family lived in Lowell, MA, and Springfield, OH.

We have no additional references.

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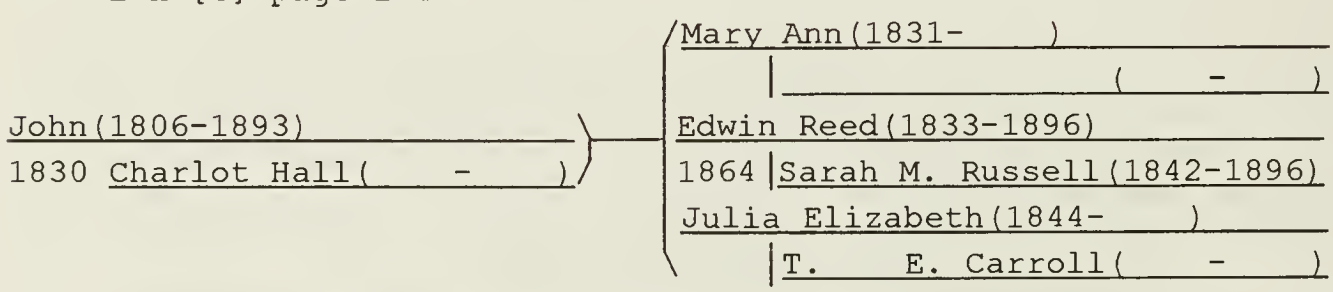
John [7]

Richard [1], George [2], Thomas [3], William [4], Benejah [5], Jedediah [6] page 174



John Sisson was born May 9, 1806. On January 9, 1830 he married Charlotte Hall. John and Charlotte had three children, probably all born in Pittsfield, Berkshire County, MA:

Mary Ann was born April 17, 1831. She married and moved to Kansas.

Edwin Reed, born January 13, 1833 is discussed on page 517.

Julia Elizabeth was born March 20, 1844. She married T. E. Carroll.

John was buried May 12, 1893 [in Pittsfield?].

We have no additional references.

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William [7]

Richard [1], George [2], Thomas [3], William [4], Benejah [5], Jedediah [6] page 174

William(1809-1875)
1831 Clarisa Race(-)

- George(1832-)
- 1854 Mary Ann Wilcox(-)
- Jane(1840-)
- 1857 Lewis Barber(-)

William Sisson was born September 7, 1809. On March 27 [intent?] or April 22, 1831 he married Clarissa Race. William and Clarissa had two children:

George, born March 28, 1832 is discussed on page 518.

Jane was born June 8, 1840. On December 21, 1857 she married Lewis Barber. They had two children.

William died June 2, 1875.

We have no additional references.

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Henry [7]

Richard [1], George [2], Thomas [3], William [4], Benejah [5], Jedediah [6] page 174

Henry(1812-1895)
1835 Lucy Howe(-)

- Henry Dwight(1836-1914)
- 1860 E Persis Spaldng(-)
- Marion G.(1839-)
- 1869 Edwin T Blodgett(-)
- Sarah J.(1846-1847)
- James S.(1851-1852)

Henry Sisson was born November 12, 1812. On October 19, 1835 he married Lucy Howe. Henry and Lucy had four children:

Henry Dwight, born December 8, 1836 is discussed on page 518.

Marion G. was born January 18, 1839. On April 26, 1868 she married Edwin T. Blodgett. Marion and Edwin had six children: Samuel Henry, March 24, 1869; Lucy Caroline, March 28, 1871; Charles, July 7, 1872 to November 28, 1877; Maud, April 18, 1874; Roy Dwight, December 11, 1878; and Laurel Down, June 11, 1882 to November 30, 1901.

Sarah J. was born August 11, 1846 and died January 14, 1847.

James S. was born March 28, 1851 and died February 5, 1852.

Henry died March 22, 1895.

Reference: (398).

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Nathan H. [7]

Richard [1], George [2], Thomas [3], William [4], Jonathan [5], William [6] page 175

Nathan H.(1809-1874)
1838 Mary A Morgan(1810-1865)

- Jane E.(1840-1925)
- 1875 Gilbert Strong(1842-1932)
- William M.(1843-1929)
- 1878 Mary Tiffany(1859-1939)

Nathan H. Sisson was born November 28, 1809 in Lyme or Ashford, CT. On October 30, 1838 in East Haddam, he married Mary Ann Morgan, daughter of Daniel and Priscilla (Burrows) Morgan. Mary was born June 29, 1810 in East Haddam, CT. Nathan and Mary had two children:

Jane E. was born December 7, 1840. She married Gilbert Strong April 7, 1875. Gilbert was born in 1842. Jane died in 1925; Gilbert died in 1932.

William M., born December 29, 1843 is discussed on page 519.

Mary died March 18, 1865 in East Haddam, CT; Nathan died December 10, 1874.

Reference: (161).

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Charles Frederick [7]

Richard [1], George [2], Thomas [3], William [4], Jonathan [5], Jonathan, Jr. [6] page 176

Charles Frederick(1815-1863)
1842 Louisa Robrts(1819-1898)

- Louisa Jane(1843-1848)
- Fanny Roberts(1846-1924)
- John Fraser(-)
- 1871 James D. Balen(1834-1915)
- Charles Henry(1847-1850)
- Frederick William(1849-1930)
- 1874 Agnes G Palmes(1849-)
- Sarah Salina(1851-1901)
- Charles(1853-1863)
- Henry(1855-1855)
- Allen(1859-1894)

Charles Frederick Sisson was born December 7, 1815 in East Haddam, CT. He was a merchant seaman until 1848 when he went into business with Nathan Paddock under the firm name "Paddock and Sisson". On February 13, 1842 he married Louisa Jane Roberts, daughter of Asha and Sarah (Paddock) Roberts. Louisa was born

January 29, 1819 in East Haddam. Charles and Louisa had eight children, probably all born East Haddam:

Louisa Jane was born June 16, 1843 and died October 23, 1848.

Fanny Roberts was born March 15, 1846. She married first John Fraser of Bay City, MI. After his death she married second October 17, 1871 James Dunlap Balen, son of Peter and Ann Maria (Dunlap) Balen. James was born September 20, 1834 in New York City. Fanny and James had a son: James Allen, May 9, 1888 to May 29, 1921. James died February 23, 1915 in Moodus, CT, at the Sisson homestead known as The Hemlock. Fanny died January 26, 1924 in Moodus.

Charles Henry was born February 13, 1847 and died December 8, 1850. He is buried in East Haddam.

Frederick William, born November 26, 1849 is discussed on page 519.

Sarah Salina was born July 13, 1851 and died August 28, 1901.

Charles was born February 27, 1853 and died May 28, 1863.

Henry was born May 4, 1855 and died September 9 that same year.

Allen was born August 6, 1859 and died January 7, 1894.

Charles Frederick died May 28, 1863 [the same day as son Charles]. Louisa died April 2, 1898; both died in Moodus.

References: (11); Vol. III, pp.5, 67-8; (334).

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John [7]

Richard [1], George [2], Thomas [3], William [4], Jonathan [5], Jonathan, Jr. [6] page 176

John(1827-1856) ⟩ <John Franklin(1851-)
1851 Catherine A. Sluman(-) ⟩

John Sisson was born July 22, 1827. On March 2, 1851 he married Catherine Ann Sluman. They lived in Norwich, NY. John and Catherine had a son:

John Franklin was born November 29, 1851.

John died September 7, 1856.

References: (157) Vol. 90; (258).

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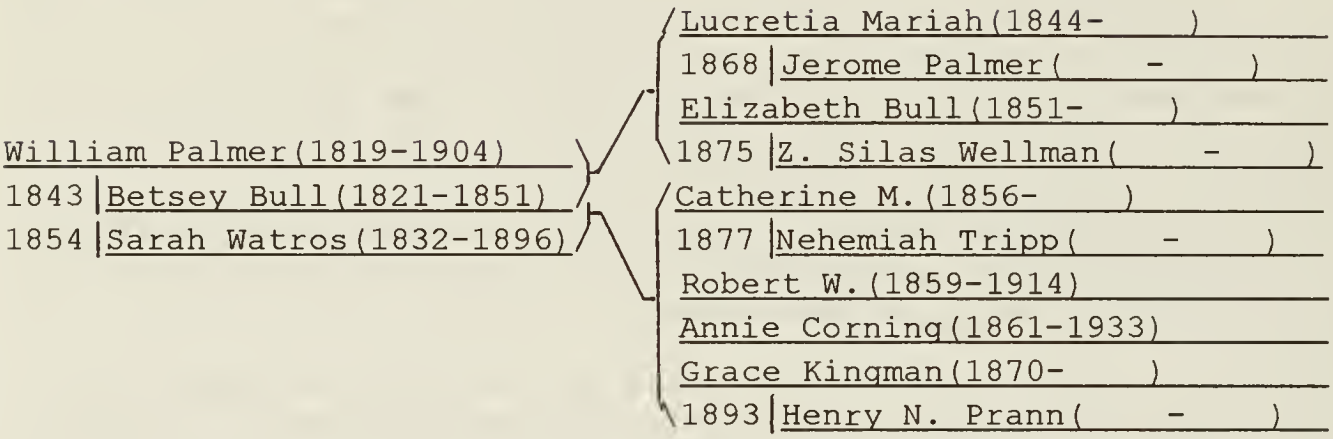
William Palmer [7]

Richard [1], George [2], Thomas [3], William [4], Jonathan [5] Oliver [6] page 176



William Palmer Sisson was born February 28, 1819 in Ellington, CT. He was a Baptist. In his early years he worked in the quarries in Deep River, CT. Later he became a farmer in Essex, CT, and a pioneer in cranberry growing. On October 15, 1843 in Westbrook, CT, he married first Betsey Kirtland Bull, daughter of John and Betsey (Brooks) Bull. Betsey was born May 19, 1821 in Ellington. William and Betsey had two daughters, both born in Essex:

Lucretia Mariah was born circa 1844. In 1868 she married Jerome Palmer. They had a daughter and were living in Stonington, CT, in 1904.

Elizabeth Bull was born circa 1851. On May 24, 1875 she married Z. Silas Wellman. They were living in Clinton, CT, in 1904. Elizabeth died after 1914.

Betsey died in May, 1851 in Ellington. In 1854 William married second Sarah A. Watrous. Sarah was born circa 1832 in Deep River. In the 1860 census William is shown with real estate value of $2,000 and personal property valued at $2,000. In the 1870 census he had real estate of $2,500 and personal of $500. William and Sarah had four children, all born in Essex:

Catherine M. "Cathe" or "Kate", was born circa 1856. On November 15, 1877 in Essex she married Nehemiah Tripp. Nehemiah was born in Essex.

Robert W. was born February 10, 1859. He was living on his father's farm in 1904. He died July 26, 1914 in Essex and is buried there in the Nott Cemetery.

Annie Corning was born September 7, 1861. She was also living on her father's farm in 1904. Annie died February 3, 1933, in Essex.

Grace Kingman was born July 21, 1870. On November 22, 1893 in Essex she married Henry N. Prann.

Sarah died circa 1896. William died September 28, 1904 in Essex. He is buried there in Centerbrook Cemetery.

References: William's Death Certificate and obituary; (271); (399) Vol. 1, p.7; (400) Vol. 2, p.320 & Vol. 3, pp.126-7 & Vol. 5, p.119; (401) p.88; (402) 1860, 1870 and 1880.

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Joshua Gorton [7]

Richard [1], George [2], Thomas [3], William [4], Thomas [5], Joshua Cottrell [6] page 177

Joshua Gorton(1822-1879)
1844 | Ruhannah Lewis(-1848)
1849 | Louisa Clarke(1826-1870)
1872 | Adaline Chesbrogh(1824-)

Alice L.(1851-)
1872 | George Hall(-)
Harriet L.(1855-)
Arthur C.(1856-)
1890 | Kate Johnsn(-)
Martha J.(1859-)

Joshua Gorton Sisson was born February 13, 1822 in Plainsfield, Otsego County, NY. On September 6, 1844 he married first Ruhannah Lewis, daughter of Nathaniel Lewis. Ruhannah died August 23, 1848 in Plainsfield. On December 12, 1849 Joshua married second Louisa Clarke, daughter of Nelson and Roswell ( ) Clarke. Louisa was born in 1826. Joshua and Louisa had four children, the first three born in Plainsfield and the last in Brookfield, NY:

Alice L. was born January 23, 1851. On December 3, 1872 in Brookfield she married George H. Hall. They lived in Unadilla Forks.

Harriet L. was born March 6, 1855.

Arthur C. was born July 25, 1856. In April, 1890 in Brookfield, he married Kate Johnson.

Martha J. was born October 7, 1859.

Louisa died November 23, 1870. On January 15, 1872 in Leonardsville, Joshua married third Adaline Cheesborough, a widow. Adaline was born February 14, 1824. Joshua died July 20, 1879.

References: (35); (157) Vol. 10; (261).

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Luther Spencer [7]

Richard [1], George [2], Thomas [3], William [4], Thomas [5], Joshua Cottrell [6] page 177

Luther Spencer(1824-1887)
1851 | Mary E. Loomis(1827-1899)

Frances(1852-1928)
Justis(-)
Kittie(1852-)
Mary(1855-)
Henry(1861-)
Hattie(1862-)
Ella(1863-1868)
Lelia(1871-1938)
Clayton(1876-)

Luther Spencer Sisson was born June 13, 1824 in Plainfield, NY. Luther sold "one-quarter square foot" of land to William Johnson for $5 on November 8, 1849. On March 6, 1851 in Unadilla, NY, he married Mary Eliza Loomis (or Lumice), daughter of Henry Loomis. Mary was born February 27, 1827 in Plainfield. Luther is probably the machinist listed in the Otsego County, NY, 1880 census. Luther and Mary had eight children:

Frances "Frankie" was born February 5, 1852. She married a Mr. Justis. Frances died in 1928 and is buried in Burlington Falls Cemetery, Otsego County.

Kittie, a twin to Frances, is also buried in Burlington Falls Cemetery.

Mary was born July 12, 1855 and is also buried in Burlington Falls Cemetery.

Henry, born April 22, 1861 is also buried in Burlington Falls Cemetery.

Hattie was born in 1862.

Ella was born December 15, 1863. She died January 30, 1868 and is buried in Burlington Falls Cemetery.

Lelia was born July 10, 1871 and died January 16, 1938. She is buried in Burlington Falls Cemetery.

Clayton was born August 5, 1876 and is buried in Burlington Falls Cemetery.

Luther died May 16, 1887; Mary died March 27, 1899, in Burlington Falls and is buried in the Cemetery there.

References: Luther's father's will; (157) Vol. 10; (403) 1800.

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Albert Lee [7]

Richard [1], George [2], Thomas [3], William [4], Thomas [5], Daniel Lee [6] page 179

Albert Lee(1817-1886)
1845 | Ellen Miller(1820-1848)
1852 | Mary Gorton(1824-1898)

- Albert Gorton(1853-1894)
- Mary Elizabeth(1855-1884)
  1881 | William J Fuller(1854-1890)
- Frederick Henry(1859-)
  1894 | Helen C. Howard(1859-)
- Carrie Hattie(1862-)
- Florence Anna(1868-1888)

Albert Lee Sisson was born November 8, 1817 in Bloomfield, CT. He was a butcher. On May 5, 1845 he married first Ellen Lucretia Miller. Ellen was born December 11, 1820 in Waterford, CT. Ellen died September 20, 1848. Albert married second May 12, 1852 Mary Ann Gorton. Mary was born November 6, 1824 in Westerly, RI. Albert and Mary had five children, probably all born in Hartford, CT.:

Albert Gorton was born February 1, 1853 and died October 4, 1894 in Brooklyn, NY.

Mary Elizabeth was born July 8, 1855. On January 26, 1881 she married William James Fuller. William was born March 28, 1854. Mary and William had a son: William James, March 11, 1884.

Apparently Mary died in childbirth, March 11, 1884. William died February 2, 1890 in Hartford.

Frederick Henry, born November 26, 1859 is discussed on page 520.

Carrie Hattie was born May 1, 1862.

Florence Anna was born March 23, 1868 and died August 7, 1888 in Hartford.

Albert Lee died October 4, 1886; Mary Ann died April 4, 1898, both in Hartford.

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Thomas [7]

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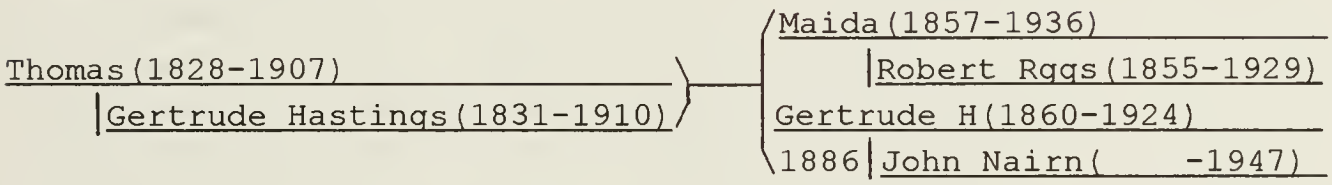

Thomas Sisson was born June 15, 1828, in West Hartfort, CT. He owned a wholesale drug business and was a director of the Connecticut Mutual Life Insurance Company and First National Bank among others, in Hartford. He married Gertrude L. Hastings. Gertrude was born August 4, 1831, in Suffield, CT. They were Baptists; he was a Republican. Thomas and Gertrude had two daughters, both born in Hartford:

Maida was born October 29, 1857. She married Dr. Robert B. Riggs, a chemistry professor at Trinity College. Robert was born May 22, 1855. They had no children. Robert died May 11, 1929; Maida died in 1936; both died in Hartford.

Gertrude Hastings was born October 2, 1860. On November 19, 1886 in Asylum Avenue Baptist Church, Hartford, Gertrude married John James "Jack" Nairn of Washington, D.C. They were married by Rev. Dr. George M. Stone. They resided in D.C. until Jack went into the drug business for her father. Around 1906 they moved to Wagon Mound, NM, possibly for his health. They had no children. The Nairns built a large adobe hacienda in Cimarron, NM, named "Casa del Gavilan" where they resided until they died. Gertrude died May 20, 1924 while vacationing in Santa Barbara, CA. Jack died in 1947. Their ashes are buried in Cimarron, even though her headstone is in Hartford.

Thomas died May 1, 1907. Gertrude died April 25, 1910. Both died in Hartford and are buried in Cedar Hill Cemetery. Their obituaries are reported in the "Hartford Courant" newspaper.

References: Clippings courtesy of Connecticut Historical Society, Judith Ellen Johnson, 1997; (405) Vol. 2, p.44 [wedding].

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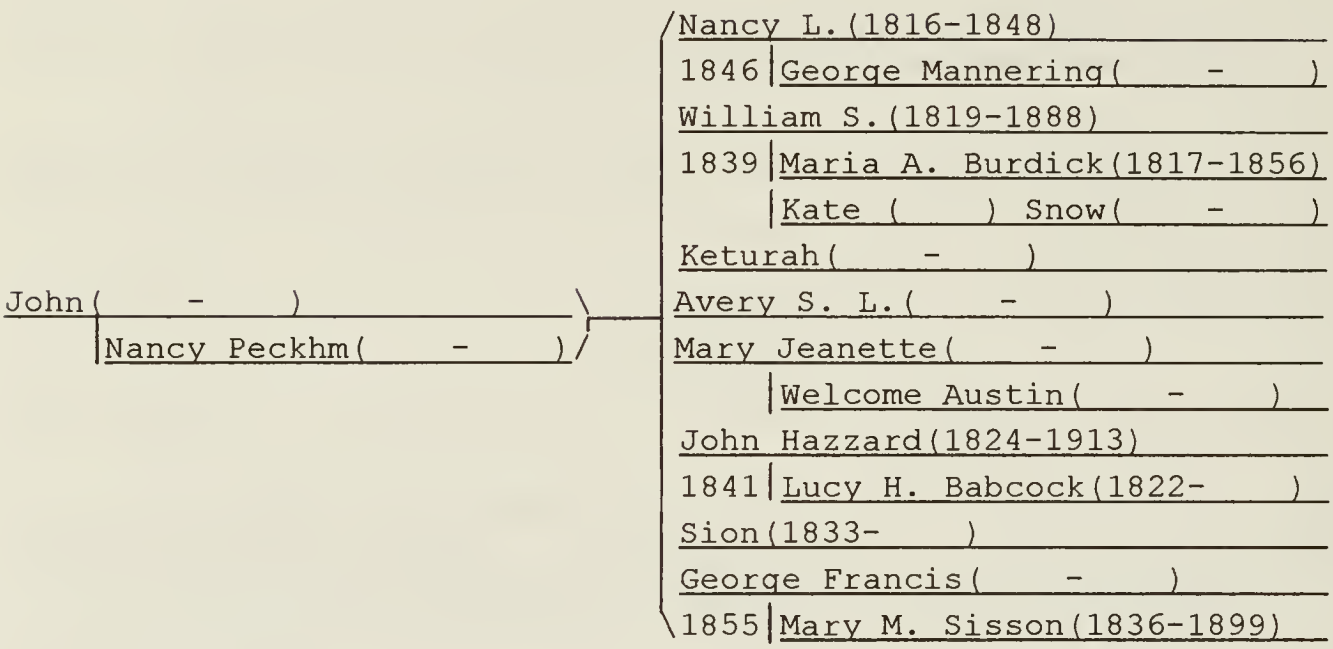
John [7]

Richard [1], George [2], Thomas [3], Thomas Freeman [4], John [5], Sion [6] page 180



John Sisson was born about 1796 in Westerly, RI. John did not move to New York with his parents in 1829/30. He married Nancy Peckham. John and Nancy had eight children:

Nancy L. was born in 1816. She is probably the Nancy admitted to First Baptist Church, Westerly, September 1, 1838. On January 9, 1846 she married George Mannering. Nancy died May 8, 1848.

William S., born in 1819 is discussed on page 520.

Keturah was born about 1820 and died at age 20.

Avery S. L. was born about 1821 and died young.

Mary Jeanette was born about 1822. She married Welcome Austin. They lived in Alfred, NY.

John Hazzard, born March 27, 1824 is discussed on page 521.

Sion was born May 7, 1833 in Westerly. He was admitted to the First Baptist Church, Westerly, April 1, 1855. He was reported as not married; or this may be the Sion A. of Westerly who married Mrs. Matilda Adams of North Stonington, CT, January 4, 1879. Ref: (7) 11:173.

George Francis was born about 1834 in Stonington.. On November 15, 1855 in Stonington he married Mary Matilda Sisson, born January 6, 1836 daughter of Peleg and Lois (Gavitt) Sisson, see page 186. "Mary Matilda, wife of George" was admitted to the First Baptist Church, Westerly, April 23, 1853. George was admitted April 1 and baptized April 8, 1855. Mary died in September, 1899 in Westerly.

References: (7) 11:232; (14) Vol. 9, p.223 [shows Zion].

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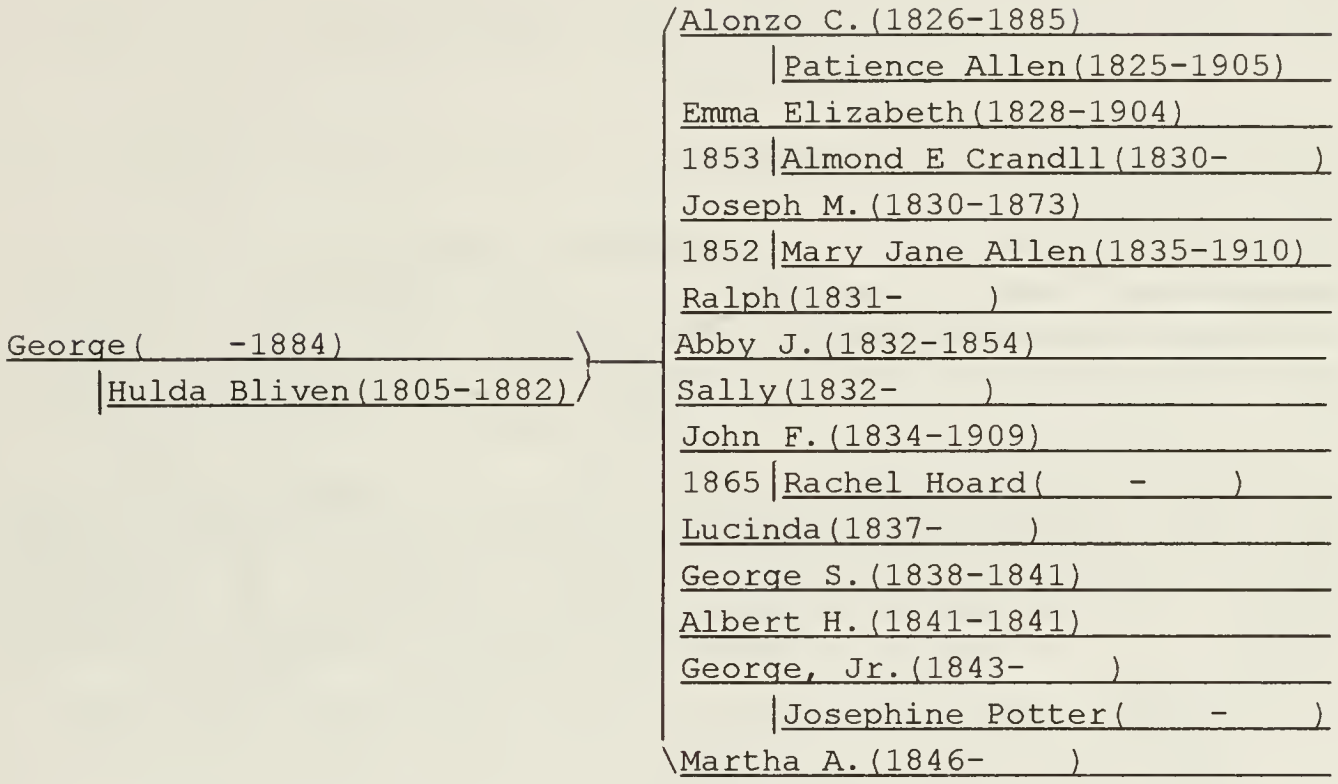
George [7]

Richard [1], George [2], Thomas [3], Thomas Freeman [4], John [5], Sion [6] page 180



George Sisson was born about 1797 in Westerly, RI. George married Hulda Bliven, daughter of Jonathan B. and Amy ( ) Bliven. Hulda was born in 1805 in Westerly. Circa 1829 the family moved to Allegheny County, NY. George was listed as a farmer in the Alfred, Allegheny County, NY, 1850 census. They are mentioned in a will dated 1832 in Westerly. George and Hulda had twelve children; the first two were born in Rhode Island, the rest in New York:

Alonzo C., born circa 1826 is discussed on page 521.

Emma Elizabeth was born in 1828. On January 22, 1853 (or 1850) she married Almond E. Crandall, son of Amos Crandall. Almond was born January 26, 1830 in Almond, NY. He was a merchant and banker. Emma and Almond had two children: Herbert Linwood, December 30, 1862; and Jessie Weil, August 24, 1873, married Charles Post. Emma died in March, 1904.

Joseph M., born circa 1830 is discussed on page 522.

Ralph was born circa 1831.

Abby J. was born March 18, 1832 in Alfred and died August 31, 1854.

Sally was born circa 1832.

John F., born in 1834 is discussed on page 522.

Lucinda was born in 1837.

George S. was born December 16, 1838 and died May 30, 1841.

Albert H. was born August 18, 1841 and died five days later.

George, Jr. was born in 1843. He was living in Alfred in 1850 and later married Josephine Potter. George and Josephine had a son: George Deforest, married August 21, 1910 Cora Adell Ferry.

Martha A. was born in 1846.

George and Hulda are mentioned in a will dated 1832 [Westerly Probate 3B:527]. Hulda died April 12, 1882; George died November 29, 1884. Both are buried in Dansville, NY.

References: (14) Vol. 5, p.312; (199); (263) p.576.

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Asa W. [7]

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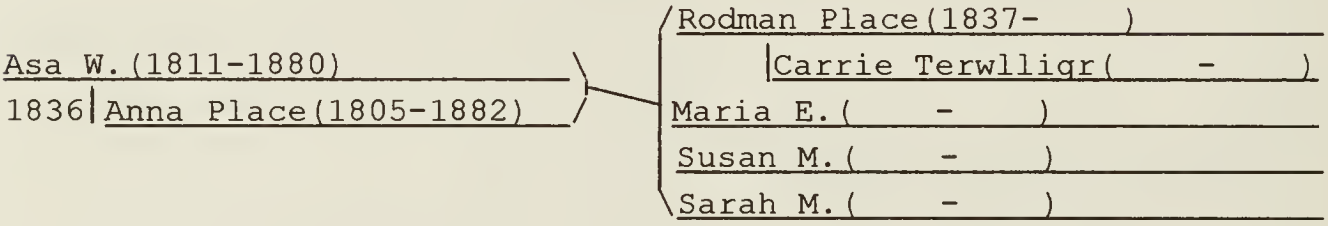

Asa W. Sisson was born August 25, 1811, in Westerly, RI. On January 9, 1836 he married Anna "Amy" Place, daughter of Rodman and Sally (Stillman) Place. Anna was born November 3, 1805 in Rensselaer, NY. Asa was listed as a farmer in the Alfred, Allegheny County, NY, 1850 census. Asa and Anna had four children, all born in New York:

Rodman Place, born June 30, 1837 is discussed on page 523.
Maria E. was born about 1839.
Susan M. was born about 1843.
Sarah M. was born about 1845.

Asa died September 11, 1880 in Almond, NY. Anna died August 3, 1882.

We have no additional references.

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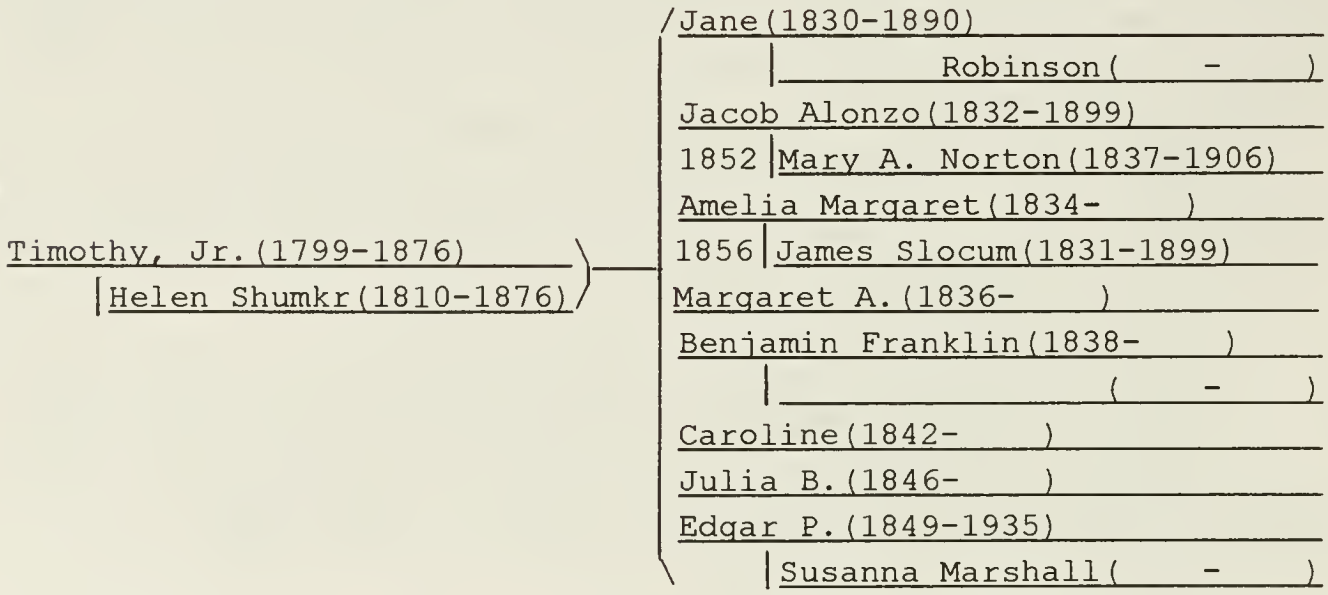
Timothy, Jr. [7]

Richard [1], George [2], Thomas [3], Peleg [4], Peleg, Jr. [5], Timothy [6] page 181



Timothy Sisson, Jr., was born June 12, 1799 in New York. Data on Timothy, Jr., has at times been combined with data for his father. He was a blacksmith, gardener and farmer. In 1825 he lived in Greenfield, NY. He married Helen Schumaker. Helen was born August 11, 1810 in New York. The family was living in South Glens Falls, NY, in 1871. Timothy and Helen had eight children:

Jane was born March 9, 1830. She married Mr. Robinson and died April 20, 1890.

Jacob Alonzo, born in 1832 in South Glens Falls is discussed on page 523.

Amelia Margaret was born August 27, 1834. On August 27, 1856 in Glens Falls, she married James Slocum, son of James and Elizabeth (Andrews) Slocum. James was born in 1831 and was a merchant and banker. He was the president of the Bank of Norwood. The family moved to Minnesota Territory. Amelia and James had seven children: Helen Elizabeth, June 10, 1857, married Mr. Herensmeyer; James Chauncey, July 6, 1859 to September 19, 1864; Elsie Ranselia, March 4, 1861; Clarence Hill, December 20, 1865, married Miss Gulick; Albert McWright, February 15, 1869, married Miss Apgar; James, March 24, 1871 to May 13, 1879; and Grace Elvira, February 24, 1876, married Mr. Newcombe. Father James died August 27, 1899 in Minneapolis, MN. Ref: (137).

Margaret A. was born circa 1836.

Benjamin Franklin, born circa 1838 in Saratoga County, NY, is discussed on page 524.

Caroline was born circa 1842.

Julia B. was born circa 1846.

Edgar P., born in February, 1849 in Saratoga County is discussed on page 524.

The 1860 census shows children Julia and Edgar at home and Timothy as a riverman. The 1870 census shows Edgar P. at home and both and he and Timothy as gardeners. Helen died February 25, 1876. Timothy died December 17, 1876 in South Glens Falls.

References: (35); (267) p.310; (406); (407) 1850, 1860, & 1870.

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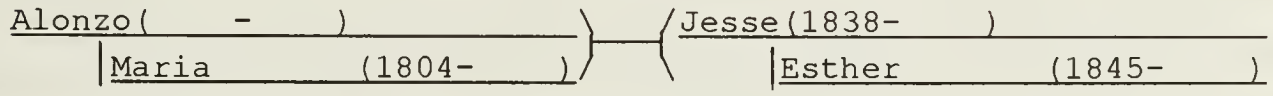
Alonzo [7]

Richard [1], George [2], Thomas [3], Peleg [4], Peleg, Jr. [5], Timothy [6] page 181



Alonzo Sisson was born about 1802. He married Maria ( ). Maria was born circa 1804. They lived in Pinckney Township, Lewis County, NY. They had a son:

Jesse, born in 1838 in New York is discussed on page 525.

We have no additional references.

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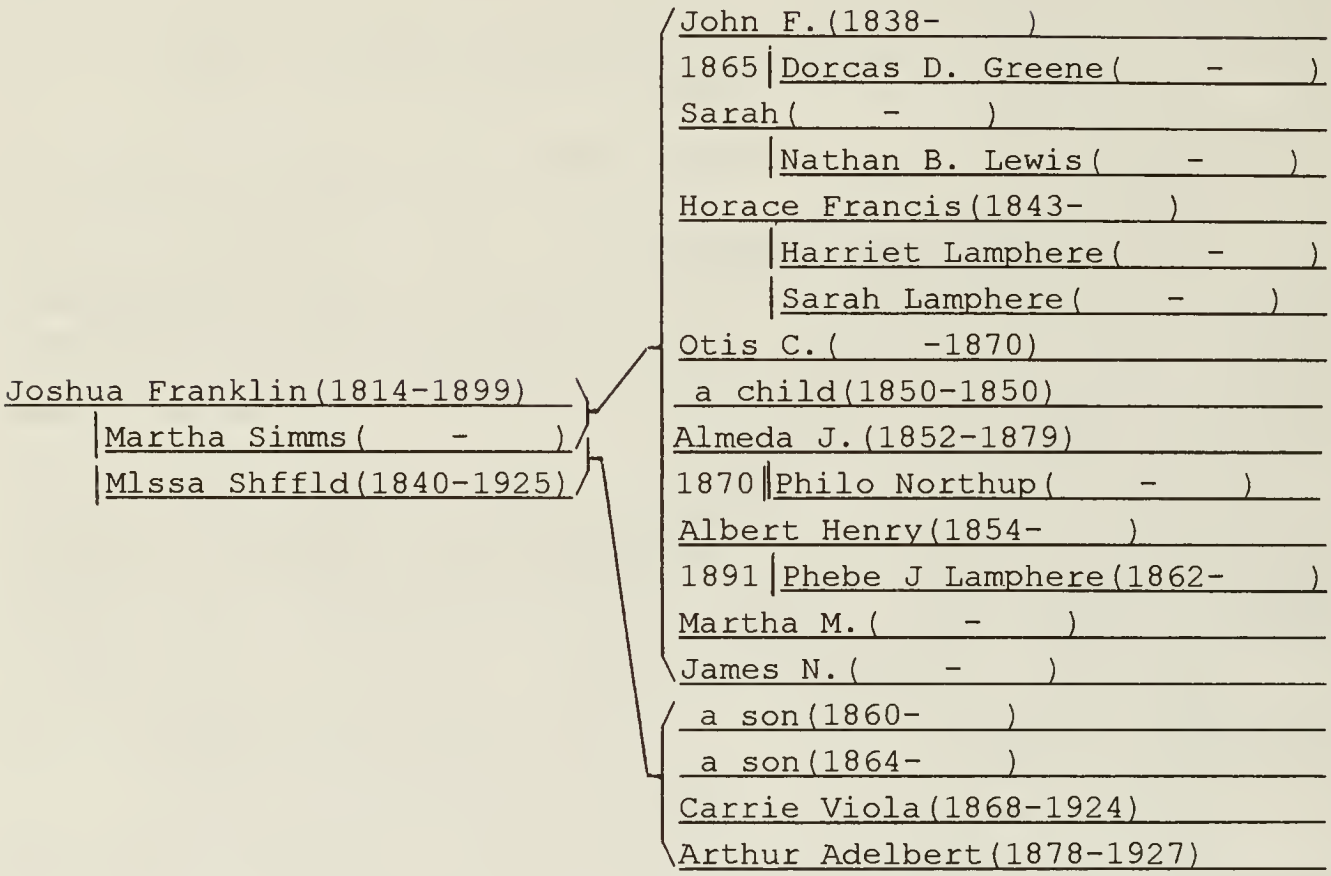
Joshua Franklin [7]

Richard [1], George [2], Thomas [3], Peleg [4], Peleg, Jr. [5], Joshua [6] page 181



Joshua Franklin Sisson was born September 28, 1814 in Westerly, RI. He married first Martha Simms. Joshua and Martha had eleven children including three infants who died young:

John F., born circa 1838 in Westerly is discussed on page 525.

Sarah was born about 1840. She married Nathan Barber Lewis, son of James and Mary (Sisson) Lewis page 184. Nathan's mother, Mary, was a second cousin to his wife Sarah. Apparently Sarah died before 1880, for Nathan married second August 15, 1880 Nettie B. Chester, daughter of Oliver B. and Frances E. (Sisson) Chester. Frances was the sister of Mary, and therefore Nathan's aunt.

Horace Francis was born in 1843. He married first Harriet Lamphere and second Sarah Lamphere, daughters of Prentice and Maria C. (Sisson) Lamphere, his first cousins.

Otis C. was born about 1846. He was not married. He was a sailor and drowned December 2, 1870 in Taunton River, age 24.

Probably a child died August 24, 1850, age three months and is buried at Christ Church, Westerly.

Almeda J. was born February 26 (or 29), 1852 in Westerly. On October 27, 1870 in Westerly she married Philo Northrup, son of Abraham and Frances ( ) Northup of East Greenwich. Almeda died June 12 (or 13), 1879 in North Kingston, RI.

Albert Henry, born in 1854 is discussed on page 526.

Martha M. was born about 1856.

James N. was born about 1858.

Joshua enlisted at Stonington, CT, August 13, 1862 and was discharged September 20, that same year. Apparently Martha died and Joshua married second Melissa R. (Sheffield) Bliven, daughter of Edward and Sally A. ( ) Sheffield. Melissa was born in 1840/1. Joshua and Melissa had five children:

Two sons probably died as infants, one born February 3, 1860 and the other March 21, 1864. One may have been named Artemus.

Carrie Viola was born March 6, 1868 in North Kingston. She was not married and died October 29, 1924 in East Greenwich.

Arthur Adelbert was born January 3, 1878 in East Greenwich. Birth records there state that he was the fifth child of Joshua and Melissa. Arthur was not married and died April 18, 1927 at Cranston, RI. He is buried in State Farm Cemetery, lot #514.

Joshua died December 26, 1899 in East Greenwich. Melissa died July 2, 1925 in Cranston, RI.

References: (7) 5:134 & 11:142; (11) Vol. III, p.6; (14) Vol. 9, pp.219, 222; (408) p.219, Ref. 48/49.

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Albert L. [7]

Richard [1], George [2], Thomas [3], Peleg [4], Peleg, Jr. [5], Joshua [6] page 181

Albert L. (1820-) m. 1839 Martha Brdfrd(-)

- Alexander B. (1841-1875) m. Sarah Rose(-)
- an infant(-)
- Lorenzo(-)
- Albert L., Jr. (1849-1930) m. (-)
- Amos P.(-) m. 1875 Mary E. Lewis(-)
- Jesse W.(-) m. Harriet Ashford(-)
- an infant(-)
- Lorenzo(-) m. Hannah Rodman(-)

Albert L. Sisson was born July 13, 1820. On March 26, 1839 he married Martha Bradford. Albert and Martha had eight children:

Alexander B. was born in 1841 in Westerly. He married Sarah Rose. He died September 23, 1875 in Westerly, before Sarah.

An unnamed infant was born about 1843.

The first Lorenzo was born about 1847 and died young.

Albert L., Jr., was born March 27, 1849 in Westerly. He was married but we do not know his wife's name. Albert died July 3, 1930 a widower, in Cranston, RI. He is buried in Westerly.

Amos P., born about 1850 is discussed on page 526.

Jesse W. was born about 1853. He married Harriet Ashford.

Another unnamed infant was born about 1855.

The second Lorenzo, born about 1857 is discussed on page 526.

References: (14) Vol. 2, p.148, Vol. 9, p.219.

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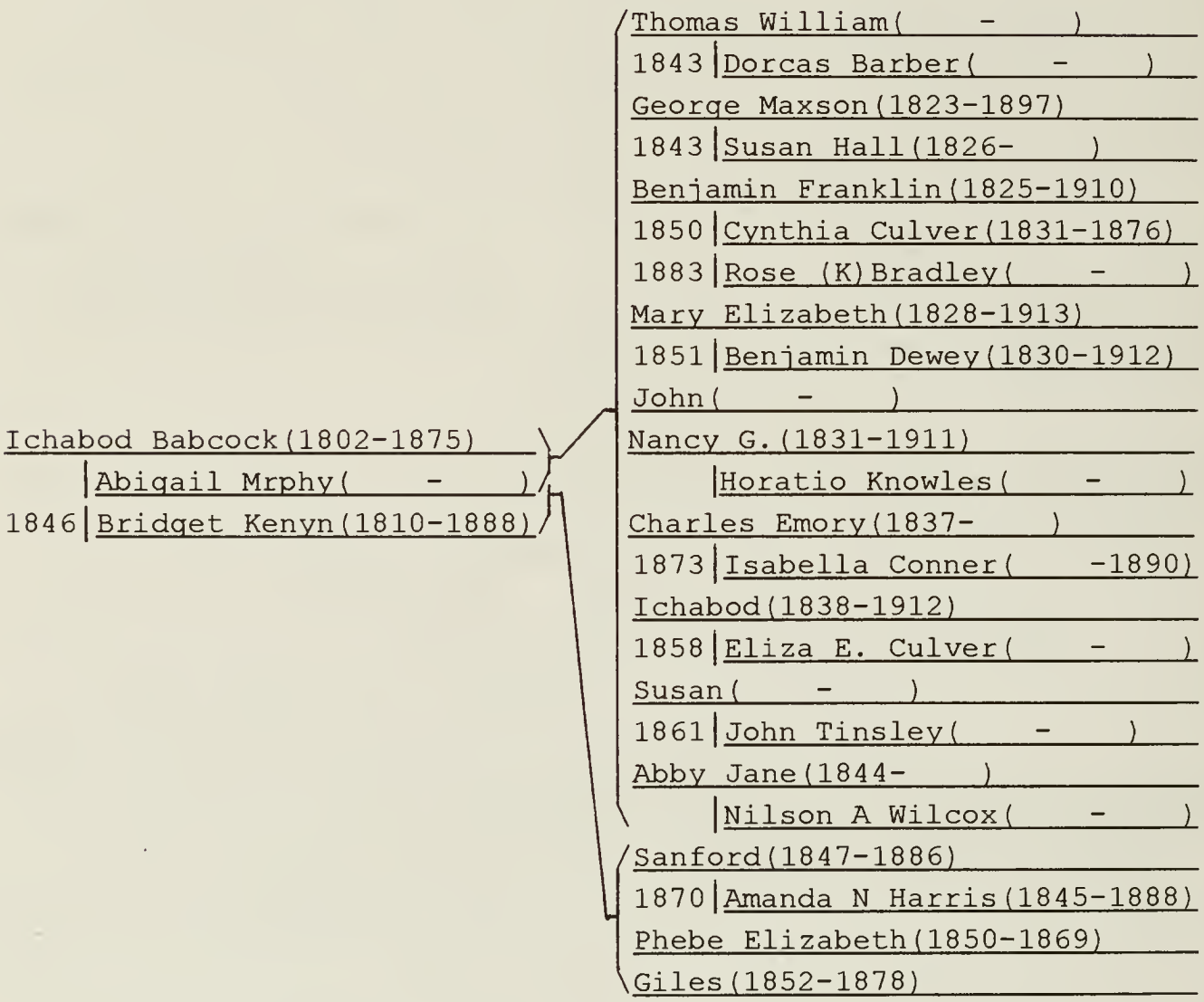
Ichabod Babcock [7]

Richard [1], George [2], Thomas [3], Peleg [4], Peleg, Jr. [5], Gilbert [6] page 183



Ichabod Babcock Sisson was the son of Phebe (Simms) Babcock Sisson, but took his stepfather Gilbert's name on December 27, 1821 in Westerly Births, Book 4, p.473. Ichabod was born January 3, 1802. He married first Abigail J. Murphy, daughter of Smith and Abigail (Wilson) Murphy. Ichabod and Abigail had eight children, all born in Westerly:

Thomas William, born about 1822 is discussed on page 527.

George Maxson, born November 18, 1823 is discussed on page 528.

Benjamin F., born September 30, 1825 is discussed on page 529.

Mary Elizabeth was born November 15, 1828. On November 23, 1851 in Westerly she married Benjamin Franklin Dewey, son of Champlin and Deborah ( ) Dewey. Benjamin was born in 1830 in South Kingston. They lived in East Greenwich and had three

daughters and two sons; one is recorded in East Greenwich in 1862. Benjamin died April 5, 1912; Mary died August 16, 1913. They are buried in Washington County, RI. Ref: (52) 4:59.

John was born about 1830 and died at age 8.

Nancy G. was born January 25, 1831 in Westerly. She married Horatio Knowles. Nancy and Horatio lived in Wakefield, RI, and had three children: Nancy Mary; Edward, who died April 12, 1904; and Herbert, who was superintendent of L.S.S. [Life Saving Station?] in Rhode Island. Nancy died a widow November 2, 1911 in South Kingston.

Charles Emory, born about 1835 is discussed on page 530.

Ichabod, born November 26, 1838 is discussed on page 530.

Susan was born about 1840. On March 31, 1861 in Rock Brook, RI, she married John Tinsley. Susan and John had three children: Charles; Jennie; and a daughter.

Abby Jane was born March 2, 1844. She married Nilson A. Wilcox.

Ichabod married second December 27, 1846 Bridget (Sisson) Kenyon, widow of Jacob Kenyon and daughter of Sanford and Elizabeth (Chapman) Sisson, see page 89. They were married in Westerly by Rev. Oliver P. Tuckerman. Bridget was born in 1810. Ichabod and Bridget had three children, all born in Westerly:

Sanford was born December 31, 1847. He married Amanda Nancy Harris, daughter of Noyes Palmer and Emily ( ) Harris of Chicago, IL, on July 20, 1870 in Westerly. Amanda was born in 1845 in Ledyard, CT. Sanford died August 4, 1886; Amanda died March 19, 1888. Both died in Westerly.

Phebe Elizabeth was born in 1850. She was not married and died May 25, 1869 in Westerly.

Giles was born March 25, 1852. He died unmarried May 21, 1878 in Westerly.

Other children have also been reported: William S., Libbeus, and Eunice. Ichabod died June 29, 1875; Bridget died July 22, 1888; both died in Westerly.

References: (7) 5:60 & 11:41; (11) Vol. III, pp.7-8; (14) Vol. 2, pp.148-9 & Vol. 3, p.252 & Vol. 9, pp.221-3.

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John Bixby [7]

Richard [1], George [2], Thomas [3], Peleg [4], Peleg, Jr. [5], Gilbert [6] page 183

John Bixby(1823-1906)
1850 | Cynthia Sissn(1825-1888)

Francis Marshall(1851-1895)
1875 | Ellen Mullen(-1895)
Arthur Keeney(1853-1903)
Fannie Celinda(1856-1872)
Jessie B.(1860-)
| Eugene Sullivan(-)
Annabelle Lincoln(1864-1933)
1886 | George S Clarke(1865-1954)
1893 | Thomas A. Gould(1864-)

John Bixby Sisson was born in August, 1823 in Hopkinton, RI. On January 14/20, 1850 in Westerly he married Cynthia E. Sisson, daughter of Barnabas, Jr., and Lydia (West) Sisson, see page 187. Cynthia was born in 1825 in Windham, CT. They lived in Milltown, CT. John and Cynthia had five children:

Francis Marshall, born circa 1851 is discussed on page 531.

Arthur Keeney was born circa 1853. He was not married and died in 1903.

Fannie Celinda was born in 1856 and died October 26, 1872.

Jessie B. was born circa 1860. She married Eugene Sullivan.

Annabelle Lincoln was born July 30, 1864 in North Stonington, CT. On October 4, 1886 she married first George Steadman Clarke. He was born April 26, 1865 in Stonington, son of Weeden and Lydia (Davis) Clarke. Annabelle and George had a son: George Steadman, Jr, April 28, 1887, married Mary Alice Denison. [These are ancestors of Mary (Clarke) Walker, Honolulu, HI.] Annabelle was granted a divorce November 24, 1894. She married second on December 25, 1893 Thomas Andrew Gould, son of William J. and Helen Louisa (Howe) Gould. Thomas was born October 2, 1864 in West Brookfield, Worcester County, MA. They lived in North Stonington. Thomas was the grandson of John B.'s sister Almira and John Gould; Annabelle was the niece of Almira. Annabelle and Thomas had twin sons: Albert and Arthur, 1898. Annabelle died in North Stonington August 25, 1933 and is buried in Wheeler Cemetery.

On November 9, 1870 John gave bond as administrator of his father's estate. In the 1870 census John, Francis and Arthur worked in a woolen mill. Cynthia died October 16, 1888; John died July 28, 1906, both in North Stonington and are buried there.

References: (11) Vol. III, pp.7-8; (14) Vol. 9, p.221; (409) 1870; (410); (411).

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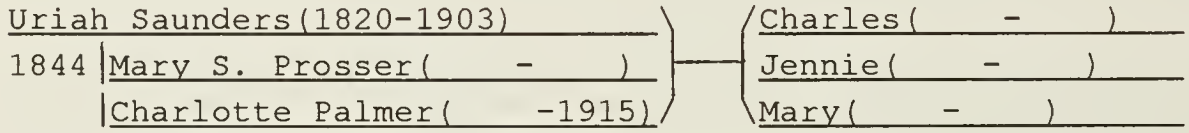
Uriah Saunders [7]

Richard [1], George [2], Thomas [3], Peleg [4], Peleg, Jr. [5], Lodowick [6] page 184



Uriah Saunders Sisson was born February 12, 1820. Uriah is mentioned in his grandfather Uriah Saunders' will dated August 15, 1831 and proved April 6, 1835. He married first September 2, 1844 in Westerly, RI, Mary S. Prosser. They both lived in Hopkinton, RI, at the time and were married by Rev. Alexander Campbell. Uriah married second Charlotte Palmer. We do not know the mother(s) of his three children:

Charles was born about 1848.

Jennie was born about 1851.

Mary was born about 1854.

Uriah died January 12, 1903; Charlotte died April 4, 1915. Both are buried in Hopkinton.

References: (7) 5:60; (14) Vol. 3, p.252; (40) p.288.

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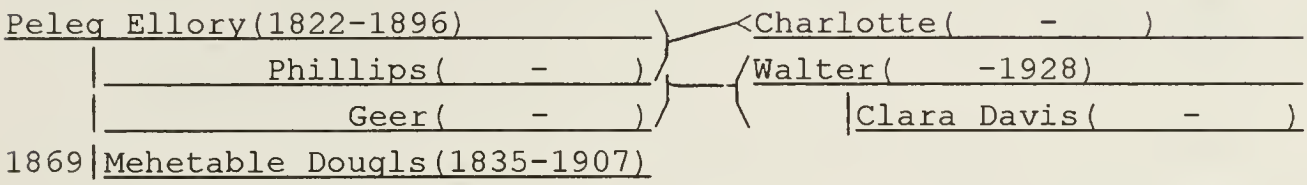
Peleg Ellory [7]

Richard [1], George [2], Thomas [3], Peleg [4], Peleg, Jr. [5], Lodowick [6] page 184



Peleg Ellory/Ellery Sisson was born May 20, 1822 in Hopkinton, Washington County, RI. He is mentioned in his grandfather Uriah Saunders' will of 1835. He married first Miss Phillips. She and Peleg had a daughter:

Charlotte was born about 1847.

Peleg married second Miss Geer and had a son:

Walter, born about 1850 is discussed on page 532.

Peleg married third March 9, 1869 Mehetable A. (Salisbury) Douglas, a widow. She was the daughter of Joseph B. and Lydia A. ( ) Salisbury. Mehetable was born in 1835. Peleg died June 22, 1896 in Charlestown; Mehetable died March 7, 1907; both are buried in Richmond, RI.

References: (14) Vol. 2, p.148 & Vol. 3, p.252; (40) p.288; (217) p.450 [third marriage].

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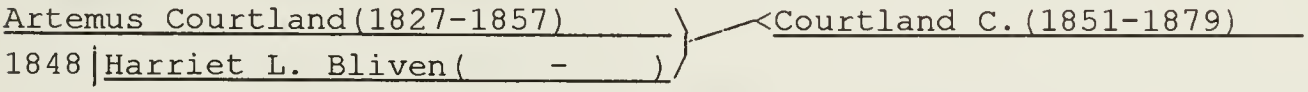
Artemus Courtland [7]

Richard [1], George [2], Thomas [3], Peleg [4], Peleg, Jr. [5], Peleg, III [6] page 186



Artemus Courtland Sisson was born January 27, 1827 in Westerly, RI. On November 19, 1848 in Stonington he married Harriet L. Bliven. Artemus and Harriet had a son:

Courtland C. was born in September, 1851 and died March 18, 1879. He was born and died in Westerly.

Artemus died December 19, 1857.

Reference: (14) Vol. 9, p.220.

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Peleg Denison [7]

Richard [1], George [2], Thomas [3], Peleg [4], Peleg, Jr. [5], Peleg, III [6] page 186

Peleg Denison(1829-1895) \ /William Alfred(1854-1922)
1850 Mary J Holmes(-) / \ Sophia Kilkenny(-)

Peleg Denison Sisson was born February 17, 1829 in Westerly, RI. On November 10, 1850 he married Mary Jane Holmes. Peleg and Mary had a son:

William Alfred, born in 1854 is discussed on page 533.

Peleg died August 11, 1895.

Reference: (412).

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Dudley Franklin [7]

Richard [1], George [2], Thomas [3], Peleg [4], Peleg, Jr. [5], Peleg, III [6] page 186

Dudley Franklin(1831-1866) \ /Artemas F.(1854-1886)
1851 Jane E. Hill(1829-1892) / \ Lucretia Quimby(1853-1889)

Dudley Franklin Sisson was born March 19, 1831. He was admitted to the First Baptist Church, Westerly, January 1, 1843. He was excluded April 29, 1844 and restored July 31, 1858. On July 13, 1851 "at Peleg Sisson's house" he married Jane Elizabeth Hill. Jane was born circa 1829. She was admitted to the same church March 2, 1850 as "Jane Hill". Dudley and Jane had a son:

Artemas F., born in June, 1854 is discussed on page 533.

Dudley was a soldier in the Civil War. He died November 25, 1866 and is buried at River Bend Cemetery, Westerly. Jane transferred by letter to Pawcatuck Congregational Church July 2, 1871. Jane died February 4, 1892 in Pawcatuck.

References: (7) 11:232, 367.

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Edwin [7]

Richard [1], George [2], Thomas [3], Peleg [4], Joseph [5], William [6] page 188

Edwin(-) \ /Jennie(-)
Emma Barber(-) / \ Charles Maryott(-)

Edwin Sisson was born about 1825. He married Emma Barber, daughter of Captain M. and Mary ( ) Barber. Edwin and Emma had one daughter. She is perhaps the stepdaughter of Edwin:

Jennie was born about 1850. She married Charles Maryott.

We have no additional references.

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James Mattison [7]

Richard [1], George [2], Thomas [3], Peleg [4], Joseph [5], James [6] page 189

James Mattison(-) + Lydia West(-) < James(-)

James Mattison Sisson was born about 1825. He married Lydia West and had a son:

James was born about 1850.

We have no additional references.

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Thomas [7]

Richard [1], George [2], John [3], Constant [4], George [5], John [6] page 190

Thomas(1821-1885) + Clarissa Hll(1826-1881) > 1867 Sarah Eloisa(1850-1907) + Nathaniel Cttrll(1846-1900); Ella A.(1853-1892) + William Baldwin(1852-1895)

Thomas Sisson was born July 11, 1821 in Renssalaer County, NY. He was a farmer. He married Clarissa Hill. Clarissa was born February 12, 1826. The family lived in Pittstown, NY, in 1850 and in Hoosick, NY, in 1855. Thomas and Clarissa had two daughters:

Sarah Eloisa was born July 17, 1850 in Renssalaer County. On September 18, 1867 she married Nathaniel Cottrell. Nathaniel was born June 3, 1846. Sarah and Nathaniel had three or four children: Frank, July 9, 1868; Clara, 1879 to 1881; Clara, October 18, 1881; a child "Alchee" has also been reported. Nathaniel died April 7, 1900; Sarah died December 30, 1907. Both are buried in Island Hill Cemetery, Buskirk, NY.

Ella A. was born in 1853. She married William P. Baldwin who was born in 1852. Ella and William had two children: Ira and Jennie. Ella died April 28, 1892; William died March 18, 1895. Ref: (414).

Two other children, Emily J. and Sylvester, have also been reported. Emily is the daughter of Hiram and Mary E. (Moseby) Sisson, page 353. Sylvester is probably the son of Azariah and Margaret (Stiles) Sisson, page 352.

Clarissa died February 11, 1881 (or December 15, 1885?). Thomas died December 15, 1885 (or March 30, 1913?). Both are buried in the Island Hill Cemetery, Buskirk, NY.

References: (35); (223) 1850.

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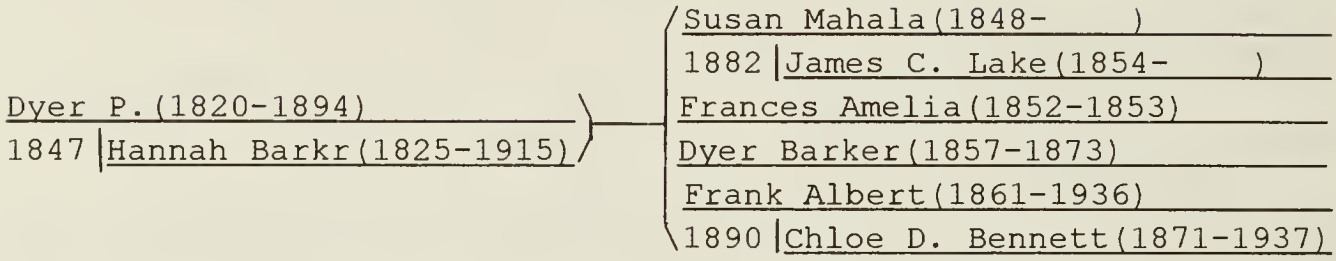
Dyer P. [7]

Richard [1], George [2], John [3], Constant [4], Gideon [5], Leonard [6] page 192



Dyer P. Sisson was born November 18, 1820 in Washington County, NY. He was a merchant and postmaster in White Creek, NY. On November 24, 1847 he married Hannah Ann Barker, daughter of Slocum and Hannah (Barnett) Barker. Hannah was born July 28, 1825, in White Creek. Dyer and Hannah had four children:

Susan Mahala was born October 24, 1848 in Washington County. On December 6, 1882 she married James C. Lake, son of Lafayette and Caroline (Hoag) Lake. James was born in 1854. Susan and James had four children: Chester Arthur, 1883 to October 16, 1883; Dyer Barker, October 19, 1884; Horace James, August 17, 1886; and Edison Stephen, February 6, 1889.

Frances Amelia was born October 7, 1852 and died October 5, 1853.

Dyer Barker was born December 23, 1857 and died November 16, 1873.

Frank Albert, born February 18, 1861 is discussed on page 533.

Dyer P. died January 16, 1894; Hannah died in 1915. Both of them and two of the children are buried in Barker Cemetery, White Creek, NY.

References: (137) Vol. II, p.271; (270) 1850.

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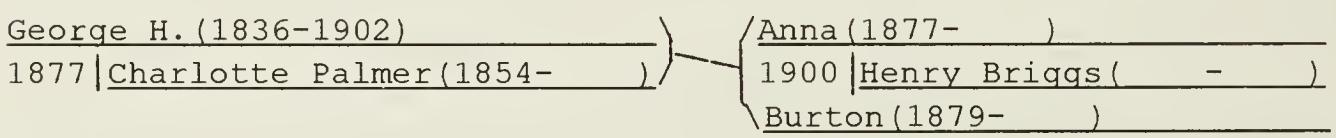
George H. [7]

Richard [1], George [2], John [3], Constant [4], Gideon [5], Leonard [6] page 192



George H. Sisson was born in March, 1836 in Otsego County, NY. George served one year in the Civil War, joined in Columbus, IN, out January 21, 1866 in Macon, GA. In March, 1877 he married Charlotte Palmer, daughter of John and Margaret (Bowen) Palmer. Charlotte was born in June, 1854. George and Charlotte had two children:

Anna was born in December, 1877. In April, 1900 she married Henry Briggs.

Burton was born in April, 1879.

George died November 19, 1902.

Reference: (209).

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William B. [7]

Richard [1], George [2], John [3], Constant [4], Gideon [5], Leonard [6] page 192

William B. (1844-1909)
1869 | Chloe A. Peckham (1841-1923)

- Burton Leonard (1872-1946)
  - 1901 | Sophia Fort (-)
- Mabel C. (1874-)
- Mary E. (1874-1874)
- Lizzie P. (1880-1884)

William B. Sisson was born in October, 1844. He was a farmer. In November, 1869 he married Chloe Amelia Peckham, daughter of Joseph and Elizabeth (Gifford) Peckham. Chloe was born in October, 1841. The family lived in White Creek, Washington County, NY. William and Chloe had four children:

Burton Leonard, born August 2, 1872 is discussed on page 534.

Mabel C. was born in March, 1874. She was a graduate of Boston University Medical School, and was an M.D. in Brooklyn until 1950, when she retired to Bayside, Long Island.

Mary E. was born in March, 1874, a twin to Mabel. She died in 1874.

Lizzie P. was born in 1880 and died in 1884.

William and Chloe were separated "late in life". He lived in Middle Falls, [state?]. William died in 1909; Chloe died in 1923. Both are buried in the Quaker Ground at Easton, MA.

References: (137) 1:202; (267); (414).

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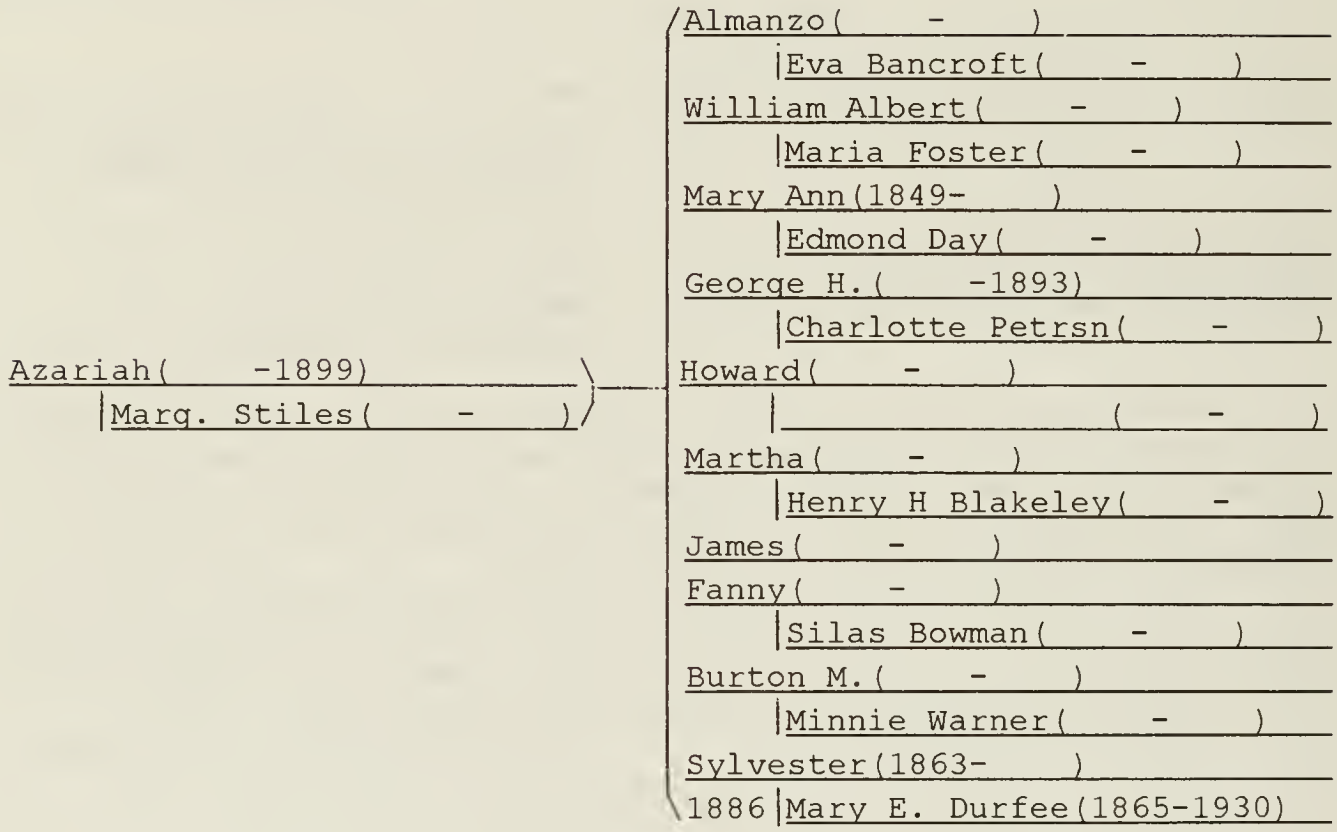
Azariah [7]

Richard [1], George [2], John [3], Constant [4], Gideon [5], William B. [6] page 193



Azariah Sisson was born about 1822. He married Margaret Stiles of Cambridge, NY. At some time the family lived in Iowa. Azariah and Margaret had ten children:

Almanzo was born about 1845. He married Eva Bancroft; they had no children.

William Albert was born about 1847. He was a farmer and married Maria Foster. They lived in Baker City, OR. William and Maria had a daughter: Addie, November 11, 1871 to September 21, 1878.

Mary Ann was born September 25, 1849. She married Edmond Day; they lived in Fairhaven, MA. He was a lawyer.

George H. was born about 1851. He was a farmer. George married Charlotte Peterson. The family lived in Nebraska and Michigan. George and Charlotte had four children: Laura; May; Clare, died young; and Charles. George died September 18, 1893.

Howard was born about 1853. He was a telegraph operator in Oregon. We have no information on his wife. She and Howard had three children: Gladys; Margarette; and a son.

Martha was born about 1855. She married Henry H. Blakeley, a photographer. They lived in Colorado and had two children.

James was born about 1857 and died young.

Fanny was born about 1859. She married Silas Bowman, a machinist. They lived in Colorado.

Burton M. was born about 1861. He married Minnie Warner and also lived in Colorado.

Sylvester was born April 29, 1863. On December 2, 1886 he married Mary E. Durfee. Mary was born February 4, 1865 and died in 1930. Ref: (414).

Azariah died April 2, 1899.

Reference: (199) p.363.

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Abner [7]

Richard [1], George [2], John [3], Constant [4], Gideon [5], William B. [6] page 193

Abner(-)
Augusta Mason(-)

Almanzo(-)
Caroline(-)

Abner Sisson was born about 1825. He wrote a book of verses on the Bible. He married Augusta Mason. The family moved from Cambridge, NY, to Adair, IA. Abner and Augusta had two children:

Almanzo was born about 1850, and died at the age of 12.

Caroline was born about 1852.

Reference: (199) p.363.

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Hiram [7]

Richard [1], George [2], John [3], Constant [4], Gideon [5], Ira [6] page 194

Hiram(1829-)
1851 Mary Moseby(1830-1893)

Emily J.(1855-)
1874 Edgar B. Chase(1852-1933)

Walter M.(1858-)
1878 Mary Wait(1860-)

Frances L.(1864-1880)
Fred D. Mosher(-)

Hiram Sisson was born December 11, 1829 in White Creek, NY. He was a merchant and farmer in White Creek. He attended the Grenich Academy. On September 2, 1851 in Hoosic, NY, he married Mary E. Moseby (or Mosely) of Hoosic, daughter of Pardon and Keziah (Van Surdam) Moseby. Mary was born in 1830. Hiram and Mary had three children:

Emily J. was born May 27, 1855. On January 20, 1874 she married Edgar B. Chase, son of Elijah and Rachel M. (Stark) Chase. Edgar was a farmer. They had a son: Walter Clifford, April 16, 1875, married Miss Hurd. The family lived at Buskirk, NY. Edgar died in 1933 and is buried at Cambridge.

Walter M. was born March 24, 1858. He was a farmer. On November 20, 1878 he married Mary Wait, daughter of David and Mercy (Robinson) Wait. Mary was born in 1860. The family lived in Eagle Bridge, NY. Walter and Mary had a son: Frank, April 11, 1881.

Frances L. was born March 21, 1864. She married Fred D. Mosher. Frances died November 1, 1880 with no issue.

In 1879 the family moved to Eagle Bridge, NY. Hiram was a Republican, a member of the State Assembly in 1879 and 1880. Mary died April 24, 1893.

Reference: (35).

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Germond C. [7]

Richard [1], George [2], John [3], Constant [4], Gideon [5], Willard [6] page 195

Germond C.(1839-)
1861 Lucy C. Bannon(-)
John G.(1860-1861)

Germond C. Sisson was born in November, 1839 in Hoosic, Renssalaer County, New York. He was a farmer. On December 8, 1861 in Vermont, he married Lucy C. Bannon (or Barron). Germond and Lucy had a son:

John G. was born December 14, 1860 and died April 22, 1861. He is buried in Carpenter Burying Ground near Hoosic.

[The marriage date and birth date for John G. are stated as they were given to us; they may or may not be in error.] Our inclination is that Germond is also buried in Carpenter Burying Ground.

Reference: (223) 1850.

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James Gardiner [7]

Richard [1], George [2], James [3], Barnet [4], Rodman [5], Clark [6] page 196

James Gardiner(1802-1864)
1827 Marg. Bailey(1804-1861)
1863 Martha Barbr(1822-1900)

James Clark(1832-1858)
1852 Susan A Perkins(-)
Louisa Josephine(1842-)
1862 Barthlomw Moore(1835-1865)
George D Nichols(-)
Antoinette Elizabeth(1847-)
Edwin W Nichols(-)
1870 Harvey A. Jenne(-1890)

James Gardiner Sisson was born September or October 16, 1802 in Exeter, Washington County, RI. He was a farmer and was mentioned in his father's will dated March 12, 1831 and proved January 1, 1849. On June 4, 1827 he married Margaret Gardiner Bailey, daughter of Caleb and Elizabeth (Barber) Bailey. They were married by Rev. [James?] Wilson. The marriage at Warwick of "Col. James G. and Margaret..." is reported in the Providence Journal of June 11, 1827. Margaret was born November 16, 1804 in West Greenwich, RI. At some time the family lived in Exeter, RI. James and Margaret had three children:

James Clark was born July 27, 1832 in Richmond. He was a wholesale grocer with "Sisson, Anthony, and Remington" at 22 Exchange Place, Providence, RI. On August 17, 1852 he married Susan Ann Perkins, daughter of Jabez and Elizabeth (Holly) Perkins. James and Susan had no children. James died married, February 27, 1858 in Providence and is buried on the John S. Sisson farm in Richmond.

Louisa Josephine was born September 17, 1842 in Richmond. On May 13, 1862 she married Bartholomew Philip Bailey Moore, son of David Moore. Bartholomew was born March 30, 1835. He died February 8, 1865. Louisa married second George Dowley Nichols. Ref: (217) p.450.

Antoinette (or Jeanette) Elizabeth was born January 14, 1847. She married first Edwin W. Nichols. Antoinette and Edwin had a son: Mark Sisson, September 11, 1866, later a druggist in Providence. Edwin may have died of smallpox. On May 1, 1870 Antoinette married second Harvey A. Jenne. Harvey died in 1890.

Margaret died April 5, 1861. James married second December 11, 1863 in Richmond Martha (or Marilla) M. (Eccleston) Barber, daughter of Daniel and Martha ( ) Eccleston. Martha was born February 2, 1822 in North Stonington, CT. This was her third marriage. James died June 19, 1864 in Richmond. Martha died March 8, 1900 in Groton, CT.

References: (7) 16:517 & 18:49 & 20:329; (11) Vol. III, p.21; (14) Vol. 2, p.148 & Vol. 9, p.221-2; (415) pp.50, 180; (416) p.287.

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Rodman [7]

Richard [1], George [2], James [3], Barnet [4], Rodman [5], George [6] page 197

Rodman (1800-1876)
1819 | Ruth Ellis (1799-1877)

- Esther L. (1821-)
  - 1840 | Hon. John Stone (-)
- Arnold Clark (1826-1896)
  - 1847 | Isabel C. Green (-)
- Frances Mary (1829-1897)
  - 1846 | Andrew Leighton (1822-)

Rodman Sisson was born January (or July) 8, 1800 in Exeter, RI. He was admitted to the Friends' Society in 1824. On December 23, 1819 he married Ruth Ellis, daughter of Arnold Ellis of West Greenwich, RI. Ruth was born in 1799. Rodman and Ruth had three children:

Esther L. was born April 23, 1821. On July 18, 1840 she married the Honorable John Stone. They had no children.

Arnold Clark, born October 8, 1826 in La Plume County, PA. is discussed on page 535.

Frances Mary was born December 14, 1829. On July 20, 1846 in Franklin, PA., she married Andrew Leighton of Franklin. Andrew was born April 4, 1822. They had eleven children: Willie, June 8, 1849; Edward Fox, October 15, 1850, married Miss Brown; John Newland, February 22, 1853; Jessie, February 22, 1856, married Mr.(?) Warner; Luther Arthur, February 22, 1857, married Miss Clarke; George, May

2, 1859; James, May 2, 1859; Mary, April 6, 1862, married Mr. Miles; Elizabeth, February 20, 1864, married Mr. Brown; Robert Rodman, March 1, 1868; and Ruth Sisson, March 1, 1868. Frances died December 5, 1897.

The family moved from Hampton, CT, to Abington, Lucome County, PA. They were living in Pennsylvania according to the 1850 census. Rodman died December 17, 1876 in Hampton. Ruth died November 10, 1877.

Reference: (6) p.9.

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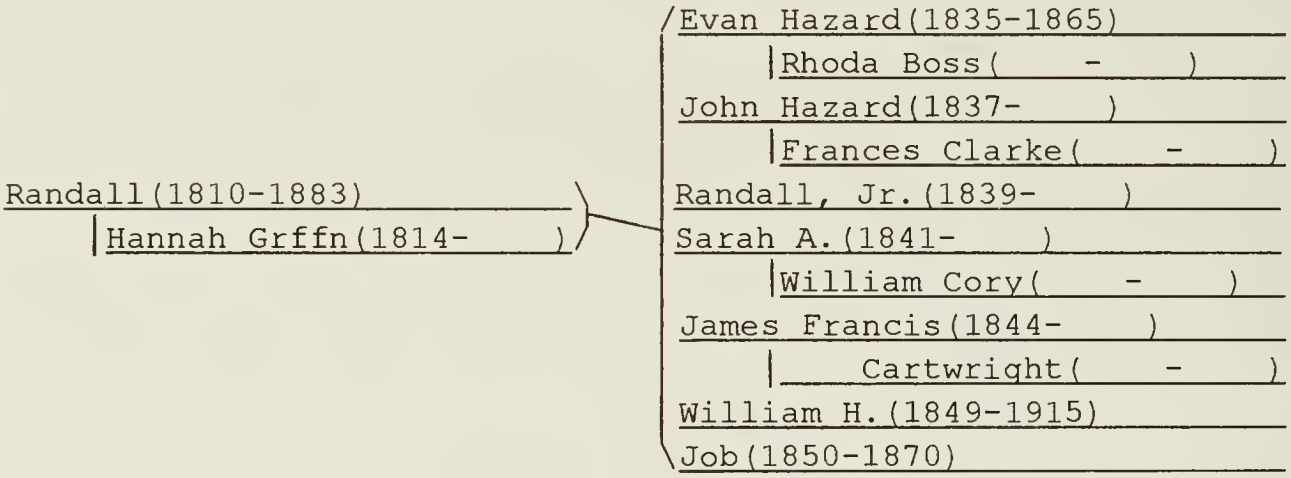
Randall [7]

Richard [1], George [2], James [3], Barnet [4], Rodman [5], Barnet [6] page 198



Randall Sisson was born September 25, 1810 in Exeter, Washington County, RI. He married Hannah Hazard Griffin, daughter of Dr. Stephen and Hannah (Hazard) Griffin. Hannah was born July 14, 1814 in Westerly. Randall and Hannah had seven children, all born in Westerly:

Evan Hazard was born September 28, 1834/5. He married Rhoda Boss of Newport, RI. An Evan K. and Rhoda A. (Carol) Sisson had a Lucy Clark February 10, 1865 in Charlestown, RI, who married May 28, 1883 a George William Sisson of Richmond, born February 3, 1863. Evan died married March 18, 1865 in Charlestown. Ref: (417).

John Hazard was born May 18, 1837. He married Frances Clarke.

Randall, Jr. was born July 19, 1839. He died in the Civil War.

Sarah A. was born January 31, 1841 in Charlestown. She married William Cory.

James Francis was born September 7, 1844. He married a Miss Cartwright of New York. He may have been a Wisconsin Volunteer from Two Rivers, September 26, 1864 to July 14, 1865.

William H. was born April 4, 1849 in Charlestown. He was single, and died August 12, 1915 in Providence.

Job was born November 27, 1850 and died October 24, 1870.

Randall died, married, May 7, 1883 in Charlestown.

References: (14) Vol. 2, p.148 & Vol. 9, p.220-23; (63).

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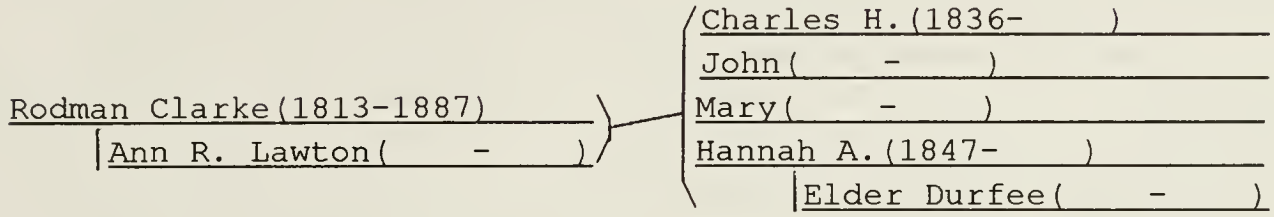
Rodman Clarke [7]

Richard [1], George [2], James [3], Barnet [4], Rodman [5], Barnet [6] page 198



Rodman Clarke Sisson was born December 3, 1813 in Exeter. He married Ann R. Lawton, daughter of Arnold Lawton. They are mentioned in a will dated 1840 in Exeter. Rodman and Ann had four children, probably all born in Exeter, RI:

Charles H. was born in 1836. He died in the Civil War.

John was born about 1838. He also died in the Civil War.

Mary was born about 1843. She was "insane" and committed to the Exeter, RI, Town Farm in 1892.

Hannah A. "Hattie" was born in 1847. She married Elder Durfee.

Rodman and Ann are mentioned in a will dated 1840 [Exeter Probate 13:336]. Rodman died a widower December 19, 1887 in Exeter.

References: (14) Vol. 5, p.312 & Vol. 9, pp.219-23.

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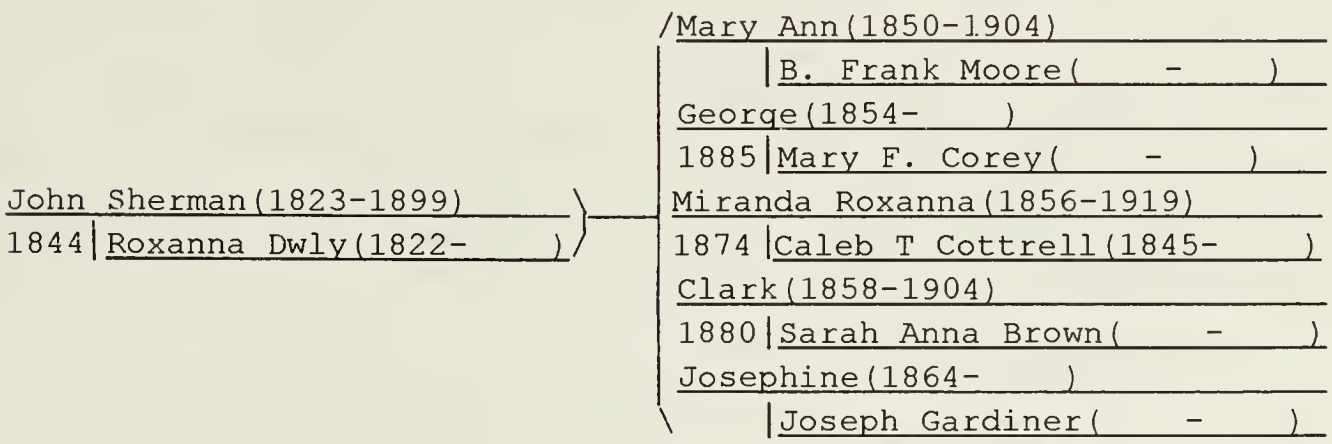
John Sherman [7]

Richard [1], George [2], James [3], Barnet [4], Rodman [5], Barnet [6] page 198



John Sherman Sisson was born February 12, 1823 in Richmond, Washington County, RI. He was a farmer in Exeter and worked at the Pine Hill Post Office. He has been confused with his cousin John son of Rodman, Jr., see page 197. On March 19, 1844 he married Roxanna Dawley, daughter of William and Phebe (Lawton) Dawley. They were married in Exeter by Elder Thomas Tillinghast. Roxanna was born August 11, 1822. John and Roxanna had five children:

Mary Ann was born December 22, 1850 in Exeter. She married B. Frank Moore. They had no children. Mary died, married, June 2, 1904 in Warwick, Washington County, RI.

George was born May 3, 1854. He was a market man. On April 2, 1885 he married Mary F. Corey. George and Mary had three daughters: Lottie Roxanna, 1887; Lulu Mary, 1889; and Gladys Irene, 1911[?]. A fourth daughter, Illa May, has also been reported.

Miranda Roxanna "Roxey" was born May 19, 1856 in Exeter. On November 27, 1874 she married Caleb T. Cottrell, son of Thomas and Anna (Sherman) Cottrell. Caleb was born February 10, 1845. He was a farmer in West Kingston, RI. Miranda and Caleb had four children: Anna Miranda, November 25, 1875; Mary, March 17, 1880; Nettie B., July 24, 1885; and John L., July 18, 1887. Miranda died August 1, 1919 in South Kingston.

Clark, born March 11, 1858 is discussed on page 535.

Josephine was born August 6, 1864. She married Joseph Gardiner, son of Green and Freelove (Rose) Gardiner.

John died, married, April 2, 1899 in Richmond.

References: (7) 5:30; (14) Vol. 2, p.148 & Vol. 3, p.252 & Vol. 9, pp.219, 222.

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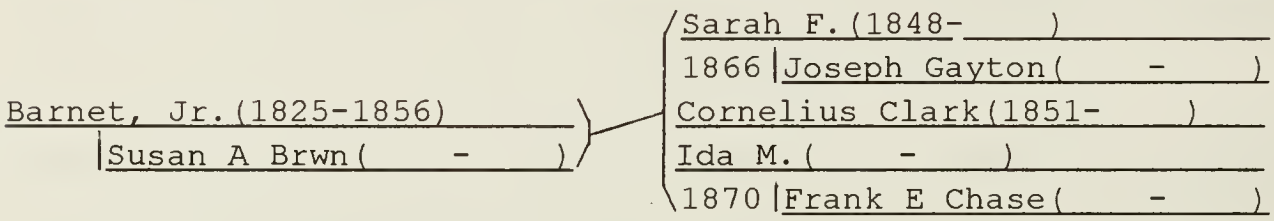
Barnet, Jr. [7]

Richard [1], George [2], James [3], Barnet [4], Rodman [5], Barnet [6] page 198



Barnet Sisson, Jr., was born May 8, 1825. He married Susan A. Brown. They had three children:

Sarah F. was born in 1848 in Exeter. On September 17, 1866 she married Joseph W. H. Gayton of Providence, RI.

Cornelius Clark was born in 1851 in Exeter.

Ida M. was born about 1852. On October 5, 1870 she married Frank E. Chase.

Barnet died April 3, 1856.

Reference: (14) Vol. 9, pp.220, 223; (217) p.450.

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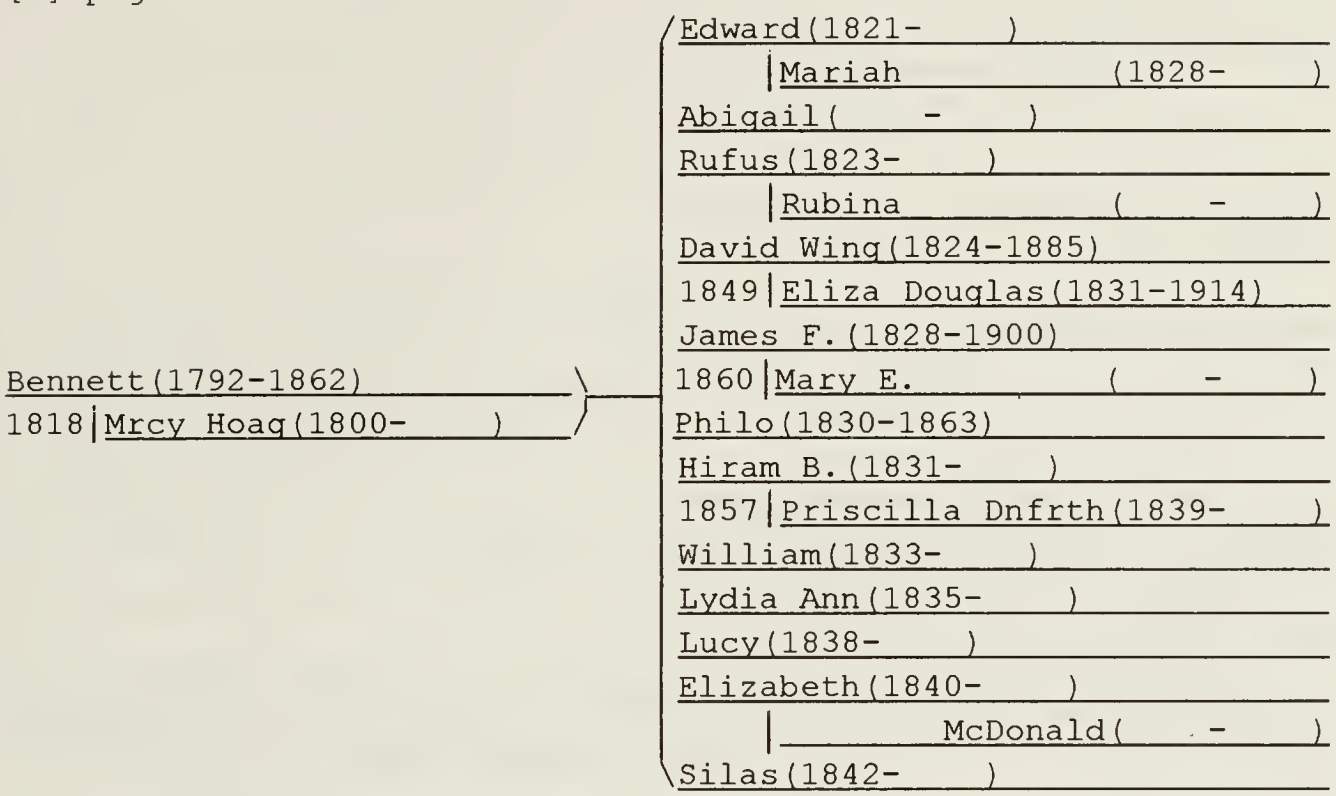
Bennett [7]

Richard [1], George [2], James [3], Joseph [4], John [5], John, Jr. [6] page 199



Bennett Sisson was born June 7, 1792. On January 14, 1818 he married Mercy Hoag, daughter of Michael and Lydia (Wing) Hoag. Mercy was born circa 1800 in Rhode Island. Bennett and Mercy had twelve children:

Edward was born circa 1821 in Webster, Monroe County, New York. He was a laborer, and married Mariah ( ). Mariah was born circa 1828 in Webster. Edward and Mariah had a daughter: Mahala, circa 1849 in New York. Ref: (530) 1850.

Abigail was born about 1822 in Webster.

Rufus, born June 15, 1823 in New York is discussed on page 535.

David Wing, born October 23, 1824 in Albany, NY, is discussed on page 536.

James F., born January 1, 1828, in Albany is discussed on page 536.

Philo was born in 1830. He may have joined the Wisconsin Volunteers from Hazel Green, August 11, 1862 to September 7, 1863 when he died "of disease" in Memphis, TN.

Hiram B., born September 12, 1831 in Broom, Albany County, NY, is discussed on page 537.

William was born in 1833 in Cheboggan Falls, WI. He may have joined the Wisconsin Volunteers from Argyle, April 19, 1861 to October 25, 1862; he was a sargent.

Lydia Ann was born in 1835.

Lucy was born in 1838.

Elizabeth was born in 1840 in Strawberry Point, IA. She married Mr. McDonald.

Silas was born in 1842.

Bennett and Mercy lived in Pennfield, Monroe County, NY, in 1850. Bennett died March 14, 1862 in Wisconsin.

We have no additional references.

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Easton [7]

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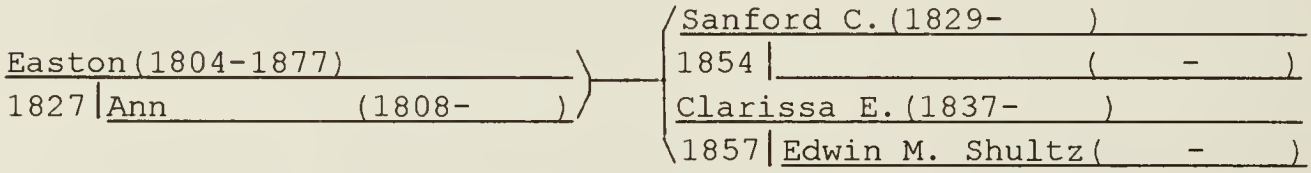

Easton Sisson was born April 17, 1804 in New York. He was a farmer. On February 12, 1827 he married Ann ( ). Ann was born circa 1808. Easton and Ann had two children:

Sanford C., born June 12, 1829 in New York is discussed on page 537.

Clarissa E. (or Elizabeth) was born June 28, 1837. On November 9, 1857 she married Edwin M. Shultz. Clarissa and Edwin had seven children: Elvin; Frank; Birdella; Elizabeth; Edwin, Jr.; Sanford; and Clarissa.

The family was in Berne, Albany County, NY, during the 1850 census. Easton died March 15, 1877.

We have no additional references.

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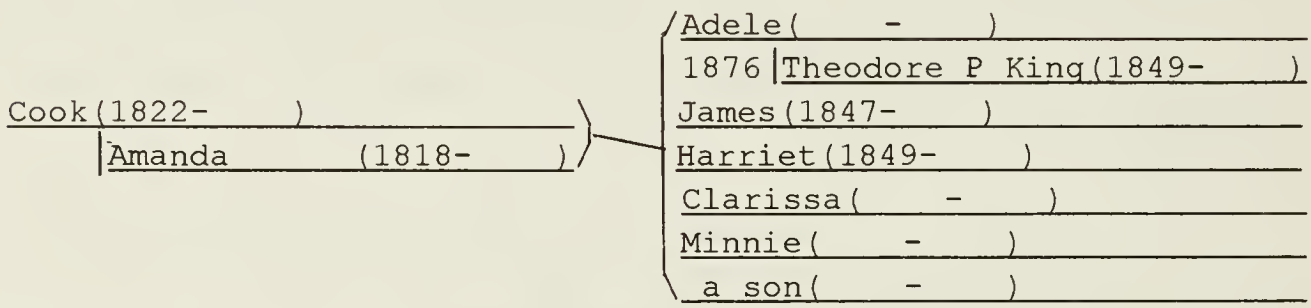
Cook [7]

Richard [1], George [2], James [3], Joseph [4], John [5], John, Jr. [6] page 199



Cook Sisson may have been born circa 1822 in New York. He married Amanda ( ). Amanda was born circa 1818 in New York. Cook and Amanda had six children:

Adele was born about 1845. On April 1, 1876 she married Theodore Pitt King. Theodore was born October 2, 1849. He was a Republican and postmaster. Adele and Theodore had two sons: Floyd Erastus; and Homer Cook.

James was born circa 1847 in New York.

Harriet was born circa 1849 in New York.

Clarissa was born about 1852.
Minnie was born about 1855.
An unnamed son.

A "Biographical Review" of Schoharie County, NY, page 500, states, "the family had six children, Amanda and two sons...." At some time the family moved from Rennskais, NY, to Rhode Island.

We have no additional references.

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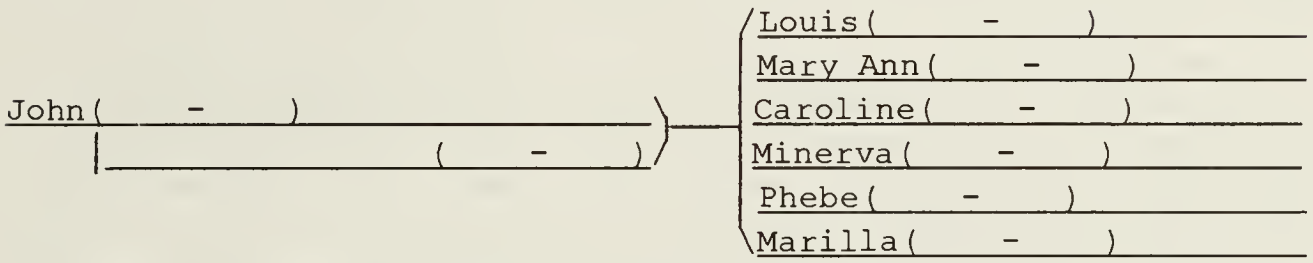
John [7]

Richard [1], George [2], James [3], Joseph [4], John [5], Job [6] page 200



John Sisson was born about 1790. He was married and had six children:
Louis may have been born about 1820.
Mary Ann may have been born about 1822.
Caroline may have been born about 1824.
Minerva may have been born about 1826.
Phebe may have been born about 1828.
Marilla may have been born about 1830.

We have no additional references.

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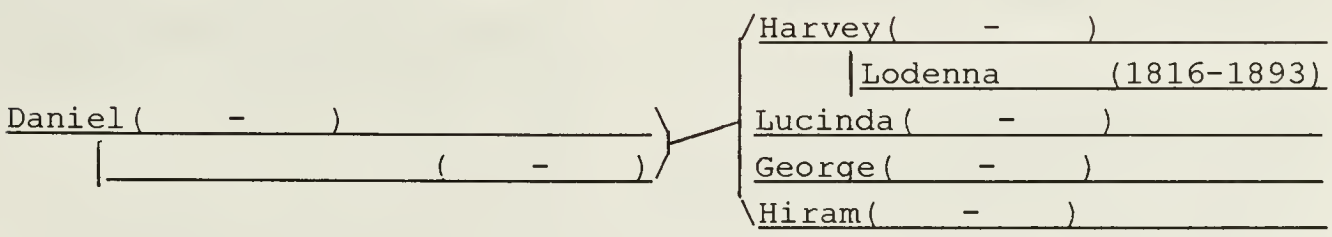
Daniel [7]

Richard [1], George [2], James [3], Joseph [4], John [5], Job [6] page 200



Daniel Sisson was born about 1792. He was married and had four children:
Harvey, born about 1820 is discussed on page 538.
Lucinda was born about 1822.
George was born about 1824.
Hiram was born about 1826.

References: (418) 1840; (419).

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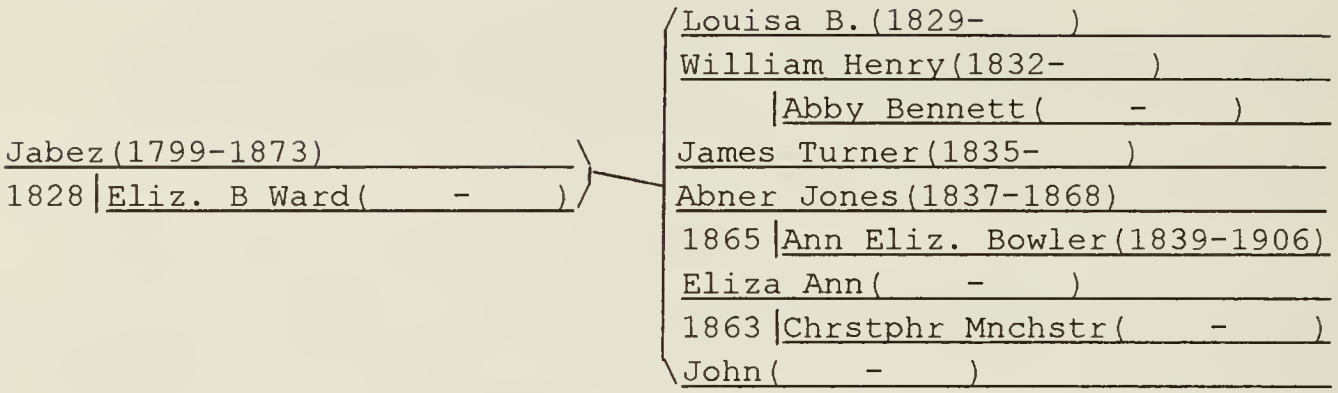
Jabez [7]

Richard [1], George [2], James [3], Joseph [4], Joseph, Jr. [5], Barnabas [6] page 200



Jabez Sisson was born November 24, 1799 in Portsmouth, RI. He was a farmer. On December 24, 1828 in Portsmouth he married Elizabeth B. Ward, daughter of Selathiel Ward. They were married by Rev. Reuben Ransom. Jabez and Elizabeth had six children, probably all born in Portsmouth:

Louisa B. was born October 23, 1829.

William Henry, born January 8, 1832 is discussed on page 538.

James Turner was born June 25, 1835.

Abner Jones, born January 7, 1837 is discussed on page 539.

Eliza Ann was born about 1840. On December 13, 1863 she married Christopher Manchester. They were married by Elder James A. McKensie.

John was born about 1842.

Jabez died November 10, 1873 in Tiverton, RI.

References: (7) 4:41, 98 & 7:574; (89) Vol. III: 1803.

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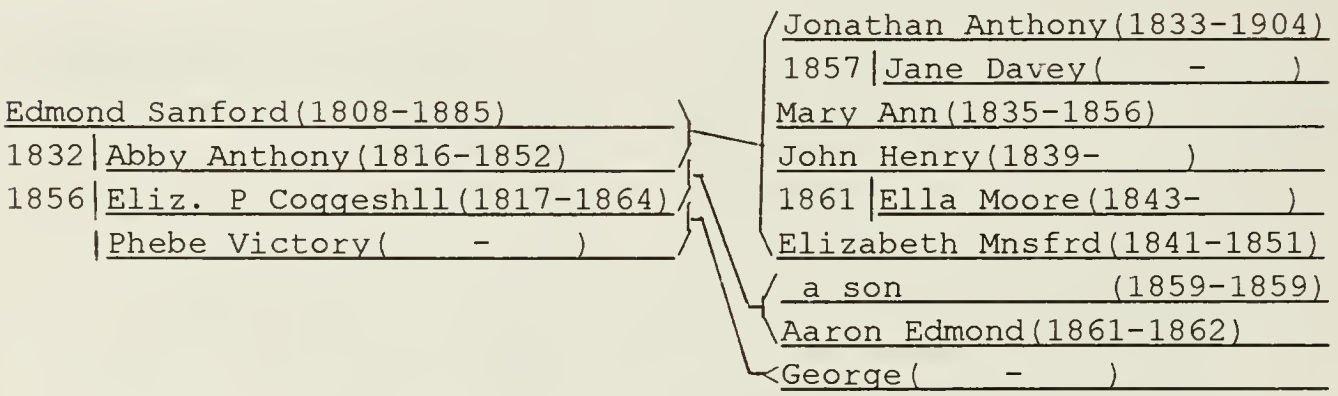
Edmond Sanford [7]

Richard [1], George [2], James [3], Joseph [4], Joseph, Jr. [5], Barnabas [6] page 200



Edmond Sanford Sisson was born September 19, 1808 in Portsmouth, RI. He was a farmer, raising sheep. He was a Whig who converted to Republican, and a member of the Christian Church. Edmond married first on December 7, 1832 in Portsmouth, Abby

Anthony, daughter of Jonathan and Rachel (Church) Anthony. They were married by Rev. Michael Eddy. Abby was born December 26, 1816 in Portsmouth. Edmond and Abby had four children, all born in Portsmouth:

Jonathan Anthony, born October 26, 1833 is discussed on page 539.

Mary Ann was born December 9, 1835 and died August 24, 1854.

John Henry, born February 14, 1839 is discussed on page 540.

Elizabeth Munsford was born November 1, 1841 and died October 1, 1857.

Abby died February 25, 1852 and is buried in Union Cemetery in Portsmouth. Edmond married second, January 9, 1856 in Boston, MA, Elizabeth Perry Coggeshall, daughter of William and Ruth (Chase) Coggeshall. Elizabeth was born January 1, 1817. Edmond and Elizabeth had two children:

A son was born August 24 and died August 25, 1859.

Aaron Edmond was born July 29, 1861 and died May 11, 1862.

Elizabeth died March 17, 1864 and is buried in Union Cemetery. Edmond married third Phebe Victory. Edmond and Phebe probably had a son:

George was born about 1868.

Edmond died November 25, 1885 in Portsmouth.

References: NY 1880 census; (7) 4:41, 98; (89); (420) p.161; (597).

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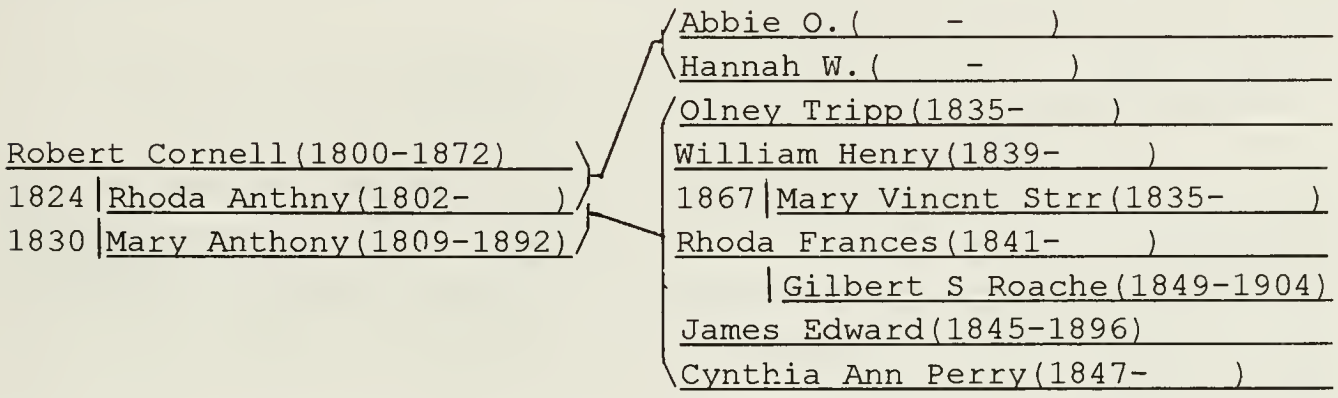
Robert Cornell [7]

Richard [1], George [2], James [3], Joseph [4], James [5], David [6] page 201



Robert Cornell Sisson was born May 3, 1800/1, in Middletown, RI. On September 5, 1824 he married Rhoda Anthony, daughter of Peckham and Sarah ( ) Anthony of Middletown. They were married in Middletown by Rev. Michael Eddy. In 1842 he sold a parcel of land to his Aunt Rhoda for $200. Robert and Rhoda had two children, both born in Middletown:

Abbie O. was born about 1826. She was bequeathed two silver spoons by her great aunt Rhoda. She witnessed the land sale in 1842.

Hannah W. was born about 1828 and also witnessed the land sale in 1842.

Robert married second October 31, 1830 Mary Ann Anthony, a sister to Rhoda. They were married in Newport by Rev. Michael Eddy. Mary was born in 1809. They are mentioned in her father's will dated 1844. Robert and Mary Ann had five children, all born in Newport, Newport County, RI:

Olney Tripp was born September 13, 1835 and possibly remained single.

William Henry, born February 18, 1839 is discussed on page 541.

Rhoda Frances was born February 1, 1841. She married Gilbert Sisson Roache, son of Peter and Lucy P. (Sisson) Roache, see Gilbert and Phebe (Simms) Sisson page 183; Gilbert was born in 1849 and died October 14, 1904.

James Edward was born April 21, 1845. He lived in Westerly, was single, and died January 13, 1896. He was buried January 17 at Christ Church, Westerly.

Cynthia Ann Perry was born October 25, 1847. She was probably also single and lived in Westerly.

Robert died April 21, 1872; Mary Ann died May 14, 1892 in Westerly.

References: (7) 4:16, 38, 64 & 11:142 & 15:336 & 16:517 & 18:49 & 20:329; (14) Vol. 10, p.307.

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Silas [7]

Richard [1], George [2], James [3], Joseph [4], James [5], David [6] page 201

Silas(1802-) ⟩ 1826 ⟨ Eliza Baker(-) ⟩ — ⟨ a daughter / a daughter

Silas Sisson was born February 26, 1802 in Middletown, RI. On July 30, 1826 in Plainfield, CT, he married Eliza Baker, possibly the niece of Daniel Webster [see also Silas, 1798 page 379]. They were married by Rev. Orrin Fowler. Silas was a lawyer in Louisville, KY, in 1848. He has also been reported as having been born May 22, 1798. Silas and Eliza had two daughters between 1833 and 1836.

References: (7) 4:38 & 16:517 & 18:49

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Henry Tew [7]

Richard [1], George [2], James [3], Joseph [4], James [5], David [6] page 201

Henry Tew(1806-) ⟩ 1849 ⟨ Julia A. Smith(1832-) ⟩ — Andrew Jackson(1850-)

Henry Tew (or F.) Sisson was born August 29, 1806 in Middle town, RI. He was a laborer. On August 16, 1849 in Tiverton, RI, he married Julia A. Smith. They were married by Rev. James A. McKensie. Julia was born circa 1832. They lived in Portsmouth, RI. Henry and Julia had a son:

Andrew Jackson was born January 6, 1850 in Portsmouth.

References: (7) 4:38, 41, 98 & 7:573.

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David, Jr. [7]

Richard [1], George [2], James [3], Joseph [4], James [5], David [6] page 201

David, Jr.(1809-)
|Sarah Simmons(-)
- Mary(-)
  |Stephen Howlnd(-)
- Henry T.(-)

David Sisson, Jr. was born May 30, 1809 in Middletown, RI. He married Sarah A. Simmons. This family has been confused with David, 1803 page 267. David and Sarah had two children:

Mary may have been born about 1830. She married Stephen R. Howland.

Henry T. [not Tillinghast] may have been born about 1830.

Reference: (7) 4:98.

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William B. [7]

Richard [1], George [2], James [3], Joseph [4], James [5], Moses L. [6] page 202

William B.(1808-1886)
1834|Mary Durfee(1811-1886)
- Mary Juliet(1834-)
- 1854|Nathaniel C Vars(1831-)
- William L.(1837-)
- 1860|Sarah A. Brown(1837-)
- Anna E.(1839-1896)
- 1860|Simeon Coggeshll(-1896)
- James Moses(1840-1891)
- 1870|Mary A. Elliot(-)
- Josephine T.(1844-)
- 1873|Edward A. Mason(1844-)
- Ruth D.(1847-)
- 1883|John C. Barker(1843-)
- Hattie C.(1850-)
- 1876|George W Sherman(1852-)

William B. Sisson was born in 1808 in Portsmouth, Newport County, RI. He was a farmer and butcher. He was a member of the General Assembly of Portsmouth, RI. At some time the family lived in Middletown, RI. On February 27, 1834 William married Mary T. Durfee, daughter of James and Mary (Pearce) Durfee. Mary was born

December 23, 1811 in Portsmouth. William and Mary had seven children, probably all born in Portsmouth:

Mary Juliet was born November 27, 1834. On April 5, 1854 she married Nathaniel C. (or Daniel J.) Vars, son of William and Lucinda (Cobleigh) Vars. Nathaniel was born June 10, 1831. He was a house carpenter in Newport, RI, and a hotelkeeper. Mary and Nathaniel had four children: Ellen Sisson, August 18, 1855; Frank A., July 17, 1865; Nathaniel C., October 26, 1867 to November 12, 1868; and William James, May 6, 1871. Nathaniel died before Mary.

William L., born May 24, 1837 is discussed on page 541.

Anna E. was born June 11, 1839. On March 14, 1860 she married Simeon S. (or C.) Coggeshall, son of Joseph and Mary (Coggeshall) Coggeshall. They owned a restaurant business in New York but returned to Newport, RI, after 1896. They had no children. Anna died May 3, 1896; Simeon died five days later.

James Moses was born November 4, 1840. On May 10, 1870 he married Mary A. Elliot, daughter of Robert and Margaret ( ) Elliot of Portsmouth. James died November 4, 1891. Mary married second Elbert Anderson Sisson, son of Edward S. Sisson page 433, as his second wife.

Josephine T. (or D.) was born October 13, 1844. On September 23, 1873 she married Edward A. Mason, son of Albert and Hannah ( ) Mason of Brooklyn, NY. Edward was born September 20, 1844. He was a merchant marine pilot. Josephine and Edward had three children: Mary Edna; Frederick Augustus; and Bertha Montgomery.

Ruth D. was born June 15, 1847. On October 20, 1883 she married John C. Barker, son of Christopher and Ruth ( ) Barker. John was born in 1843. The family moved from Newport to Fall River, MA. He was a boat steward between Fall River and New York City. John died before Ruth.

Hattie (or Hettie) C. was born June 15, 1850. On October 20, 1876 she married George W. Sherman, son of George S. Sherman. George was born July 20, 1852. The family lived at Newport. Hattie and George had a son: Harold Mason.

Mary died May 11, 1886 in South Portsmouth; William died December 30, 1886.

Reference: (421) Vol. 2, p.46.

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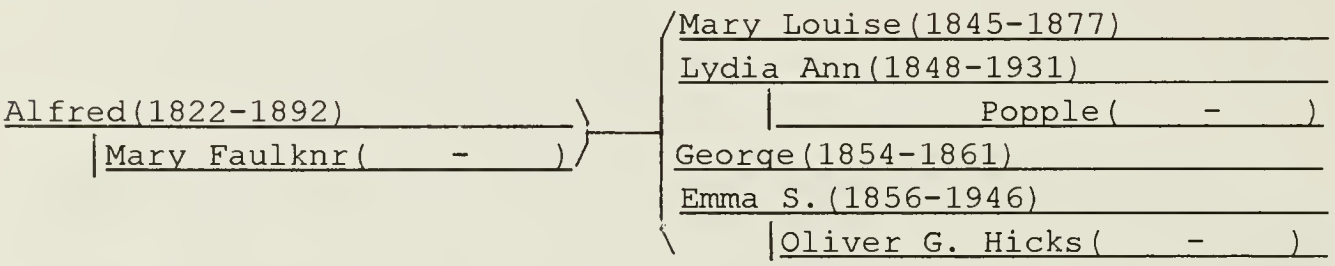
Alfred [7]

Richard [1], George [2], James [3], Joseph [4], James [5], Moses L. [6] page 202



Alfred Sisson was born August 25, 1822 in Portsmouth, RI. He married Mary A. Faulkner. They are mentioned in the will of her

grandfather George Faulkner dated 1842. Alfred and Mary had four children, all born in Portsmouth:

Mary Louise was born in 1845. She died April 12, 1877.

Lydia Ann was born April 20, 1848. She married Mr. Popple, and died April 6, 1931.

George was born in February, 1854 and died June 28, 1861.

Emma S. was born in August, 1856. She married Oliver Greene Hicks and died October 4, 1946.

Alfred died January 5, 1892.

References: (14) Vol. 10, p.305 and Vol. 13, pp.215-20.

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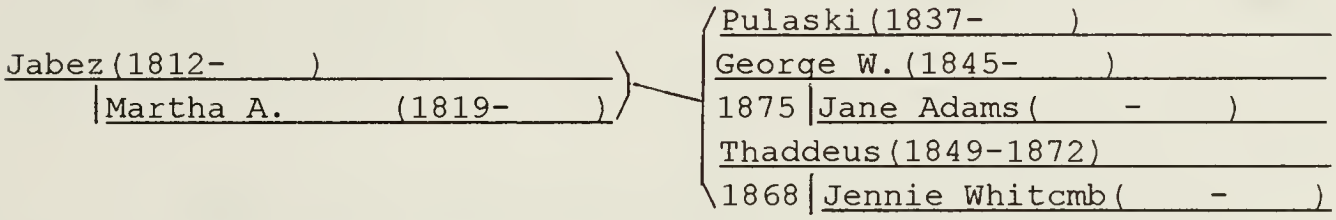
Jabez [7]

Richard [1], George [2], James [3], Joseph [4], Jabez [5], Sanford [6] page 204



Jabez Sisson was born circa 1812. He was a blacksmith and married Martha A. ( ). Martha was born circa 1819. Jabez and Martha had three sons, probably all born in New York:

Pulaski was born circa 1837. He was not listed in the 1860 census.

George W., born August 7, 1845 is discussed on page 542.

Thaddeus was born in 1849. On October 19, 1868 in Townsend, OH, he married Jennie Whitcomb. Thaddeus died October 26, 1872 in Townsend.

Reference: (422) 1850.

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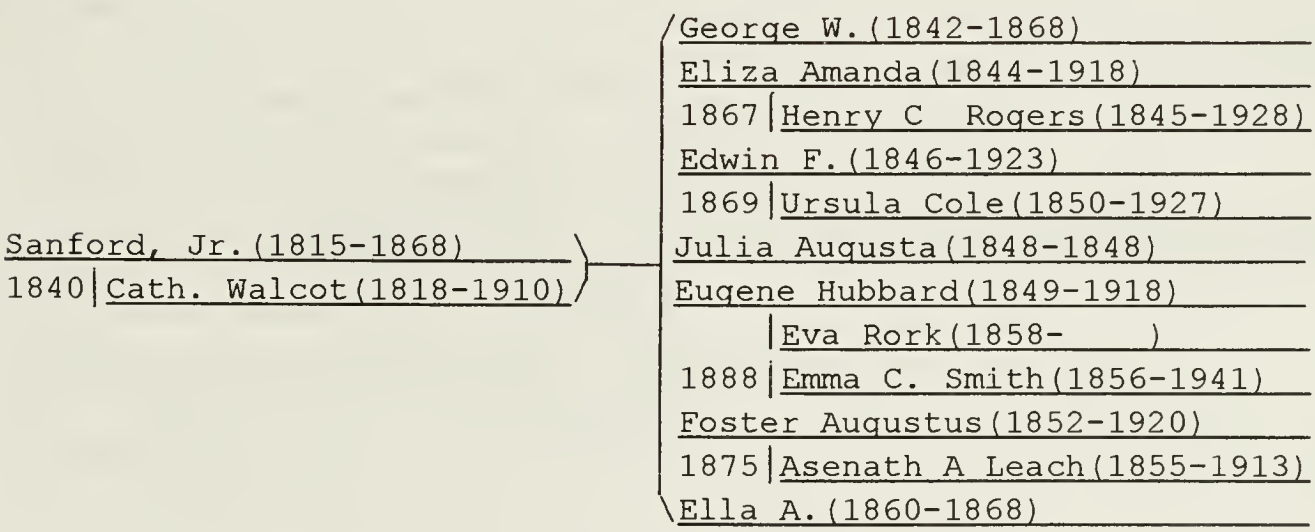
Sanford, Jr. [7]

Richard [1], George [2], James [3], Joseph [4], Jabez [5], Sanford [6] page 204



Sanford Sisson, Jr, was born March 11, 1815 in New York. He moved to Ripley, OH, where on October 18, 1840 he married Catherine Walcott, daughter of John and Hannah (Strong) Walcott. Catherine was born November 23, 1818 in Wallingford, CT. Sanford and Catherine had seven children, the first six born in Huron County, OH:

George W. was born January 1, 1842 and died November 2, 1868, without issue.

Eliza Amanda was born March 19, 1844 in Ripley Twp. On February 14, 1867 in Barry County, MI, she married Henry Clay Rogers, son of Jared Sanford and Louisa (Miller) Rogers. (His sister Matilda Rogers was the mother of Eva Rork, first wife of Eugene Hubbard below.) Henry was born January 11, 1845 in Carlton Twp, Barry County, MI. Eliza and Henry had three children, all born in Barry County: Sanford Clark, June 18, 1868, married Elizabeth Shively; Myrtilla, October 11, 1869, married Edward Rush Washburn [these are the parents of Edward Roger Washburn, husband of reference Dorothy below]; and Royal Ray, August 31, 1872 to September 25, 1873. Eliza died June 24, 1918 in Hastings, MI; Henry died March 17, 1928 in Decatur, MI; both are buried in Riverside Cemetery.

Edwin F., born May 3, 1846 is discussed on page 542.

Julia Augusta was born May 22 and died July 6, 1848.

Eugene Hubbard, born December 28, 1849 is discussed on page 543.

Foster Augustus, born May 8, 1852 is discussed on page 544.

Ella A. was born July 8, 1860 and died October 23, 1868.

The family moved to Hastings in 1856. Sanford, Jr., died November 3, 1868 in Barry County. [Ella A., George W., and Sanford, all died within eleven days' time of diphtheria.] Catherine died August 8, 1910. Both Sanford and Catherine are buried in the Fuller Cemetery in Barry County.

References: Sanford's Bible; Family records from Hazel Sisson; (278).

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James L. [7]

Richard [1], George [2], James [3], Joseph [4], Jabez [5], Sanford [6] page 204

James L.(1817-)
1839 Carolne Wlctt(-)

- Henry(1841-)
  - Margaret Moultn(-)
- Mary(1844-)
  - Richard Messer(-)
- George(-)
- Stata(-)
  - George Wood(-)
- Charles(-)
- Aida(1866-)

James L. Sisson was born circa 1817 in New York. On September 10, 1839 in Huron County, OH, he married Caroline Walcott/Wolcott [sister of Catherine, above?]. The family moved to Hastings, Barry County, MI, where the last child was born. James and Caroline had six children:

Henry, born in 1841 is discussed on page 545.

Mary was born in 1844. She married Richard Messer.

George was born about 1847.

Stata was born about 1850. She married George Wood.

Charles was born about 1852.

Aida was born in 1866.

References: (156); (278); (423); (424).

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Lucius P. [7]

Richard [1], George [2], James [3], Joseph [4], Jabez [5], Sanford [6] page 204

Lucius P.(1823-1902)
1844 | Eliz. Mills(1822-1912)

- Willis Nathaniel(1846-1915)
  - 1868 | Laura Griffin(1847-)
- Frances Josephine(1848-)
  - 1864 | Delzon D Washburn(-)
- Sanford H.(1850-)
  - 1879 | Azuba A. Hopkins(-)
- Emeline Flavia(1853-1872)
- Lucius Adelbert(1855-)
  - 1877 | Carrie Hakes(-)
- Oscar L.(1857-)
  - 1877 | Rosanna Lincoln(1858-)
- Addie L.(1859-)
- William E.(-)
  - 1889 | Clara I. Crabbs(-)
- Jemima A.(1864-1915)
  - 1883 | Charles McMillan(-)
  - | H. J. Washburn(-)

Lucius P. Sisson was born February 15, 1823 in Wayne County, NY. He was a farmer and a Whig who became Republican. On December 15, 1844 Lucius married Elizabeth Mills, daughter of Nathaniel Mills. Elizabeth was born December 3, 1822. At some time the family moved to Greenwich, Huron County, OH, and then to North London, OH. Lucius and Elizabeth had nine children:

Willis Nathaniel, born March 25, 1846 is discussed on page 545.

Frances Josephine was born January 15, 1848. On March 18, 1864 in Huron County, OH, she married Delzon D. Washburn.

Sanford H., born May 5, 1850 is discussed on page 546.

Emeline Flavia was born October 10, 1853 and died February 8, 1872.

Lucius Adelbert, born June 3, 1855 is discussed on page 546.

Oscar L., born June 8, 1857 is discussed on page 547.

Addie L. was born September 26, 1859 and died young.

William E. was born about 1863. He was a farmer. On February 14, 1889 in New London, he married Clara I. Crabbs. They lived in Greenwich.

Jemima A. was born November 16, 1864. She married first December 13, 1883 Charles McMillan of Benea, OH. She married second H. J. Washburn. Jemima died in 1915.

Lucius died in 1902. Elizabeth died December 23, 1912; she is buried in Greenwich, OH.

References: (278); (425).

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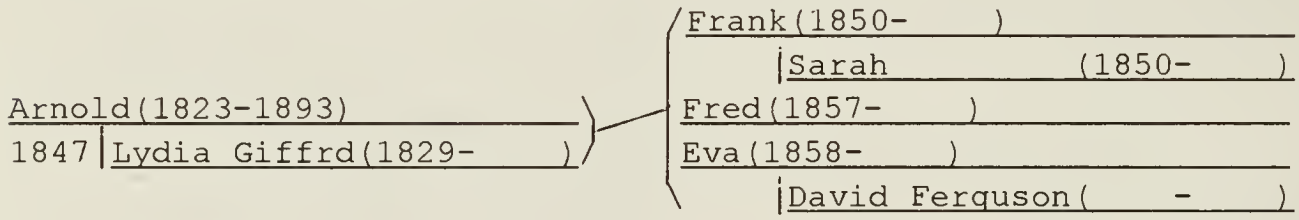
Arnold [7]

Richard [1], George [2], James [3], Joseph [4], Jabez [5], Sanford [6] page 204



Arnold Sisson was born circa 1823 in Wayne County, NY. On December 6, 1847 he married Lydia Gifford. Lydia was born in 1829 in Wayne County. The family moved to Ohio and in 1854 moved to Michigan. They were living in Freeport, MI, in 1880. Arnold and Lydia had three children:

Frank, born in 1850 in Ohio is discussed on page 547.

Fred was born in 1857 in Michigan.

Eva was born in 1858 in Michigan. She married David Ferguson. Eva and David had a son, Jesse.

Arnold died May 12, 1893 in Hastings, MI.

Reference: (426) Vol. 22, p.41.

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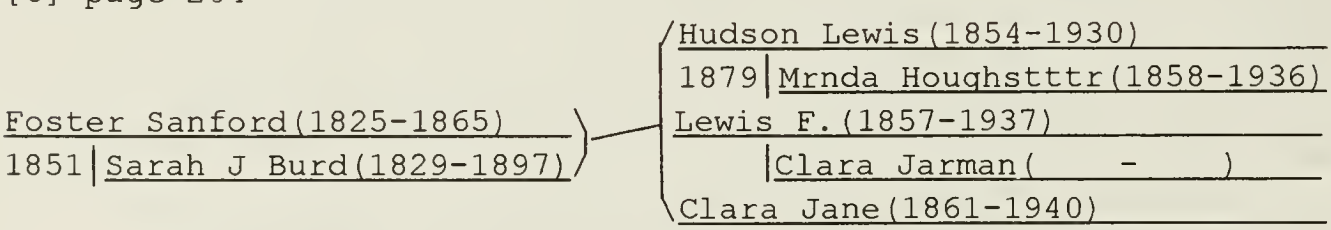
Foster Sanford [7]

Richard [1], George [2], James [3], Joseph [4], Jabez [5], Sanford [6] page 204



Foster Sanford Sisson was born in 1825 in Albany, NY. In 1833 his family moved to Ripley, OH. On January 1, 1851 in Ripley he married Sarah Jane Burd, daughter of Henry and Delilah (Happock) Burd. Sarah was born February 22, 1829 in Hunterdon County, NJ.

The family moved to Barry County, MI, in 1851 and settled on property now occupied by grandson Clarence Sisson. Foster and Sarah had three children, all born in Barry County:

Hudson Lewis, born April 3, 1854 is discussed on page 548.

Lewis F., born November 28, 1857 is discussed on page 548.

Clara Jane was born July 28, 1861. She died in 1940.

Foster entered the Civil War September 6, 1864 at Jackson, MI, with his two younger brothers. He was a private in Co. I, 21st Infantry of Michigan. He was part of "Sherman's March to the Sea". He participated in the Battle of Bentonville, NC. Wounded on March 19, 1865 he died March 31 of a head wound. He was buried at Goldsboro, NC, and later moved to Raleigh National Cemetery. On May 23, 1869 Sarah married second Una Bare. She died September 29, 1897 and is buried in Irving Cemetery, Barry County.

References: Foster's Civil War records and personal letters during service; Family data from Ray Burd; (277); (427); (428).

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Augustus T. [7]

Richard [1], George [2], James [3], Joseph [4], Jabez [5], Sanford [6] page

Augustus T.(1829-1904)
1852 | Susan Fowler(1833-1899)

- Loa A.(1856-1941)
  - | Frank Wolfe(-)
- Carrie(1860-1865)
- Carrie(1867-)
  - | Oscar Olsen(-)
- Flavia(1874-)
  - | Clark Robinson(-)

Augustus T. Sisson was born in 1829 in Ohio. On November 14, 1852 he married Susan Fowler. Susan was born November 29, 1833 in Otsego County, NY. Flavia, mother of Augustus, was living with them in 1860 in Huron County, OH. The family later lived in Irving, Barry County, MI. Augustus and Susan had four children, all born in Michigan:

Loa A. was born in 1856. She married Frank Wolfe and had five children, all born in Michigan: Sanford; Charlie; Clarence; Carrie; and Inez. Loa died in 1941.

The first Carrie was born in 1860 and died in 1865 and is probably the Carrie Sisson who is buried in Grand Rapids, MI.

The second Carrie was born in 1867. She married Oscar Olsen.

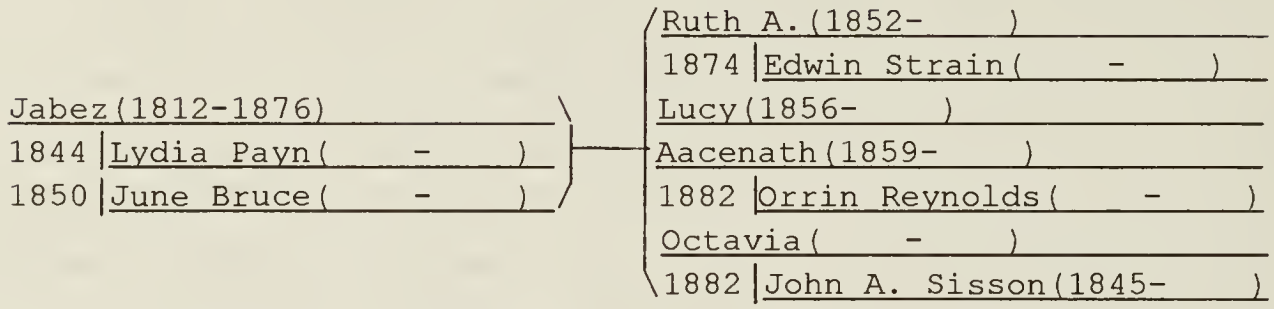
Flavia was born in 1874. She married Clark Robinson. Flavia died in Barry County, MI, and is buried in Cedar Creek Cemetery in Hastings, MI.

The family is reported living in Ft. Payne, AL. Susan died January 23, 1899 in Freeport, MI. Augustus died in 1904 in Freeport; both are buried there.

Reference: (277).

Jabez [7]

Richard [1], George [2], James [3], Joseph [4], Jabez [5], Arnold [6] page 206



Jabez (or Jabed) Sisson was born August 20, 1812 in New York. In 1844 he married first Lydia Payn. It has been reported that Jabez and Lydia had three children: Pulaski, George, and Thaddeus [see Jabez and Martha A. Sisson, page 367]. Jabez married second in 1850 June Bruce. Jabez and June had four children:

Ruth A. was born April 21, 1852. On October 9, 1874 she married Edwin Strain. Ruth and Edwin had two children: Burdett, 1877; and Alvare, 1880.

Lucy was born June 27, 1856.

Aacenath was born December 24, 1859. On March 4, 1882 she married Orrin Reynolds.

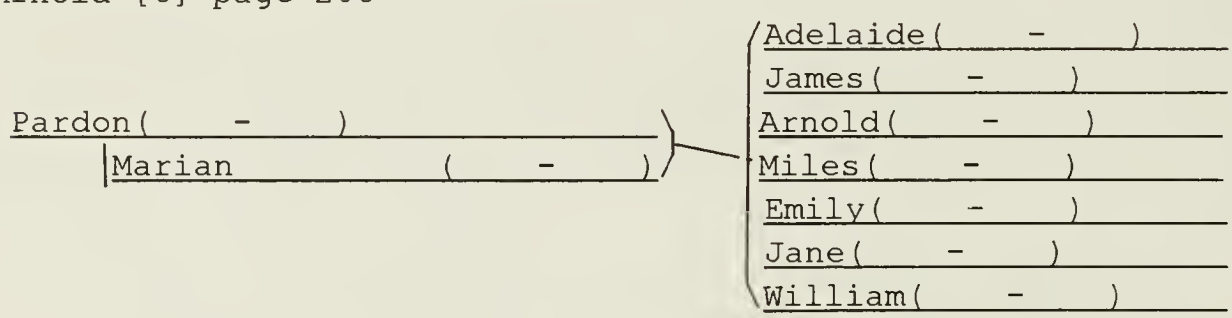
Octavia was born about 1861. On March 22, 1882 she married her first cousin, John A. Sisson, born 1845, son of Arnold, Jr. and Elizabeth (Crane) Sisson below. Octavia and John lived in East Worcester, Otsego County, NY. They had no children.

Jabez and his family were living in East Worcester in 1860. He is probably the Jabez who bought 13 acres, Lot 35, in Otsego County for $375 from William and Sarah Ann Lockwood. Jabez died January 10, 1876.

Reference: (422) [East] 1860.

Pardon [7]

Richard [1], George [2], James [3], Joseph [4], Jabez [5], Arnold [6] page 206



Pardon Sisson was born about 1816. He married Marian ( ). Pardon and Marion had seven children:

Adelaide may have been born about 1840.

James may have been born about 1842.
Arnold may have been born about 1844.
Miles may have been born about 1846.
Emily may have been born about 1848.
Jane may have been born about 1850.
William may have been born about 1852.

We have no additional references.

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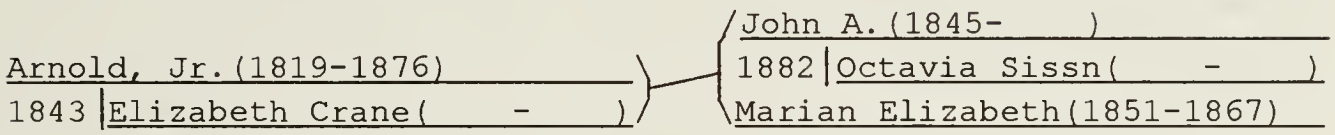
Arnold, Jr. [7]

Richard [1], George [2], James [3], Joseph [4], Jabez [5], Arnold [6] page 206



Arnold Sisson, Jr., was born June 10, 1819 in Otsego County, NY. On September 10, 1843 he married Elizabeth Crane. Arnold and Elizabeth had two children:

John A. was born November 10, 1845. On March 22, 1882 he married his first cousin Octavia Sisson, daughter of Jabez and June (Bruce) Sisson, above. John and Octavia lived in East Worcester, NY. They had no children.

Marian Elizabeth was born November 6, 1851 and died October 23, 1867.

Arnold, Jr., died December 25, 1876 in Summit, Schoharie, NY.

We have no additional references.

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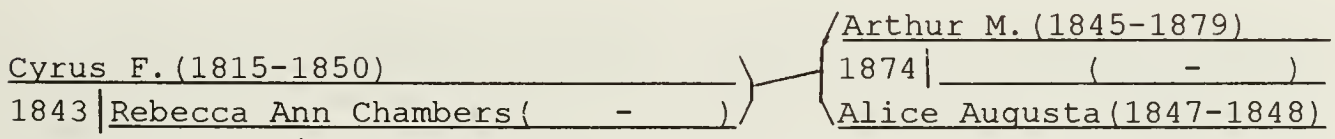
Cyrus F. [7]

Richard [1], George [2], James [3], Joseph [4], Jabez [5], Joseph [6] page 207



Cyrus F. Sisson was born June 13, 1815. On October 10, 1843 he married Rebecca Ann Chambers. Cyrus and Rebecca had two children:

Arthur M., born February 5, 1845 is discussed on page 549.

Alice Augusta was born January 14, 1847 and died December 2, 1848.

Cyrus died in June, 1850.

We have no additional references.

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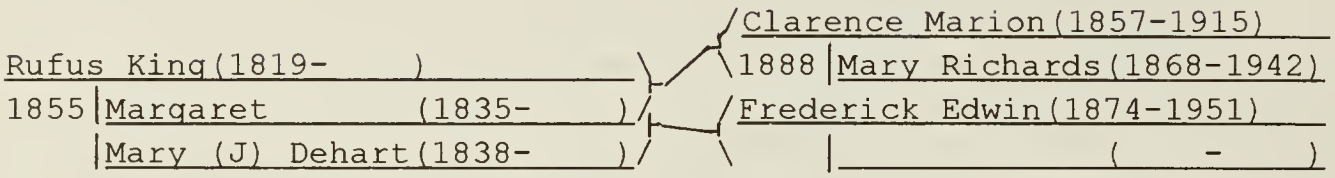
Rufus King [7]

Richard [1], George [2], James [3], Joseph [4], Jabez [5], Joseph [6] page 207



Rufus King Sisson was born September 20, 1819 in New York. He was a farmer. He lived in Swan Creek, IL. In 1855 he married Margaret ( ). Margaret was born circa 1835 in Illinois. Rufus and Margaret had a son:

Clarence Marion, born March 26, 1857 in Galesburg, IL, is discussed on page 549.

The 1860 census for Illinois shows Rufus K, 29, [39], Margaret, 25, Clarence, 3, and M. Fred, 33. Rufus married second Mary A. (or E.) (James) Dehart. Mary was born in 1838 and brought three children to the marriage: John W., 1862; George W., 1864; and Sarah E., 1865. Rufus and Mary had a son:

Frederick Edwin, born circa 1874 in Illinois is discussed on page 550.

The 1880 census, Swan Township, Warren County, IL, shows Rufus K, 56, Mary E, 42, Frederick E., 6. Two other children, Alice and Ethel, have also been reported.

We have no additional references.

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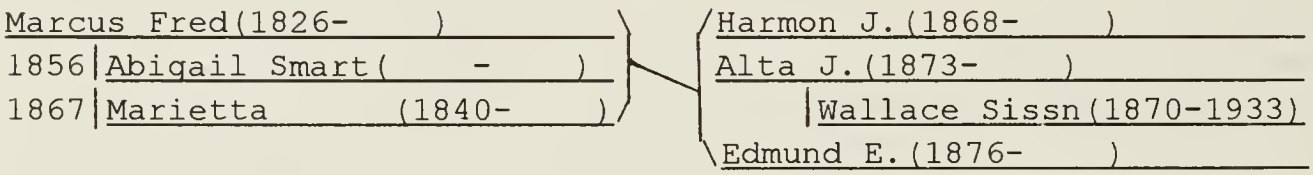
Marcus Fred [7]

Richard [1], George [2], James [3], Joseph [4], Jabez [5], Joseph [6] page 207



Marcus Fred Sisson was born June 12, 1826 in New York. He was a farmer and is shown living with his brother Rufus in the Swan Creek, IL, 1850 census, age 33 [23]. Marcus married first in 1856, Abigail Smart. Marcus married second circa 1867, Marietta ( ). Marcus and Marietta had three children all born in Illinois:

Harmon J. was born in 1868.

Alta J. was born in 1873. She married Wallace E. Sisson, son of Thomas, Jr. and Mary (Scribner) Sisson, see page 565.

Edmond E. (or Edward) was born in 1876.

Reference: (429) 1880.

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Andrew J. [7]

Richard [1], George [2], James [3], Joseph [4], Jabez [5], Joseph [6] page 207

Andrew J. (1828-1903) — 1854 Nancy Jane McMahill (-)
Thomas G. (-)

Andrew J. Sisson was born September 5, 1828 in Rensselaerville, Albany County, NY. He is possibly the Andrew J. listed in the 1850 census for Weaverville, El Dorado County, CA. On January 19, 1854 in Warren County, IL, he married Nancy Jane McMahill, daughter of William and Mary (Snapp) McMahill. The family lived in Swan Creek, IL, and in 1900 they were living in Los Gatos, CA. Andrew and Nancy had a son:

Thomas G. was born about 1856.

Andrew deeded a hotel in Middleboro, MA, to his son. Andrew's sister, Ann E. Hammond lived in the hotel. Andrew died in 1903. Nancy probably died in California.

Reference: (430).

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Frederick Plummer [7]

Richard [1], George [2], James [3], James, Jr. [4], Pardon [5], Pardon, Jr. [6] page 209

Frederick Plummer (1824-1895) — 1849 Mary A Field (1829-1884)

- Sarah M. (1850-) — 1869 John M Wendelken (1842-)
- William Justin (1854-) — Mary Venneman (1864-)
- Mary Field (1859-) — 1891 Frank Trumbull (1858-)

Frederick Plummer Sisson was born May 14, 1824 in Lebanon, CT. He attended Knox College (he was among the first students there). He was a farmer and in 1841 went into manufacturing in Galesburg, IL. On January 20, 1849 he married Mary Ann Field(s), daughter of Luman and Abigail (DeLong) Field. Mary Ann was born October 22, 1829 in Cornwall, VT. Frederick and Mary Ann were Presbyterians. The family lived in Galesburg, in 1850 and 1860, when Frederick was constable there and the first city marshal in 1857. Frederick and Mary Ann had three children, all born in Illinois:

Sarah M. was born December 15, 1850 in Knoxville. On October 21, 1869 she married John M. Wendelken. John was born October 31, 1842 in Germany. Sarah and John had two children: Florence, February 13 to August 12, 1873, in La Harpe, IL; and Frederick Sisson, June 18, 1874, married Miss Knight. The family moved to Dallas, TX.

William Justin, born November 5, 1854 in Galesburg is discussed on page 551.

Mary Field "Kitty" was born April 28, 1859 in Galesburg. On April 8, 1891 she married Frank Trumbull. Frank was born November 9, 1858. Mary's brother William gave two of his children the middle name of Trumbull. Frank may have had a son, Rosco, in 1882. The family moved to Denver, CO.

Mary Ann and one daughter were "invalids" at the same time. The family moved from Galesburg to Peoria, IL, in 1870. Mary Ann died May 9, 1884 in Galesburg. Frederick then went to Sisson, [later Mt. Shasta], CA, in 1885 (to live with his brother Justin Hinckley, below) and in 1893 he moved to Dallas, TX. Frederick died February 15, 1895 in Dallas and is buried in Galesburg.

Reference: Obituary from the "Galesburg Daily Mail".

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Justin Hinckley [7]

Richard [1], George [2], James [3], James, Jr. [4], Pardon [5], Pardon, Jr. [6] page 209

Justin Hinckley(1826-1893)
1861 Lydia Field(1837-)

- Carrie A.(1863-)
  - 1887 A. Persons(-1895)
- Jessie F.(1865-1902)
  - 1888 Henry Curran(-)
- Belle H.(1867-)
  - 1888 James Maquire(-)
- Fanny Ivy(1870-1953)
  - 1889 George W Shuster(-)
  - 1891 William Shebley(1865-1935)
- William Dean(1873-)
  - 1901 Clara H. Peck(-)
- Norman Valentine(1882-)

Justin Hinckley Sisson was born April 3, 1826 in Lebanon, CT. He "Came to mine in 1842 in Placer and El Dorado Counties, then built a log cabin on the site of Sisson, Siskiyou County, California. He then went back to Illinois to marry and bring his bride west." -- San Francisco Chronicle, August 27, 1922. On March 26, 1861 in Chicago, IL, he married Lydia Maria Field, daughter of Norman and Happalonia (Chatterdon) Field. Lydia was born December 29, 1837 in Cornwall, VT. Justin was postmaster, hotel keeper, and guide in Berryvale (Strawberry Valley), later named Sisson then Mount Shasta, CA. Justin and Lydia had six children, all born in Sisson:

Carrie A. was born May 14, 1863. On August 27, 1887 she married A. Persons. Carrie and "A" had three children: Effie Amorette, April 5, 1887, to January 21, 1894; Ruth Eleanor, May 26, 1892; and Isabel, August 5, 1894. "A" died in 1895.

Jessie F. was born December 30, 1865. On July 10, 1888 she married Henry Curran. Jessie and Henry had three children: Wanda, June 25, 1890; Kenneth, June 25, 1894; and Leonard, August, 1898. Jessie died September 20, 1902.

Belle H. was born February 27, 1867. On June 6, 1888 she married James Maguire of San Francisco. Belle and James had a daughter: Phyllis, November 28, 1889.

Fanny Ivy was born September 8, 1870. On December 15, 1889 she married first George W. Shuster. Fanny and George had a daughter: Dorothy Carmen, January 12, 1891. Fanny married second in Grass Valley, CA, September 19, 1891 William Henry Shebley, son of Joseph V. and Jeanette (Schmidt) Shebley. William was born August 6, 1865 in Grass Valley. Fanny and William had seven children, all born in Sisson: Justin Joseph, July 12, 1895, married Miss Adams; Jeanette Genevieve, August 5, 1897, married first Mr. Van Gelder, second Mr. Perrault; Kenneth Hunt, February 15, 1899, married Miss Yant; William Dean, October 4, 1901, married Miss Rice; Lydia Maria, October 10, 1903, married first Mr. Wallace, second Mr. Rierden; Homer, March 1, 1907?; and Norman Vincent, August 15, 1909, married Miss Adams. William died November 12, 1935, in Sacramento, CA. Fanny died in May, 1953; both are buried in Sacramento. Ref: (431).

William Dean was born February 26, 1873. On January 29, 1901 he married Clara H. Peck.

Norman Valentine was born February 14, 1882.

Justin died May 19, 1893 "of paralysis" and is possibly buried in Sacramento.

[NOTE -- the name of Sisson, CA, was changed to Mount Shasta in 1924, because it was believed that the Sisson family had died out.]

References: (432); pp.423-4; (433) p.237; (434) p.208; (435) September 4, 1886 & November 21, 1893; (436).

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Henry McCall [7]

Richard [1], George [2], James [3], James, Jr. [4], Pardon [5], Pardon, Jr. [6] page 209

Henry McCall(1829-)
1860 | Eliza Miller(1836-)

- John Miller(1861-1863)
- Mary E.(1862-1863)
- Della Abba(1864-)
  - 1890 | Hamilton Cooper(-)
- Dora Eliza(1865-)
  - 1888 | George P. Gorham(-1889)
  - 1899 | William Pringle(-)
- Frances Owen(1867-)
  - 1897 | Edward R Everett(-)
- Margaret Miller(1869-)
  - 1897 | Amos H. Stephens(-)
- Helen McCall(1870-)
  - 1899 | Edward P. Robson(-)
- Anna Miller(1873-)
- son (-)

Henry McCall Sisson was born September 29, 1829 in Clinton, Oneida County, NY. His family moved to Knox County, IL, in 1842. He was a farmer and a Republican. On December 25, 1860 he married Eliza Jane Miller, daughter of John and Jane (Crane) Miller. Eliza was born December 5, 1836 in Chicago, IL. Henry and Eliza had nine children, all born in Galesburg, IL:

John Miller was born November 5, 1861 and died December 1, 1863.

Mary E. was born December 7, 1862 and died April 3, 1863.

Della Abba was born February 5, 1864. On May 22, 1890 she married Hamilton Cooper. Della and Hamilton had two sons born in Denver, CO: Henry Sisson, March 30, 1891 became a doctor; and William Hamilton, August 10, 1893.

Dora Eliza was born August 7, 1865. On July 3, 1888 she married George Putman Gorham of Chicago. George died April 3, 1889. Dora married second June 26, 1899 William James Pringle of Chicago. Dora and William had two children: Margaret; and William.

Frances "Fanny" Owen was born August 12, 1867. On November 24, 1897 she married Edward Royce Everett of Galesburg. They had no issue.

Margaret Miller was born September 14, 1869. On November 24, 1897 [probably a double wedding with her sister Frances] she married Amos Harry Stephens of New York City. Margaret and Amos had two sons: Henry Miller, May 31, 1903; and Robert.

Helen McCall was born November 22, 1870. On October 18, 1899 she married Edward Percy Robson. Helen and Edward had two children: Henry William, February 10, 1902; and a daughter.

Ann(a) Miller was born January 22, 1873. She was not married.

A son was also born, who died young.

In the 1880 census for Galesburg, Henry's nephew Frederick William, age 17, son of his brother William Pardon, was in Henry's household.

References: (11) Vol. IV, pp.6, 7; (282); (437) 1880; (438).

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William Pardon [7]

Richard [1], George [2], James [3], James, Jr. [4], Pardon [5], Pardon, Jr. [6] page 209

William Pardon(1833-)
1859 Harrt Hnckly(1839-1910)

- Mabel Stanley(1861-)
  - 1890 Howard Prestley(-)
- Frederick William(1862-1908)
  - 1888 Mary Wilcox(-)
- Mary Eliza(1865-)
  - 1894 Charles McCandlas(-)
- Francis Hinckley(1871-1933)
  - 1897 Grace Lass(-)

William Pardon Sisson was born April 4, 1833 in Clinton, NY. On March 10, 1859 he married Harriet A. Hinckley, daughter of Alfred and Eliza (Stanley) Hinckley of Southport, NY. Harriet was born

March 5, 1839 in Clinton. The family lived in Galesburg and Peoria, IL. William and Harriet had four children, all born in Galesburg:

Mabel Stanley was born March 9, 1861. On March 15, 1890 she married Howard H. Prestley of Princeton, IL. Mabel and Howard had no issue.

Frederick William, born December 20, 1862 is discussed on page 551.

Mary Eliza was born May 17, 1865. On June 28, 1894 she married Charles R. McCandlas of Davenport, IA. He was a doctor. The family lived in Davenport. Mary and Charles had three children: Donald Sisson, July 9, 1895; Stanley Purcell, May 8, 1897; and Charles Lee, July 31, 1901.

Francis Hinckley "Frank" was born June 14, 1871. He was a banker, newspaperman, and editor, having graduated from Knox College in 1892 and Harvard in 1893. On June 16, 1897 he married Grace Lass of Galesburg. Frank and Grace had no issue. They were living in Galesburg in 1904 and later moved to Park Hill, Yonkers, NY. Francis died September 17, 1933. Ref: (439) Vol. XVIII, 1934-35.

Harriet died in 1910.

References: (11) Vol. IV, pp.8, 9; (282); (440) 1880.

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Jonathan B. [7]

Richard [1], James [2], Richard [3], Richard, Jr. [4], Benjamin [5], Richard [6] page 210

Jonathan B.(-) ⟩ Mary M.(1833-1834)
1830 Mary Gove Bean(-) ⟩

Jonathan B. Sisson was born about 1778. He published intent to marry April 11 and 18, 1830. On April 25, 1830 in Providence, RI, he married Mary Gove (also reported Mary Love) Bean, daughter of Jeremiah Bean. The marriage was performed by Rev. James Wilson. Jonathan and Mary had a daughter:

Mary M. was born September 19, 1833 and died October 23, 1834 in Providence.

References: (7) 2:170 & 7:461; (441) Vol. 1.

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Silas [7]

Richard [1], James [2], Richard [3], Richard, Jr. [4], Joseph [5], Joseph, Jr. [6] page 210

Silas(1798-1854) ⟩ Jane(1828-)
1826 Eliz. C. Baker(1806-) ⟩ Charles Coffin(-)
Frances C.(1834-)
Mary E.(1836-)

Silas Sisson was born May 22, 1798 in Portsmouth, RI. On July 23, 1826 in Ashford, CT, he married Elizabeth C. Baker, daughter of

Dr. Ebenezer and Betsey ( ) Baker, said to be the niece of Daniel Webster [see also Silas 1802 page 364]. Elizabeth was born July 17, 1806. At some time the family lived in Geebank [Seekonk?], MA. Silas and Elizabeth had three daughters:

Jane was born January 18, 1828. On April 8, 18__, she married Charles H. Coffin (or Coffinn).

Frances C. was born October 13, 1834.

Mary (or Maria) E. was born July 6, 1836.

As reported with the other Silas, a Silas Sisson was a lawyer in Louisville, KY, in 1848. Silas died April 9, 1854.

Reference: (7) 7:74.

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Joseph Taylor [7]

Richard [1], James [2], Richard [3], Richard, Jr. [4], Joseph [5], Joseph, Jr. [6] page 210

Joseph Taylor(1808-)	\	/	Joseph Edgar(1850-)
1849 Emma A. Jenkers(-)	/	\	Caroline(-)

Joseph Taylor Sisson was born August 7 (or 17), 1808 in Newport, RI. On July 22, 1849 he married Emma A. Jenkers, daughter of Stephen and Anna ( ) Jenkers. They were married in North Providence by Rev. Elisha F. Watson. They lived in Pawtucket, RI. Joseph and Emma had two children:

Joseph Edgar was born May 14, 1850.

Caroline was born about 1852. She was not married.

References: (7) 2:37 & 7:74.

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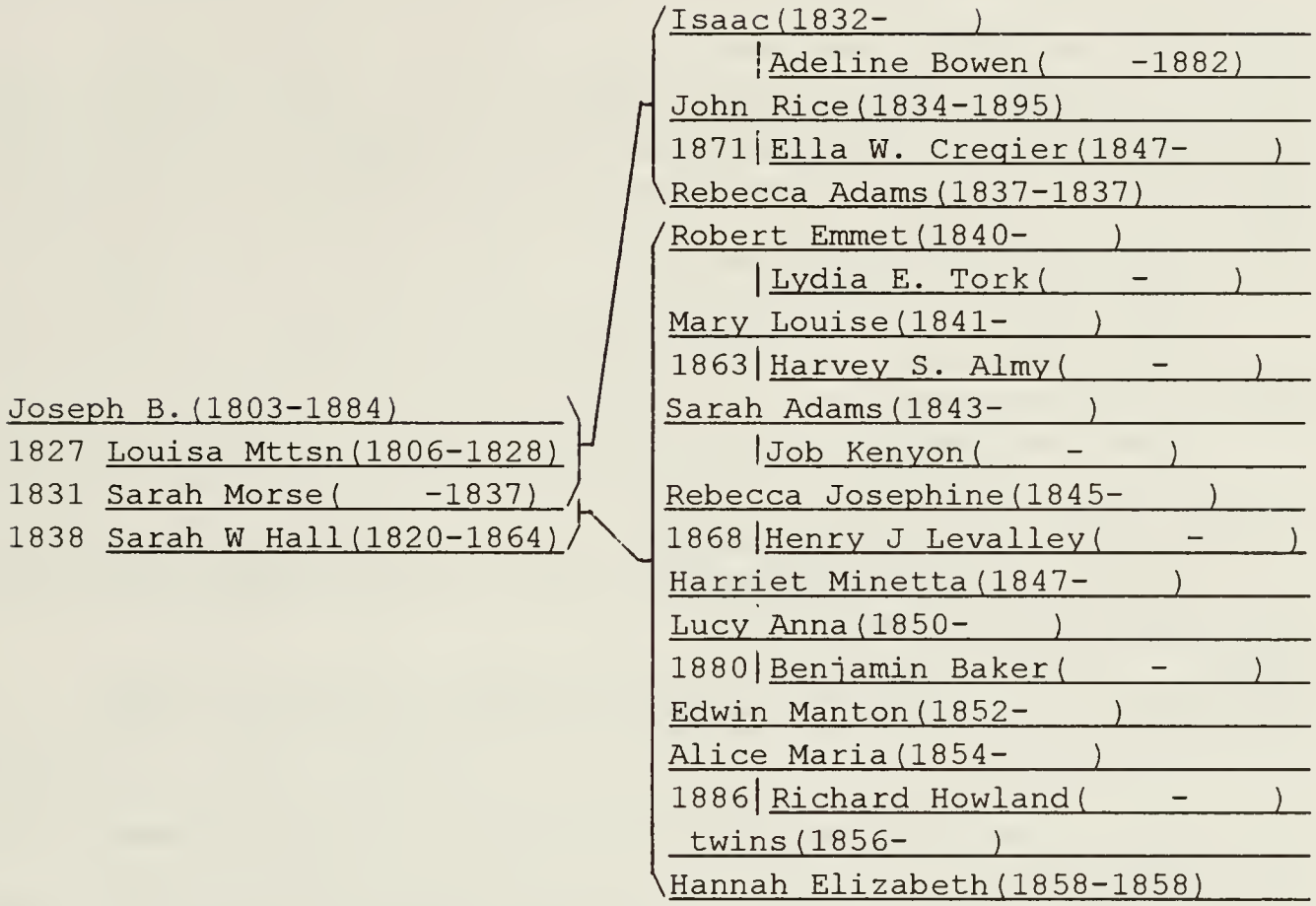
Joseph B. [7]

Richard [1], James [2], Richard [3], Richard, Jr. [4], Joseph [5], Asa [6] page 212



Joseph B. Sisson was born December 31, 1803 in East Greenwich, RI. He was a machinist. On November 8, 1827 he married Louisa Matteson, daughter of John and Susanna (Arnold) Matteson of Warwick. They were married there by Rev. Mr. Smith. Louisa was born November 22, 1806 and died March 25, 1828 without issue. Joseph married second March 6, 1831 Sarah Adams Morse, daughter of Charles and Rebecca ( ) Morse. Joseph and Sarah had three children:

Isaac, born June 6, 1832 is discussed on page 552.

John Rice, born May 16, 1834 is discussed on page 552.

Rebecca Adams was born February 9, 1837. She has been reported as born September 2, but her mother died in February of 1837. Rebecca died in September, 1837.

The first Sarah died in February, 1837. Joseph married third March 4, 1838 Sarah Weeden Hall, daughter of Joseph and Sarah (Weeden) Hall. Sarah was born August 27, 1820. Joseph and the second Sarah had eleven children:

Robert Emmet, born January 9, 1840 is discussed on page 552.

Mary Louise was born October 5, 1841. On March 19, 1863 she married Harvey S. Almy. They had no children.

Sarah Adams was born October 15, 1843. She married Job Kenyon. He was a doctor.

Rebecca Josephine was born October 17, 1845. On February 5, 1868 she married Henry Jenkers Levalley. Rebecca and Henry had four

daughters: Mary Rebecca, July 4, 1869 to March 9, 1876; Alice Minetta, December 7, 1873; Mabel Snow, October 27, 1878; and Sarah Hulda, August 15, 1887.

Harriet Minetta was born November 19, 1847. She was not married.

Lucy Anna was born January 17, 1850 in Warwich, RI. On February 10, 1880 she married Benjamin Baker, son of Capt. David Baker. They were married in St. Luke's Church, East Greenwich by Rev. Daniel Goodwin. Benjamin was a superintendent of schools in Newport, RI. Lucy and Benjamin had two sons: Harvey A., April 24, 1881, married Marian B. Brown; and Benjamin Charles, February 28, 1884, married Louisa Higginson.

Edwin Manton was born February 2, 1852. He was not married.

Alice Maria was born May 11, 1854. On March 9, 1886 she married Richard G. Howland. They were married in St. Luke's Church by Rev. Daniel Goodwin.

Twins born April 22, 1856 died as infants.

Hannah Elizabeth was born January 23, 1858 and died in August the same year.

The second Sarah died May 10, 1864. Joseph died October 29, 1884 in Clyde or Warwick, RI.

References: (7) 7:74, 156 & 11:529 & 16:517 & 18:49 & 20:329.

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Asa, Jr. [7]

Richard [1], James [2], Richard [3], Richard, Jr. [4], Joseph [5], Asa [6] page 212

Asa, Jr.(1815-1893)
1839 Mary Ann Peck(1816-1882)
1885 Kath. Larned(1843-)

- a son(1841-1841)
- Harriet Peck(1845-1846)
- Charles(1847-1919)
  1888 Elizabeth Eyer(1856-1939)
- Emily(1856-)
  1883 Willis H. White(-)

Asa Sisson, Jr. was born October 5, 1815 in Warwick, RI. He was a manufacturer of cotton machinery at Coventry, RI, and inspector for Providence Water Works, a member of the Society of Friends in Narragansett, and a member of the Temple of Honor (a temperance group). He was an elector for the Free Soil Party in 1848 for Martin Van Buren. On September 11, 1839 he married Mary Ann Peck, daughter of Perez and Joanna (Brown) Peck of Coventry. Mary Ann was born July 15, 1816 in Coventry. Asa and Mary Ann had four children, all born in Coventry:

A son who died May 4, 1841 is buried in Quaker Meeting Ground, Anthony, RI.

Harriet Peck was born May 25, 1845 and died August 10, 1846. She is buried in Friends yard in Coventry.

Charles, born September 7, 1847 is discussed on page 553.

Emily was born January 15, 1856. On February 1, 1883 she married Willis Harkness White, son of John B. and Miranda ( ) White. The marriage was recorded in the Narragansett Friends

records. He was secretary and treasurer for the Hope Webbing Company. They lived in Providence, RI. Emily and Willis had four children: Mary Harkness; Charles Howard (owner of the Hope Webbing Company); Louisa E.; and Edward.

Mary Ann died September 10, 1882 and is buried in Friends Cemetery in Anthony or Coventry. Asa married second in 1885 Katherine D. Larned. Katherine was born November 24, 1843. The family lived in Hamilton, RI, and Providence, then moved to Anniston, AL, where Asa died January 9 or 16, 1893.

References: (7) 7:139, 156; (11) Vol. III, p.22; (35).

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Isaac, Jr. [7]

Richard [1], James [2], Richard [3], Richard, Jr. [4], Joseph [5], Isaac [6] page 214

Isaac, Jr. (1812-1892)
1836 | Eliz. Kellet(-1895)

- Isaac, III (1839-1839)
- Albert Lombard (1842-1877)
- Hannah M. (1844-)
  - | Thomas S Kellet(-)

Isaac Sisson, Jr. was born August 12, 1812. He was a mason and contractor. On October 19, 1836 he married Elizabeth Kellet, daughter of John and Hannah ( ) Kellet. They lived in Auburn, NY. Isaac and Elizabeth had three children:

Isaac, III was born October 1 and died October 3, 1839.

Albert Lombard was born July 15, 1842. He was a lawyer, not married and died May 27, 1877.

Hannah M. was born September 4, 1844. She married Thomas S. Kellet. They moved to Seattle, WA.

Isaac, Jr. died June 28, 1892; Elizabeth died in 1895.

Reference: (35).

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Edward [7]

Richard [1], James [2], Richard [3], Richard, Jr. [4], Joseph [5], Isaac [6] page 214

Edward (1818-1897)
1847 | Ann C Hewitt (1826-1896)

- Caroline S. (1849-1904)
  - | Edward Williams (1847-1913)
- Hattie (1850-1863)
- Nellie (1865-1869)
- Edna S. (1871-1945)
  - 1900 | Carl Wismer(-)
  - | Albert Price(-)

Edward Sisson was born October 18, 1818 in New York. He was a furnace man and molder. On December 23, 1847 in Auburn, Cayuga County, NY, he married Ann C. Hewitt, daughter of Star Hewitt. The ceremony was performed by Rev. D. W. Bristol. Ann was born April 5,

1826 in Auburn. At various times the family lived in Burdett and Trumansburg, NY, and Dundee and Starkey, Yates County, NY. Edward and Ann had four children, all born in New York:

Caroline S. was born October 5, 1849. She married Edward R. Williams. Edward was born October 5, 1847. Caroline and Edward had three children: Anna M., April 4, 1872 to March 4, 1909, married Mr. Clawson; Albert S., May 9, 1877 to October 20, 1932; and Nellie Almira, September 21, 1882 to February 19, 1936. Caroline died December 19, 1904 and is buried in Trumansburg. Edward died February 26, 1913.

Hattie was born October 17, 1850 and died November 10, 1863. She is buried in Trumansburg.

Nellie was born March 24, 1865 and died April 11, 1869. She is buried in Trumansburg.

Edna (or Edla) S. was born April 1, 1871. On February 12, 1900 she married Carl Wismer. Edna and Carl had a daughter: Margaret, who married Mr. Davis. Edna married second Albert Price. Edna and Albert had a son: Paul. Edna died January 23, 1945. She is buried in Columbus, OH.

Ann died March 9, 1896; Edward died March 5, 1897.

References: (35); (413) Vol. 2, p.24; (442) 1850.

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Clinton [7]

Richard [1], James [2], Richard [3], Richard, Jr. [4], Joseph [5], Isaac [6] page 214

Clinton(1822-1854) ⟩ Frances C.(1850-)
1850 Martha Wilcox(-)

Clinton Sisson was born in March, 1822. He was an engineer on the New York and Central Railroad. In 1850 he married Martha Wilcox. Clinton and Martha had a daughter:

Frances C. was born December 25, 1850. She was not married.

The family lived in Auburn, NY. Clinton died March 14, 1854.

Reference: (35).

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Green Bradford [7]

Richard [1], James [2], Richard [3], Richard, Jr. [4], Philip [5], Peleg [6] page 216

Green Bradford(1796-1854)
1815 Hope Potter(1798-1886)

- Charles Richmond(1815-1899)
  - 1839 Lovina L. Cowen(1820-1858)
  - 1871 Mary Ann Norris(1840-1896)
- Andrew F.(1817-1893)
  - 1848 Ruth B. Cowen(1818-1863)
- Lidorana Y.(1820-1882)
  - 1843 John S. Almy(1815-1904)
- Philip Greene(1823-1893)
- Benjamin Potter(1825-1846)
- Peleg Kendrick(1828-1907)
  - Mary Jane Brown(1833-1900)
- William B.(1831-1857)
- Mary A.(1834-1915)
  - 1857 Philander Recrds(1834-)
  - Bradford Almy(-)
- Sanford A.(1837-1866)
  - 1859 Rebecca J. Goff(1838-)
- Hope Elizabeth(1841-1890)
  - 1864 Darius B. Davis(-)

Green Bradford Sisson was born November 9, 1796 in Little Compton, RI. He was a farmer. On March 26, 1815 in Westport, MA, he married Hope Potter, daughter of Edward and Betsey S. (Potter) Potter. *Potter genealogy: Nathaniel [1], [2], Ichabod [3], [4], Edward [5].* Hope was born July 18, 1798 in Westport. Green and Hope had ten children, the first four or five were born in Massachusetts, the others were born in Rhode Island:

Charles Richmond, born May 29, 1815 is discussed on page 554.

Andrew F., born August 22, 1817 is discussed on page 555.

Lidorana (Lidora) Y. was born July 25, 1820. On December 21, 1843 in Little Compton she married John S. Almy, son of Frederick and Mary ( ) Almy. John was born November 23, 1815. Lidorana and John had six children: Mattie; Vesta; Frederick; William; Valentine; and Dora. Lidorana and John are mentioned in her father's will dated 1852 in Little Compton. Lidorana died August 18, 1882; John died May 20, 1904.

Philip Greene was born February 13, 1823. He was a laborer. He was not married and died February 14, 1893 in Westport.

Benjamin Potter was born April 4, 1825. He was not married and died February 28, 1846.

Peleg Kendrick, born August 23, 1828 is discussed on page 556.

William B. was born September 24, 1831. He was not married and died April 23, 1857.

Mary A. was born July 7, 1834. She married first December 31, 1857 Philander Records, son of Thomas and Ann ( ) Records. Philander was born in 1834 in Westport. Mary and Philander had a

daughter: Annie. Mary married second Bradford Almy. Mary and Bradford adopted a daughter: Myrtle. Mary died December 9, 1915.

Sanford A., born January 30, 1837 is discussed on page 556.

Hope Elizabeth was born February 25, 1841. On February 8, 1864 in Providence she married Darius B. Davis, son of John and Nancy ( ) Davis. Darius was born in Rehoboth. Hope and Darius had two children: Kay; and Frederick. Hope died February 5, 1890.

Green died August 2, 1854 in Little Compton, RI. Hope died September 25, 1886 in Pawtucket, RI. Both are buried in Central Village, Westport.

References: (7) 4:58; (11) Vol. III, pp.23-5; (14) Vol. 10, p.306; (29) p.601; (134) 1850.

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Thomas R. [7]

Richard [1], James [2], Richard [3], Richard, Jr. [4], Philip [5], Peleg [6] page 216

Thomas R. (1800-1848)
1831 | Lydia Estes (1813-)

- Henry W. (1832-)
- James F.A. (1833-1888)
  - Lydia (-)
- Albert H. (1836-)
- 1862 | Louisa J Ashley (1838-)
- Francis B. (1838-)
- 1880 | Retta Snow (-)
- Anna J. (1841-)
- 1864 | Joseph Estes (1833-)
- Sarah A. (1843-)
- 1880 | George P. Clark (-)
- Lydia J. (1846-)
- Thomas R., Jr. (1848-)

Thomas R. Sisson was born January 30, 1800 in Westport, Bristol County, MA. On June 9, 1831 in Fall River, MA, or Tiverton, RI, he married Lydia Estes, daughter of Peter and his first wife Mercy (Dennis) Estes. Lydia was born November 7, 1813 in Tiverton. Thomas and Lydia had eight children, all born in Fall River/Tiverton:

Henry W. was born March 24, 1832 and died young.

James F.A. was born November 9, 1833. He married Lydia ( ) and had no issue. He was also reported not married. James died March 18, 1888.

Albert H., born August 4, 1836 is discussed on page 557.

Francis B. was born October 25, 1838. On December 22, 1880 he married Retta Snow.

Anna J. was born January 14, 1841. On August 28, 1864 she married Joseph Estes, son of Joseph and Anna (Hicks) Estes. Joseph was born June 16, 1833 in New Bedford. He was a piano maker in Boston. Anna and Joseph had six children: Arthur J., May 22, 1864; Edward F., August 20, 1866; Joseph, Jr., February 19, 1868 to April

7, 1869; Fred P., July 7, 1876 to January 16, 1877; Lydia, June 10, 1879 to January 10, 1880; and Claire A., August 26, 1880 to February 7, 1883.

Sarah A. was born March 28, 1843. On December 22, 1880 she married George P. Clark.

Lydia J. was born September 7, 1846 and died young.

Thomas R., Jr. was born May 4, 1848.

Thomas died January 25, 1848 in Tiverton. Lydia his widow was appointed administrator of his estate August 1, 1848.

References: (11) Vol. III, pp.27, 81; (443) 1, p.82; (444).

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Rudolphus W. [7]

Richard [1], James [2], Richard [3], Richard, Jr. [4], Philip [5], Peleg [6] page 216

Rudolphus W.(-1841) \
1832|Eliz. Ann Crosby(-) /

/Alexander Green(1832-)
\Elizabeth Ann(1834-)

Rudolphus W. Sisson may have been born about 1812. On January 27, 1832 in Fall River, MA, he married Elizabeth Ann Crosby. He was an innkeeper in that part of Fall River which was in Tiverton, RI, now called the "Narrows". Rudolphus and Elizabeth had two children, both born in Fall River:

Alexander Green was born August 6, 1832.

Elizabeth Ann was born November 6, 1834.

Rudolphus died in 1841.

Reference: (11) Vol. III, p.29.

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Harvey Handy [7]

Richard [1], James [2], Richard [3], Richard, Jr. [4], Philip [5], Peleg [6] page 216

Harvey Handy(1815-1896) \
1853|Mary A Rogrs(1828-1904) /

/John Rogers(1854-1923)
1883|Phebe W. Chase(1858-)
Mary H.(1855-1874)
Benjamin B.(1858-1922)
1883|Hannah S. Howes(1859-1928)
Harvey Handy, Jr.(1861-1926)
1893|Mary Nicholson(-)
Melinda A.(1864-)
1883|Alonzo F. Howes(1860-)
George Thatcher(1868-)
\1895|Daisy Nickerson(1873-1940)

Harvey Handy Sisson was born March 1, 1815 in Westport, MA. He ran the first stage line from Yarmouth to Chatham, MA. On

January 13, 1853 in Harwich, MA, he married Mary Ann Rogers, daughter of Josiah and Tamson (Doan) Rogers. Mary was born October 4, 1828 in Harwich. Harvey and Mary had six children, all born in Harwich:

John Rogers, born January 29, 1854 is discussed on page 557.

Mary H. was born October 13, 1855. She was not married and died May 17, 1874 in Harwich. She is buried there.

Benjamin B., born July 6, 1858 is discussed on page 558.

Harvey Handy, Jr, born March 3, 1861 is discussed on page 559.

Melinda A. was born May 20, 1864. On April 3, 1883 in Harwich she married Alonzo F. Howes, son of Isaiah and Rebecca S. ( ) Howes of Dennisport, MA. Alonzo was 23 when they married.

George Thatcher, born March 15, 1868 is discussed on page 560.

Harvey died June 27, 1896; Mary died March 6, 1904. Both died in Harwich and are buried in Center Cemetery there.

Reference: (11) Vol. III, p.28.

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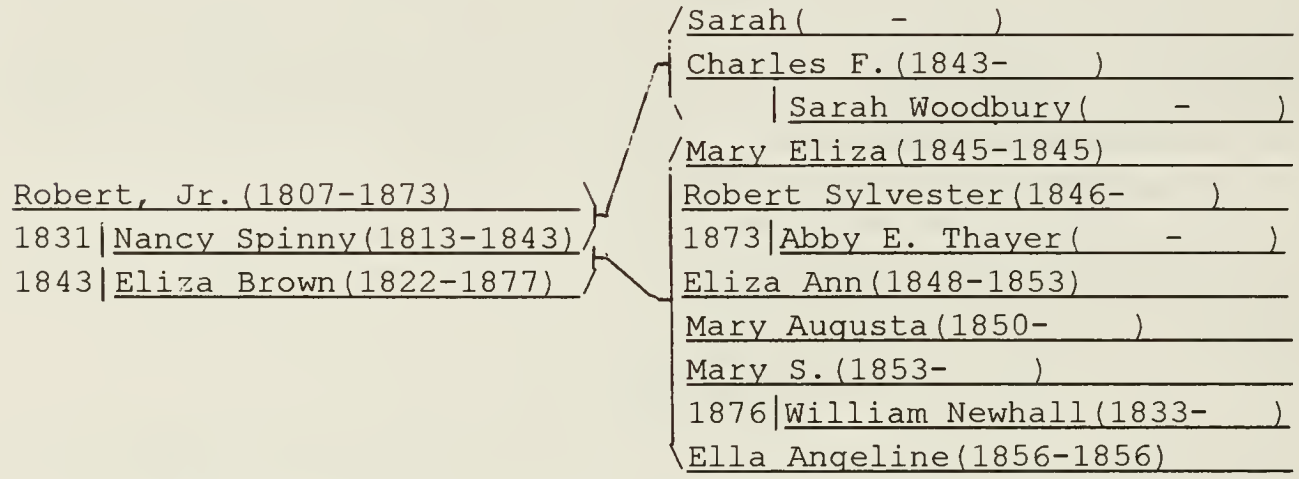
Robert, Jr. [7]

Richard [1], James [2], Richard [3], Richard, Jr. [4], Philip [5], Robert [6] page 217



Robert Sisson, Jr. was born March 11, 1807/8 in Charlestown, MA. He was baptized April 5, 1808. He was a harness maker and cordwainer. He published intent July 31, 1831 in Lynn, MA, to marry Nancy Spinney. Nancy was born in 1813. Robert and Nancy had two children:

Sarah may have been born about 1833.

Charles F., born February 13, 1843 in Lynn is discussed on page 561.

Nancy died February 18, 1843. Robert married second June 11, 1843 Eliza Ann Brown, daughter of John and Mary ( ) Brown. Eliza was born September 24, 1822 in Lynn. Robert and Eliza had six children:

Mary Eliza was born April 26 and died August 11, 1845.

Robert Sylvester, born June 4, 1846 is discussed on page 562.

Eliza Ann was born October 28, 1848 and died February 6, 1853 in Lynn.

Mary Augusta was born October 15, 1850 in Lynn. She probably died young.

Mary S. was born in 1853. On January 23, 1876 in Lynn she married William F. Newhall, son of George F. and Elizabeth ( ) Newhall. William was born in 1833 in Lynn.

Ella Angeline was born in January and died September 22, 1856 in Lynn.

Robert died June 28, 1873; Eliza died December 7, 1877. Both died in Lynn.

Reference: (11) Vol. IV, pp.27-30.

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William Bates [7]

Richard [1], James [2], Richard [3], Richard, Jr. [4], Philip [5], Robert [6] page 217

William Bates(1811-1882) 1831 Mary F Curts(1813-1884)

- Henry Eaton(-1832)
- Hannah Maria(1833-1895)
  - 1854 Charles B Lewis(1827-1885)
  - Joseph Lunt(-)
- David Curtis(-)
  - 1871 Emma A. Butler(-)
- Annie MacIntire(-)
  - Francis Pollard(-)

William Bates Sisson was born August 3, 1811 in Charlestown, MA. On February 2, 1831 he married Mary Farnsworth Curtis, daughter of James and Prudence (Bird) Curtis. Mary was born October 2, 1813. William and Mary had four children:

Henry Eaton was born in 1831/2 and died March 24, 1832.

Hannah Maria was born April 22, 1833/4. She married first November 2, 1854 Charles Benjamin Lewis. Charles was born August 13, 1827. He married first September 25, 1849 Sarah Newhall. Charles served on the frigates Macedonian and Pontiac in the Mexican War and was a freight agent for the Boston and Lowell Railroad. Hannah and Charles had three children: William Wallace, December 17, 1855 in Charlestown; Annie Haven, October 5, 1867 and a twin to Annie who died the same day. Apparently Hannah and Charles were divorced, as he married third January 3, 1877 Hannah N. Reed; he died March 4, 1885 in Medford, MA. Hannah Maria married second Joseph Lunt of Goodrich. She died April 6, 1895 in Hingham, MA. Ref: (126) Vol. 1, (p. 1190?).

David Curtis was born about 1835. On June 21, 1871 he married Emma A. Butler of Woburn, MA.

Annie MacIntire was born about 1837. She married Francis Pollard of Woburn.

William died June 11, 1882 in Boston, MA. Mary died March 3, 1884.

We have no additional references.

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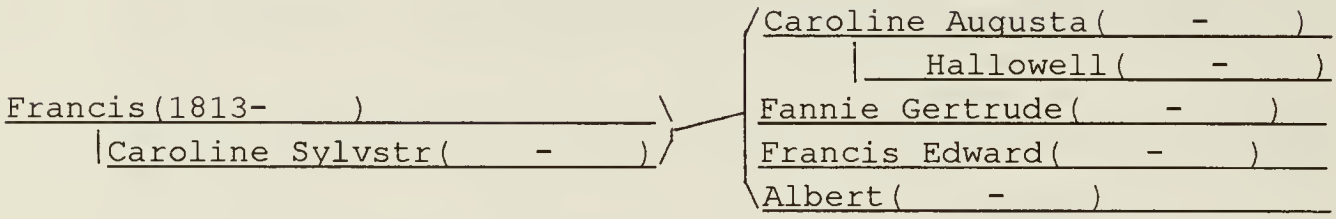
Francis [7]

Richard [1], James [2], Richard [3], Richard, Jr. [4], Philip [5], Robert [6] page 217



Francis Sisson was born March 30, 1813 in Charlestown, MA. He married Caroline Matilda Sylvester. Francis and Caroline had four children:

Caroline Augusta was born about 1838. She married Mr. Hallowell of California.

Fannie Gertrude was born about 1840.

Francis Edward was born about 1842.

Albert was born about 1844.

We have no additional references.

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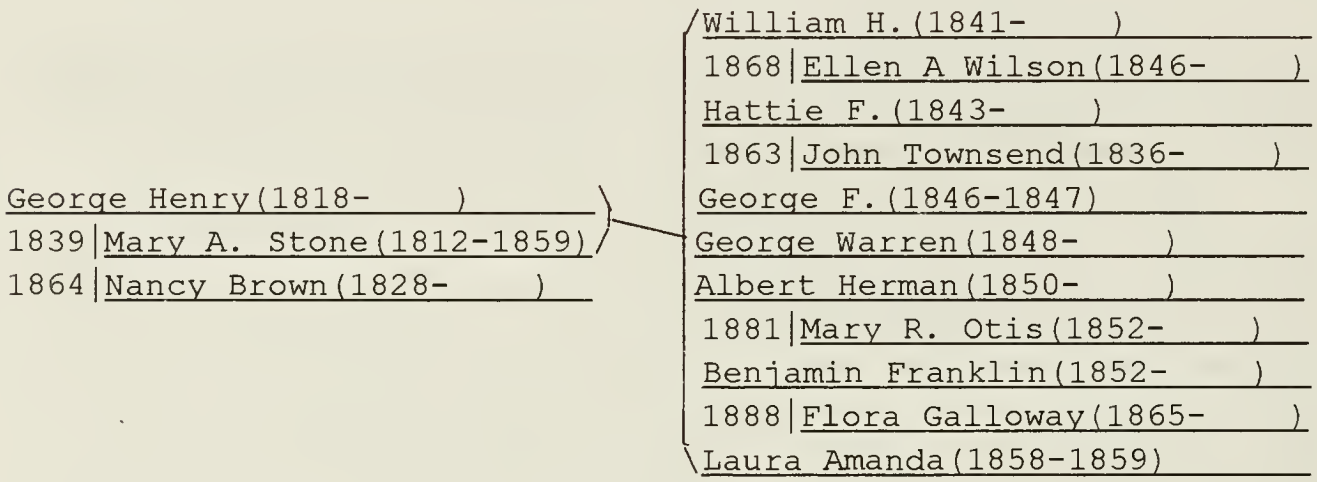
George Henry [7]

Richard [1], James [2], Richard [3], Richard, Jr. [4], Philip [5], Robert [6] page 217



George Henry Sisson was born February 12, 1818 in Charlestown, MA. He married first on September 5, 1839 in Lynn, MA, Mary Ann Stone. Mary was born in 1812 in Lynn. George and Mary had seven children, all but Hattie born in Lynn:

William Henry, born in 1841 is discussed on page 562.

Hattie F. was born in 1843 in Cambridge, MA. On December 31, 1863 in Lynn she married John W. Townsend, son of Daniel and Ann ( ) Townsend. John was 27, born in Lynn. He was a cordwainer.

George F. was born March 2, 1846 and died July 4, 1847 in Lynn.

George Warren was born March 12, 1848.

Albert Herman, born January 1, 1850 is discussed on page 562.

Benjamin Franklin, born July 3, 1852 is discussed on page 563.

Laura Amanda was born May 12, 1858 and died April 1, 1859.

Mary died December 1, 1859 in Lynn. George married second June 23, 1864 Nancy (Lewis) Brown as her third marriage. She was the daughter of Simon and Nancy (Stone) Lewis. Nancy was 36 at the time.

Reference: (11) Vol. IV, pp.31-2.

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Thomas [7]

Richard [1], James [2], Richard [3], Thomas [4], Philip [5], Philip, Jr. [6] page 218

Thomas (1788-1850) | Hannah Brown (1793-1861)

- Matilda (1810-)
  - William Tilton (-)
- Elery (1813-1893)
  - Mary Bryan (-)
- Harriet (-)
  - Cous (-)
- Lucy (-)
  - Jones (-)
- George W. (1819-1894)
  - 1848 Frances Taylor (1830-1859)
  - 1862 Sophia Clevelnd (1839-)
- Susan (1820-)
  - A. Stearns (-)
- John (1822-)
  - Sarah B. (1831-)
- Isaac (1824-)
  - Emily (1832-)
- William (1826-)
  - Jane (1828-)
- Eliza J. (1828-)
- Abigail (1831-)
  - Joseph Tilton (-)
- Thomas, Jr. (1833-1879)
  - 1852 Mary M Scribner (-1907)
- Philip (1836-)
  - Janett (-)
  - Lydia (-)
- Alexander (1838-)

Thomas Sisson was born December 15, 1788 in Tiverton, Newport County, RI. He was a farmer. He married Hannah Brown. Hannah was born circa 1793 in Rhode Island. Thomas and Hannah had fourteen children, the first born in Rhode Island, the last five born in Michigan:

Matilda, the eldest child, was born circa 1810 in Rhode Island. She married William Tilton.

Elery, born circa 1813 probably in New York is discussed on page 563.

Harriet may have been born about 1815. She married Mr. Cous.

Lucy may have been born about 1817. She married Mr. Jones.

George W., born September 11, 1819 in Aurora, Cayuga County, NY, is discussed on page 564.

Susan may have been born about 1820. She married A. Stearns.

John may have been born about 1822. This may be the John Sisson who was born in New York circa 1822. He married Sarah B. ( ) who was born circa 1831 in New York. John and Sarah had two daughters born in Michigan: Dora, circa 1856 married Fernando Hayne; and Kitty, circa 1866. Refs: (445) 1850; p.293 with Samuel Woodward; (446) 1880.

Isaac was born circa 1824 in New York. He was a blacksmith. He married Emily ( ). Emily was born circa 1832 in New York. Isaac and Emily are listed in the Tecumseh, Lenawee County, MI, 1850 census, p.116 with Alpheus Sterns [perhaps the husband of his sister Susan, above; variation in spelling].

William was born circa 1826. He married Jane ( ). Jane was born circa 1828. They are listed in the Raisin Twp, Lenawee County, MI, census, p.487.

Eliza J. was born circa 1828. She was not married in 1849.

Abigail was born circa 1831. After 1849 she married Joseph Tilton.

Thomas, Jr., born circa 1833 is discussed on page 565.

Philip was born circa 1836. He married first Janett ( ). Philip and Janett had two sons: one who died at five months and one at 24 years. Philip married second Lydia J. ( ). Philip and Lydia had a son, probably the Lamar Sisson born in Michigan, who died May 25, 1873, age 10 years, 10 months, in Clinton, Lenawee County, MI. Ref: Clinton death record #113, p.123, dated June 11, 1874.

Alexander was born circa 1838.

The family moved to Tecumseh in 1827. The 1840 census shows: 2 m 5-10, 1 m 10-15, and 1 m 50-60; 2 f 5-10, 1 f 15-20, and 1 f 40-50. Thomas died December 1, 1850; Hannah died June 13, 1861 both in Tecumseh, MI,and are buried there. His will, dated November 10, 1849, mentions wife Hannah and all fourteen children, son George and son-in-law William Tilton, executors.

References: (7) 4:106; (289) Birth Record Book 1:149, 4:143; (447); (448) 1840, p.142 & 1850, p.487; (449) 1870; (450); (451).

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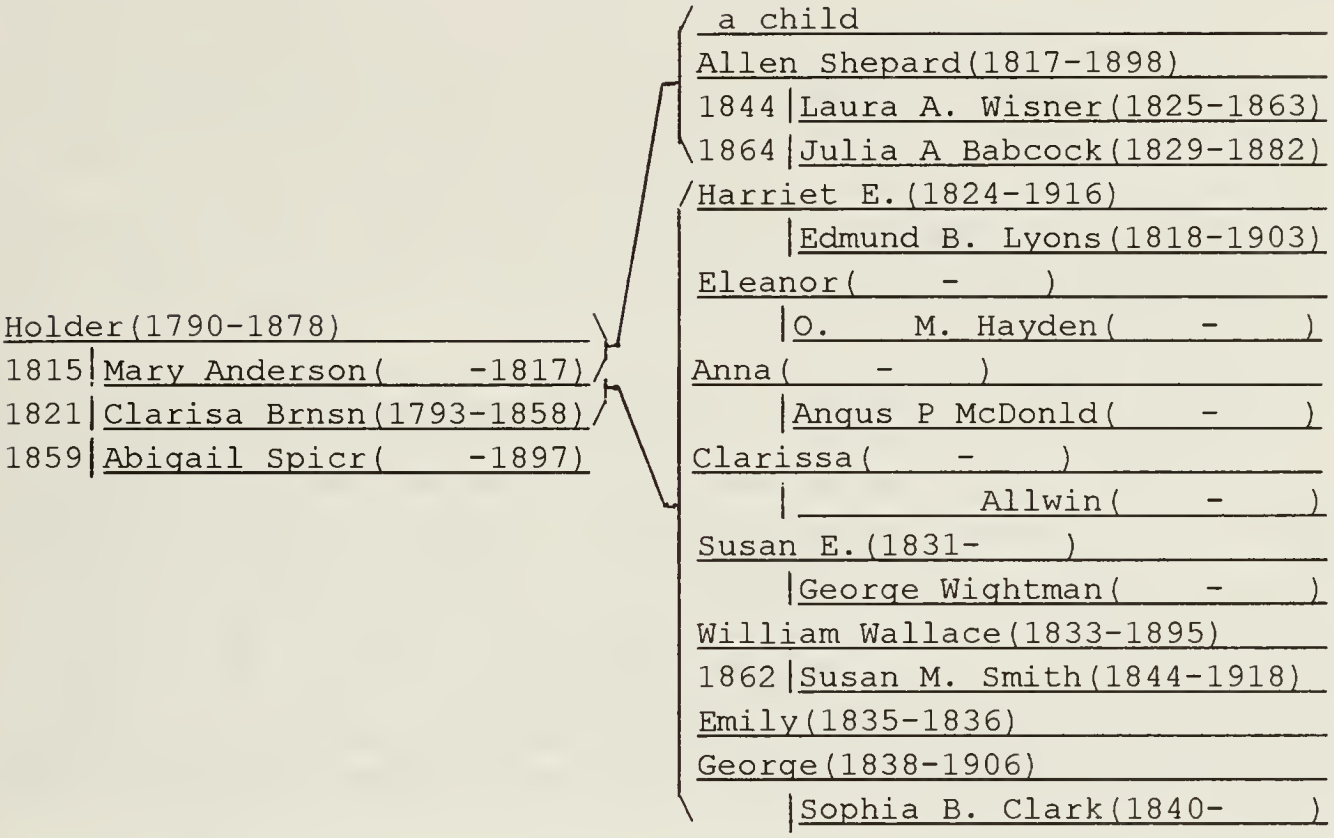

Holder Sisson was born September 27, 1790 in Tiverton, RI. Holder was a farmer and a soldier in the War of 1812, near Evansville, IN,drafted January 14, 1814. He was granted a claim (#14334) of $55 in Will County as a soldier of 1812 to replace personal property worn out, lost, or destroyed. On July 16, 1815 in Scipio, Cayuga County, NY, he married Mary "Polly" Anderson, daughter of Samuel and Jerusha (Lyons) Anderson. The family moved to Monticello, NY. Holder and Polly had two children born in New York, one who died an infant:

Allen Shepard, born January 15, 1817 is discussed on page 567. It has been reported that Holder had a younger brother Allen Shepherd born in 1812. This was actually his son Allen who was raised by grandparents Samuel and Jerusha Anderson.

Polly died in 1817, "in the third year of their marriage". Holder married second in Vigo County, IN, February 28, 1821 Clarissa Bronson/Brunson, daughter of Thomas and Anne (Rumsey) Bronson of Roxbury, CT. Clarissa was born in September, 1793 in Roxbury. They moved to Will County, IL, in October, 1831. He was a captain in the Black Hawk War; he build a block house for the defense of Lockport. Holder was also the first commissioner of Cook County and Will County. Holder and Clarissa had eight children:

Harriet E. was born March 14, 1824 in Terra Haute, IN. She married Edmund Burke Lyons of La Porte City, IA. Edmund was born February 12, 1818. Harriet and Edmund had fourteen children. [These

are ancestors of Shirley K. Egan, Ithaca, NY.] Edmund died September 8, 1903 in Humboldt, IA; Harriet died May 24, 1916 in Waterloo, IA.

Eleanor "Ella" was born about 1825. She married O. M. Hayden of La Porte City.

Anna was born about 1826. She married Angus Peter McDonald.

Clarissa "Clara" was born about 1828. She married Mr. Allwin of Toronto, Canada. It has also been reported in "Patriots and Biographical Records of Kane and Kendall Counties, IL", Beers, Leggett and Company, 1888, that she married Mr. McDonald, a member of the Canadian Parliment [see Anna above].

Susan E. was born June 7, 1831. She married George Wightman (Whitman) and lived in Des Plaines, IL.

William Wallace, born July 3, 1833 in Lockport, IL, is discussed on page 569.

Emily was born in 1835 and died October 23, 1836.

George, born in 1836 (or 1838) is discussed on page 569.

In 1835 and following, school classes were held in a little room build by Holder as an addition to the house. Later a separate school was built. Clarissa died August 6, 1858 in Lockport. Holder married third in Lockport January 15, 1859 Abigail (Scudder) Spicer, widow of George Spicer. Holder died April 26, 1878 in Lockport. His obituary is reported in the "Lockport Standard", May 1, 1878. Clarissa and Holder are buried in the Old Pioneer Cemetery, Lockport Twp; in 1998 the remains of those buried there were moved to the Lockport City Cemetery. Abigail went to Michigan and died there December 29, 1897.

References: (7) 4:106; (23); (276); (289) 1:149, 4:143; (293); (381), April 6, 1963 & summer, 1998; (452) Affidavit signed April 13, 1871; (453) p.311; (454); (455) pp.253-4, 416, 428.

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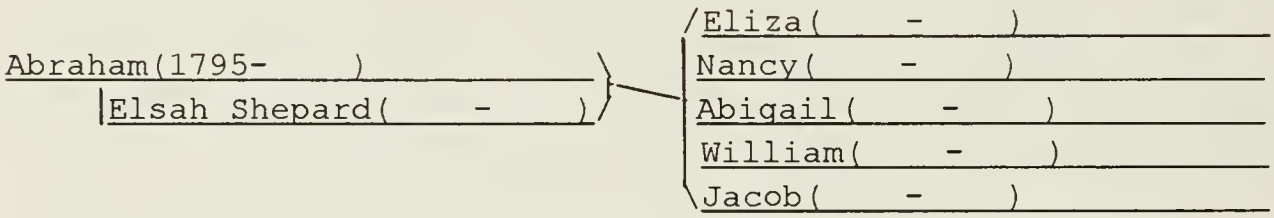
Abraham [7]

Richard [1], James [2], Richard [3], Thomas [4], Philip [5], Philip, Jr. [6] page 218



Abraham Sisson was born June 16, 1795 in Tiverton, RI. He married Elsah "Eley" Shepard. They lived in Ithica, NY. Abraham and Elsah had five children:

Eliza was born about 1817.

Nancy was born about 1819.

Abigail was born about 1821.

William was born about 1823.

Jacob was born about 1825.

References: (7) 4:106; (289) Birth Record Book 1:149.

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Cook S. [7]

Richard [1], James [2], Richard [3], Thomas [4], Philip [5], Philip, Jr. [6] page 218

Cook S.(1799-1886) ⟩ <Luellen(1824-)
1821 | Lovisa Carlton(1802-) ⟩

Cook S. Sisson was born October 3, 1799 in Tiverton, RI. On July 5, 1821 he married Lovisa (or Louisa) Carlton. Lovisa was born circa 1802 in New York. They went from New York to Tecumseh, MI, in 1824. Cook and Lovisa probably had several children, including:

Luellen was born circa 1824 in New York.

The 1840 census for Fayette Twp, Lenawee County, p.102 shows 1 m 5-10, 4 m 15-20, and 1 m 40-50; 1 f 5-10, 1 f 10-15, 1 f 30-40, 1 f 50-60 [her mother or an older sister?], and 1 f 70-80 [his mother Susannah?]. He was a farmer with $2,000 value in the 1850 Census. Cook died in April, 1886 in Michigan.

References: (7) 4:106; (289) 1:149; (456) 1850, p.156.

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Henry Wilbur [7]

Richard [1], James [2], Richard [3], Thomas [4], Philip [5], Philip, Jr. [6] page 218

Henry Wilbur(1801-1887) ⟩ ⟨Julia(-)
1824 | Betsy E. Davenport(1809-) ⟩ ⟨ | Tabor(-)

Henry Wilbur Sisson was born October 1, 1801 in Tiverton, RI. On March 24, 1824 in Ithica, NY, he married Betsy E. Davenport of Algansee, Branch County, MI. Betsy was born in 1809 in New York. Henry and Betsy had a daughter:

Julia was born about 1825. She married Mr. Tabor. There was a Peleg Tabor, born in New York circa 1806, with a value of $200 in 1850, along with Adelbert Tabor, circa 1846 and Asa A. Tabor, circa 1848. Julia A. Tabor was living with her father Henry in the Scipio, Hillsdale County, MI, 1850 census, p.444. Tabor children are also mentioned in the 1880 census.

Henry had land dealings in Tioga County, NY in 1832. The family moved to Michigan in 1833 and lived in Hillsdale County and Algansee. The Adrian Daily Telegram (newspaper) of September 7, 1971 reports the dedication of a plaque at Davenport House. It states: "In 1834 Henry W. Sisson of New York settled here and built a log tavern, located on Evans Lake where the Chicago Road enters the Irish Hills. The tavern was purchased in 1839 by John Davenport...." Henry was a farmer with a $3,000 value in 1850. Henry died December 13, 1887 in Algansee; Betsy died after Henry.

References: (7) 4:106; (221) Book 9, pp.244-5, 1832; (289) Birth Record Book 1:149; (426) Vol. 13, p.187; (457) 1850 p.444.

Philip, III [7]

Richard [1], James [2], Richard [3], Thomas [4], Philip [5], Philip, Jr. [6] page 218

Philip, III (1808-1898)
1832 | Sarah A Foot (1811-1897)

- Francis (1835-)
- Philip Franklin (1839-)
  - 1864 | Eliza S. Hill (-)
- Augustus (1842-)
- Josephine (1844-1889)
  - 1863 | William Thayer (-)
- Eugene (1847-)
- Sarah (1850-)
- Ervin (1854-1908)
  - 1879 | Loraine Schwab (1859-1950)
- William H. (-1922)
  - | Lucinda Bachman (-)
  - 1888 | Carrie Pontius (1866-1926)

Philip Sisson, III was born October 5, 1808 in Tiverton, RI. After his father's death, Philip was placed under the guardianship of Daniel Jenks in May, 1819. Philip was a carpenter. On July 11, 1832 he married Sarah "Sally" Ann Foote of Odessa, NY. Sarah was born circa 1811 in New York. The family lived in Seneca Falls, NY. Philip and Sarah had eight children, all born in New York:

Francis/Frances was born circa 1835 in Seneca Falls.

Philip Franklin, born in October, 1839 in Seneca Falls is discussed on page 570.

Augustus "Gustus" was born circa 1842.

Josephine Augusta was born October 24, 1844 in Seneca Falls. She was not in the 1850 census. On May 6, 1863 she married William James Thayer. William was born about 1844. He served as a corporal in the Civil War, 33rd Regiment, NY State Volunteers. Josephine and William had four children: Minnie Josephine, March 5, 1864 to August 9, 1897; Nellie Hoag, August 5, 1870 to September 23, 1974, married Frank B. Carlton; Bertha, about 1868; and Robert Lester. Josephine died June 4, 1889 in Auburn, Cayuga County, NY.

Eugene was born circa 1847. He has been confused with the Eugene P. who married Jennie B. Buell and had five children; refs: (157) New York State, Vol. 75 [p.56?]. See Eugene Pardon page 591.

Sarah was born circa 1850 in Seneca Falls. She inherited the family property; it was later sold from her estate.

Ervin (or Irving), born April 2, 1854 is discussed on page 570.

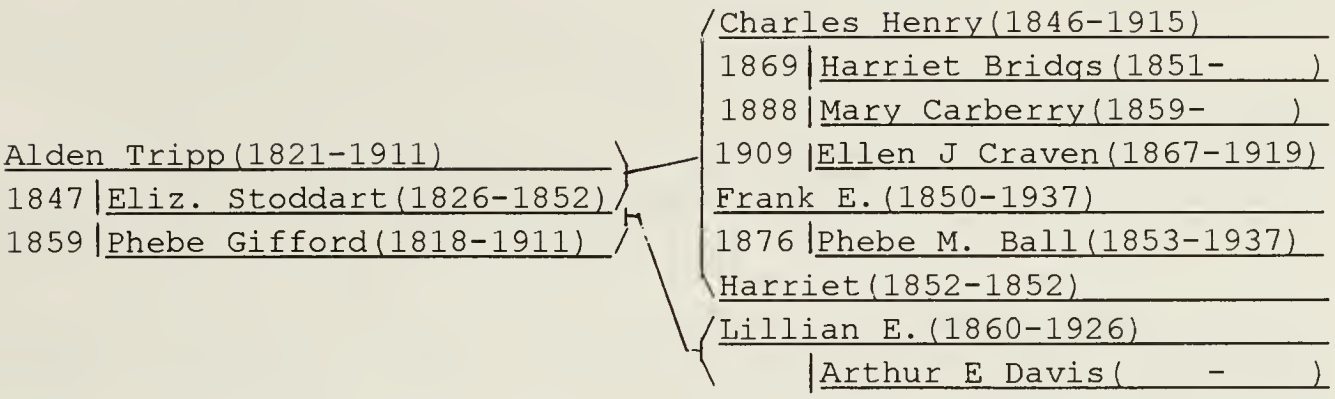
William H., born about 1855 is discussed on page 571.

Sarah died May 16, 1897; Philip died August 26, 1898. Both died in Seneca Falls.

References: (7) 4:107; (268) 1850; (289) 1:149; (290); (458).

Alden Tripp [7]

Richard [1], James [2], Richard [3], James [4], Daniel [5], George [6] page 222



Alden Tripp Sisson was born December 31, 1821 in Westport, MA. He was a laborer and later operated a box factory in Westport. He married first January 21, 1847 in Westport Elizabeth W. Stoddart, daughter of Henry C. and Elizabeth ( ) Stoddart of Providence, RI. Elizabeth was born in 1826 in Providence. Alden and Elizabeth had three children, all born in Westport:

Charles Henry was born November 22, 1846. He was a box maker, teamster and carriage salesman. Charles married first September 26, 1869 in Fall River Harriet Bridges, daughter of Thomas and Mary ( ) Bridges. Harriet was 18 at the time, born in Canada. Charles married second March 23, 1888 in Fall River Mary E. Carberry, daughter of Philip J. and Catherine ( ) Carberry. She was 29 at the time, born in Boston. Charles married third April 1, 1909 in Providence Ellen Josephine Craven daughter of Daniel and Mary ( ) Craven. Ellen was a widow, age 42 at the time, born in Providence. Charles died intestate February 14, 1915. His heirs were Ellen J. Sisson, his widow; Frank E. Sisson, brother; and Lillian E. Davis, sister. Ellen died December 30, 1919 in Cranston, RI. Ref: (459).

Frank E., born in 1850 is discussed on page 572.

Harriet was born April 29 and died September 26, 1852.

Elizabeth died December 30, 1852 in Westport. Alden married second December 13, 1859 in Westport Phebe Ann Gifford, daughter of Peleg and Phebe (Brownell) Gifford. Phebe was born January 14, 1818 in Westport. Alden and Phebe had a daughter:

Lillian E. was born May 23, 1860 in Westport. She married Arthur E. Davis. Lillian died February 9, 1926 in Westport.

Phebe died April 21, 1911 in New Bedford. Alden died October 3, 1911 in Westport.

References: (11) Vol. III, p.30; (68); (169).

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Daniel H. [7]

Richard [1], James [2], Richard [3], James [4], Daniel [5], George [6] page 222

Daniel H.(1823-)
1841|Phebe Tripp(1811-1894)
1869|Ruth Albro(1824-)

- William Henry(1841-1919)
  1864|Eugenia Gifford(1845-1913)
- Sarah B.(1850-)
  1868|Abraham Cornell(1839-)
- Emma R.(1852-)
  1869|Charles Stowell(1851-)

Daniel H. Sisson was born circa 1823. He was a Mason. He married first on June 12, 1841 in Westport Phebe C. Tripp, daughter of Jeremiah Tripp. Phebe was born June 18, 1811 in Westport. Daniel and Phebe had three children, all born in Westport:

William Henry, born July 19, 1841 is discussed on page 573.

Sarah B. was born in 1850. On May 14, 1868 in Westport she married Abraham T. Cornell, son of William and Mary A. (Almy) Cornell. Abraham was born in 1839 in Middletown.

Emma R. was born January 10, 1852. On April 5, 1869 in New Bedford she married Charles H. Stowell, son of Columbus and Nancy H. ( ) Stowell. Charles was born February 22, 1851 (or 1831) in New Bedford.

Phebe died September 30, 1894 in Fairhaven. She is buried in the Linden Grove Cemetery, Westport. Daniel married second May 16, 1869 in Tiverton, Mrs. Ruth B. (Sanford) Albro of Middletown, daughter of John P. and Sarah (Borden) Sanford. It was her third marriage. The marriage was performed by Elder James A. McKensie in Tiverton. Daniel was age 46, Ruth age 45. Ruth was born in Middletown, RI.

References: (11) Vol. III, p.31; (18); (68) marriages.

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Stephen T. [7]

Richard [1], James [2], Richard [3], James [4], Daniel [5], George [6] page 222

Stephen T.(1827-1887)
1868|Mary B. Ryan(1842-1913)

- a son(1872-1872)
- Mary J.(1873-)
  1890|James Whalon(1866-)
- Elias(1875-)
- Thomas(1877-)
- Helena M.(-)
  1922|Henry J. Brough(1881-)
- Abby A.(1885-)
  1907|Henry J. Brough(1881-)

Stephen T. Sisson was born January 18, 1827 in Westport, MA. On May 1, 1868 he married Mary B. Ryan. Mary was born in 1842 in

Ireland. Stephen and Mary had six children, all born in Fall River, MA:

A son was stillborn May 29, 1872.

Mary J. was born July 16, 1873. On August 6, 1890 in Fall River she married James Whalon, son of William and Ellen ( ) Whalon. James was born in 1866 in Fall River.

Elias was born March 4, 1875.

Thomas was born March 27, 1877.

Helena M. may have been born about 1880. On September 11, 1922 in Fall River she married Henry J. Brough, her sister's widower.

Abby A. was born February 19, 1885. On April 4, 1907 in Fall River she married Henry J. Brough, son of George and Mary ( ) Brough. Henry was born in 1881 in Fall River. Abby died before 1922.

Stephen died September 1, 1887 in Fall River and is buried in Westport. Mary died March 2, 1913 in Fall River and is buried in St. Patrick's Cemetery there.

Reference: (11) Vol. III, p.32.

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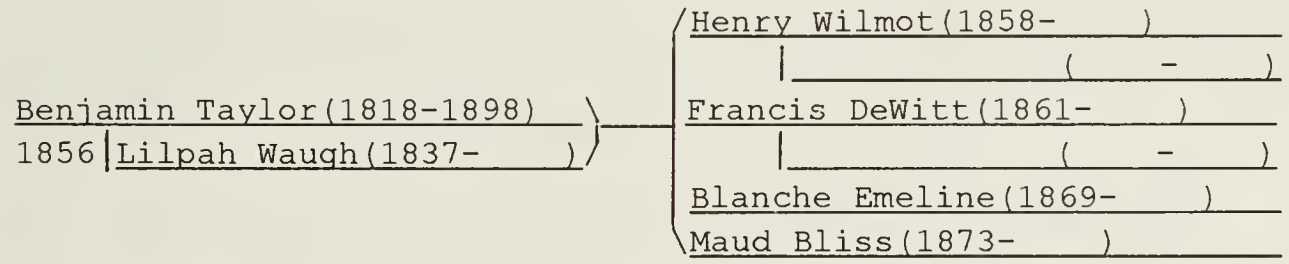
Benjamin Taylor [7]

Richard [1], James [2], Richard [3], James [4], Daniel [5], Warren [6] page 223



Benjamin Taylor Sisson was born December 22, 1818/9, in Dartmouth, MA. He was Captain of the whaling ship "Callao". On February 20, 1856 he married Lilpah (or Zilpah) A. Waugh, daughter of J. M. Waugh of Illinois. Lilpah was born in 1837 in Pennsylvania. Benjamin and Lilpah had four children:

Henry "Harry" Wilmot, born in 1858 is discussed on page 573.

Francis DeWitt, born in 1861 is discussed on page 574.

Blanche Emeline was born in 1869.

Maude Bliss was born in 1873.

Benjamin inherited land in Dartmouth, MA, from his mother Nancy Bliss which he and Lilpah sold in 1870 and 1871. They were living in Richland Grove, Mercer County, IL, at the time. Benjamin died in 1898.

References: (11) Vol. III, pp.33, 91.

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George Howland [7]

Richard [1], James [2], Richard [3], James [4], Daniel [5], Warren [6] page 223

George Howland(1820-1873) ⟩ ⟨Arthur Clinton(1859-)
1858 | Marian Wady(1839-) ⟩

George Howland Sisson was born July 9 (or September 7), 1820 in Dartmouth, MA. On August 5, 1858 in Dartmouth he married Marian P. Wady, daughter of Ira and Mary S. ( ) Wady of Dartmouth. Marian was born in 1839 in New Bedford. George and Marian had a son:

Arthur Clinton was born April 13, 1859 in Dartmouth.

George died December 22, 1873 in Richland Grove, IL.

Reference: (11) Vol. II, p.128.

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Arnold Bliss [7]

Richard [1], James [2], Richard [3], James [4], Daniel [5], Warren [6] page 223

Arnold Bliss(1828-1890) ⟩ ⟨Charles Arnold(1856-1907)
1856 | Hannah Anthony(1837-1922) ⟩ 1880 | Lucretia Hskll(1858-1929)
William H. Anthony(1865-1938)
1895 | Frances Hewins(1862-1923)
a son(1866-)

Arnold Bliss Sisson was born December 14, 1828 in New Bedford, MA. Arnold went to California in 1849 with Stephen Anthony and others, making three trips in all and spending about ten years there. On April 6, 1856 in New Bedford he married Hannah A. Anthony, daughter of Stephen M. and Eliza W. (Barker) Anthony of Dartmouth, MA. Hannah was born July 15, 1837 in Dartmouth. Arnold and Hannah had three sons, all born in Dartmouth:

Charles Arnold, born May 13, 1858 is discussed on page 574.

William Herbert Anthony was born in 1865. On December 2, 1895 in New Bedford he married Frances S. Hewins, daughter of Llewellyn R. and Arabella F. (Swift) Hewins. Frances was born June 9, 1862 in Falmouth. William was in the decorating business in New Bedford and later operated a restaurant in Falmouth. William and Frances had no children. Frances died August 1, 1923 in Falmouth. William died August 15, 1938 in Hyannis, MA. Both are buried in Oak Grove Cemetery, Falmouth.

A son was born June 20, 1866 and probably died young.

Arnold and Hannah settled on 100 acres in New Bedford owned by her father. Arnold was a farmer and harvested ice from a large pond on the property. Arnold died September 27, 1890 in Dartmouth. Hannah died March 24, 1922 at Falmouth, MA. Both are buried in Oak Grove Cemetery, Falmouth.

Reference: (11) Vol. III, p.34.

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James Henry [7]

Richard [1], James [2], Richard [3], Lemuel [4], Job [5], Job, Jr. [6] page 224

James Henry(1827-1903)
1850 Mary L Spicer(1828-1914)

- Sarah Ann(1851-)
  - 1875 Francis Talmage(-)
- Mary Eliza(1853-)
  - 1881 George Sheldon(-)
- Aiden Jacob(1855-)
- Phebe Ann(1856-)
  - 1882 Lewis Thompson(-)
- William James(1858-)
  - 1881 Sarah Brewster(1860-)
- Joseph Appleton(1859-)
  - 1886 Ella Palmer(-)
- Abigail Gelona(1863-)
  - 1894 Martin Wiles(-)
- Chauncey Adelbert(1868-)
- John Jay(1870-)
  - 1901 Minnie Wilson(-)

James Henry Sisson was born January 15, 1827 in West Fort Ann, Washington County, NY. On September 19, 1850 in West Fort Ann he married Mary Lovina Spicer, daughter of Jacob and Anna (Emmons) Spicer. Mary was born August 26, 1828 in West Fort Ann. James and Mary had nine children, all but one born in West Fort Ann:

Sarah Ann was born September 3, 1851. On February 22, 1875 she married Francis S. Talmage of Fort Ann.

Mary Eliza was born July 4, 1853. On May 3, 1881 she married George W. Shelden of Fort Ann.

Aiden Jacob was born April 19, 1855. He moved to Lake George, NY.

Phebe Ann was born September 3, 1856. On May 16, 1882 she married Lewis Thompson of Fort Ann.

William James, born April 5, 1858 is discussed on page 575.

Joseph Appleton was born August 31, 1859. On February 27, 1886 he married Ella Palmer.

Abigail Gelona was born May 3, 1863. On November 28, 1894 she married Martin Wiles.

Chauncey Adelbert was born July 20, 1868 in Linlithgo, NY.

John Jay was born January 20, 1870. On September 12, 1901 he married Minnie Wilson.

James died June 29, 1903 in Nebraska; Mary died January 17, 1914.

References: (320) p.16426; (460) A14A114, p.135.

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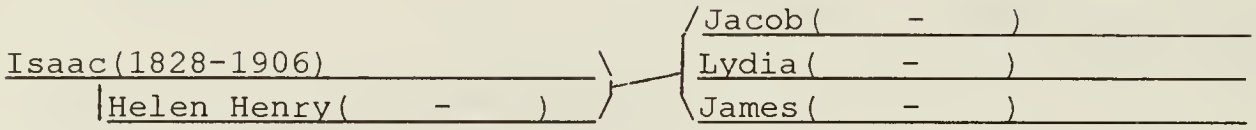
Isaac [7]

Richard [1], James [2], Richard [3], Lemuel [4], Lemuel, Jr. [5], Jacob [6] page 225



Isaac Sisson was born June 1, 1828. He married Helen Henry of Nova Scotia, Canada. Isaac and Helen had three children:
Jacob may have been born about 1850.
Lydia may have been born about 1852.
James may have been born about 1854.

Isaac died August 3, 1906 in Dutchess County, NY.

Reference: (73).

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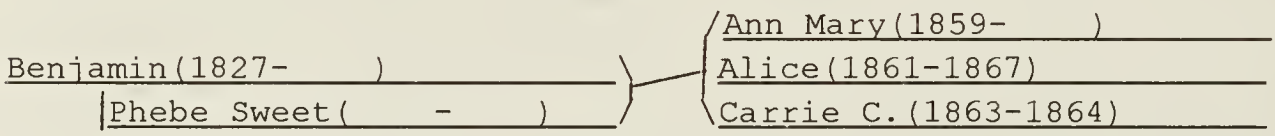
Benjamin [7]

Richard [1], James [2], Richard [3], Lemuel [4], Lemuel, Jr. [5], Job [6] page 225



Benjamin Sisson was born September 19, 1827. He married Phebe Sweet. Benjamin and Phebe had three daughters:
Ann Mary was born July 18, 1859.
Alice was born January 13, 1861 and died December 11, 1867.
Carrie C. was born March 14, 1863 and died April 8, 1864.

Reference: (294).

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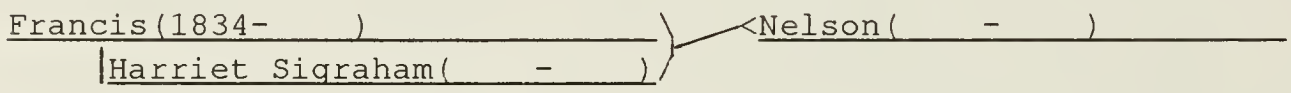
Francis [7]

Richard [1], James [2], Richard [3], Lemuel [4], Lemuel, Jr. [5], William [6] page 226



Francis "Frank" Sisson was born circa 1834. He married Harriet Sigraham. The family lived in Washington, Dutchess County, NY. Francis and Harriet had a son:
Nelson was born about 1860.

We have no additional references.

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James B. [7]

Richard [1], James [2], Richard [3], Lemuel [4], Lemuel, Jr. [5], Henry [6] page 227

James B.(1841-1890)
1866 Helen Titus(1843-1917)

- Harry(1867-1938)
- Edward(1871-1931)
  1899 Mary E Bogardus(-)

James B. Sisson was born in 1841 in Poughkeepsie, Dutchess County, NY. On October 10, 1866 he married Helen Titus, daughter of Obadiah and Mary (Townsend) Titus. Helen was born in 1843 in Poughkeepsie. James and Helen had two sons, born in Poughkeepsie:

Harry was born September 29, 1867 and died July 7, 1938.

Edward was born February 26, 1871. On April 25, 1899 he married Mary E. Bogardus. Edward died May 29, 1931.

James died in 1890 and Helen died in 1917, both in Poughkeepsie.

Reference: (461) B17A175, p.24.

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Job [7]

Richard [1], James [2], James, Jr. [3], Lewis [4], Job [5], John Ford [6] page 228

Job(1808-1880)
1829 Patnce Sissn(1813-1889)

- Hannah(1829-)
  1853 George O. Tilton(-)
- John Ford(1836-1915)
  1858 Love T. West(1837-1927)
- Zebulon(1842-)
- Job, Jr.(1844-)
- George William(1848-1931)
  1873 Sarah E. West(1857-1874)
  1885 Ella L. Childs(1854-1927)

Job Sisson was born September 2, 1808 in New Bedford, MA. He was listed in New Bedford Directories as a mariner from 1836 to 1839 and as a cooper from 1839 to 1880. On March 1, 1829 in New Bedford he married Patience Sisson, daughter of Stephen* and Lillis (Tripp) Sisson. Patience was born December 23, 1813 in Westport, MA. The family lived at 17 Morgan Row. Job and Patience had five children, all born in New Bedford:

Hannah was born November 28, 1829. On April 7, 1853 in New Bedford she married George Oliver Tilton, son of John Tilton of Chilmark, MA. They had a son: George Fred.

John Ford, born July 29, 1836 is discussed on page 575.

Zebulon was born January 31, 1842. He was probably not married. He was perhaps lost at sea. He is not recorded in any New Bedford Directories.

Job, Jr. was born June 3, 1844. He was not married. He is listed in the New Bedford Directories as a mariner between 1867 and 1882. He was lost at sea.

George William, born July 14, 1848 is discussed on page 576.

Job died at home May 7, 1880 and is buried in Rural Cemetery, New Bedford. Patience died at home April 23, 1889.

* This may be Stephen page 116, son of Job [5]; he may have been born in 1793 and therefore age 20 when Patience was born. Westport Vital Records indicate that Stephen filed intent to marry Lydia Tripp in 1822 [perhaps as his second marriage].

References: (11) Vol. II, p.130; (77); (462).

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Otis Almy [7]

Richard [1], James [2], James, Jr. [3], Lewis [4], Job [5], Daniel W. [6] page 229

Otis Almy (1830-1900)
1847 | Lorinda Hart (1828-1860)
1861 | Ruth M Tripp (1840-1917)

- six children
- daughter (1861-1861)
- Eugenia Haskell (1863-)
  - Edwin Tillinghst (-)
- Otis A., Jr. (1865-1866)
- Bertha D. (1867-)
  - 1895 | James S. Chase (-)
- Eola Maria (1869-)
  - 1896 | William A Clarke (-)
- Otis A., Jr. (1877-1877)
- a son (-1880)
- a son (-1881)

Otis Almy Sisson was born April 4, 1830 in Westport, MA. He was a farmer, then a manufacturer of "Sisson's Excelsior Soap". He married first November 25, 1847 in New Bedford Lorinda Hart of Tiverton. Lorinda was born November 29, 1828 in New Bedford. We have no information on their six children.

Lorinda died December 11, 1860 in New Bedford. Otis married second on June 30, 1861 in New Bedford, MA, Ruth Maria Tripp, daughter of Stephen Tripp of South Westport. Ruth was born September 29, 1840. Otis and Ruth had eight children:

A daughter was born September 5 and died September 26, 1861.

Eugenia Haskell was born January 23, 1863. She married Edwin L. Tillinghast.

The first Otis A., Jr. was born January 17, 1865 and died October 9, 1866.

Bertha D. was born August 7, 1867. On June 5, 1895 she married James S. Chase, son of Adishai H. and Jane (Studley) Chase.

Eola Maria was born April 9, 1869. On September 16, 1896 she married William Albert Clarke, son of Albert and Sarah (Titus) Clarke.

The second Otis A., Jr. was born April 9, 1877 and died eleven days later, on April 20.

A son was born about 1878/9 and died January 5, 1880.

Another son was born about 1881 and died November 6, 1881.

Otis joined "the Artillery Co." in 1878. Otis died March 27, 1900; Ruth died May 28, 1917, both in New Bedford and are buried in Rural Cemetery.

References: Naval Register; (11) Vol. IV, p.61; (169) p.126; (463).

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Daniel Strange [7]

Richard [1], James [2], Jonathan [3], William [4], William, Jr. [5], Perry [6] page 231

Daniel Strange(1831-1879)
1854 Lydia Huntington(1833-1899)
- Nathan(1857-1872)
- George H.(1862-)
- Ada Elizabeth(1871-)

Daniel Strange Sisson was born October 12, 1831. He was a farmer, lumber and box manufacturer, and grocer in Pontiac, NY. On April 5, 1854 he married Lydia Huntington, daughter of Moses Huntington, a Quaker minister. Lydia was born December 24, 1833. Daniel and Lydia had three children:

Nathan was born July 10, 1857 and died September 4, 1872.

George H. was born June 16, 1862 in Collins, Erie County, NY. He was a physician, graduating from the Buffalo College of Medicine in 1890. He practiced in Buffalo, and was a member of the Erie County Medical Society.

Ada Elizabeth was born March 29, 1871. She was a teacher.

Daniel died August 17, 1879; Lydia died June 13, 1899.

We have no additional references.

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Nathan [7]

Richard [1], James [2], Jonathan [3], William [4], William, Jr. [5], Perry [6] page 231

Nathan(1835-1870)
Fanny Pratt(-)
- William(-)
- Merton(-)

Nathan Sisson was born December 4, 1835 in Collins, Erie County, NY. He was a farmer, and married Fanny Pratt, daughter of Samuel W. and Fanny (Fletcher) Pratt. Fanny was born about 1836 in Collins. Nathan and Fanny had two sons:

William was born about 1860.

Merton was born about 1862.

Nathan was an assessor in North Collins in 1868. They moved from Collins to Marietta, OH. Nathan died April 23, 1870.

Reference: (175) p.761.

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Elijah [7]

Richard [1], James [2], Jonathan [3], William [4], William, Jr. [5], Nathaniel [6] page 234

Elijah(1829-1880) ⎫ ⎧Marshall(1854-1913)
1853 Lucreta Judsn(1831-) ⎭—⎩1874 Patience Bordn(1855-1908)

Elijah Sisson was born November 26, 1829 in Erie County, NY. On February 2, 1853 he married Lucretia Judson. Lucretia was born circa 1831 in Erie County. Elijah and Lucretia had a son:

Marshall was born February 1, 1854 in North Collins, Erie County, NY. On October 20, 1874 he married Patience Borden. Patience was born June 15, 1855 in North Collins. Marshall and Patience had a daughter but we have no information on her. Patience died June 13, 1908; Marshall died February 13, 1913.

Elijah died May 3, 1880.

Reference: (299) p.19.

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Edward [7]

Richard [1], James [2], Jonathan [3], William [4], William, Jr. [5], Nathaniel [6] page 234

Edward(-) ⎫ ⎧Carolyn M.(1877-1921)
Maria Foster(1851-1891) ⎭—⎩1900 Clarence Rothfuss(-)
Edith (-)

Edward Sisson was born about 1848 in Erie County, NY. He married first Maria E. Foster. Maria was born May 29, 1851. Edward and Maria had a daughter:

Carolyn M. was born April 13, 1877 in Erie, NY. On September 5, 1900 she married Clarence A. Rothfuss. Carolyn died October 16, 1921.

Maria died February 24, 1891. Edward married second Edith ( ).

Reference: (299) p.19.

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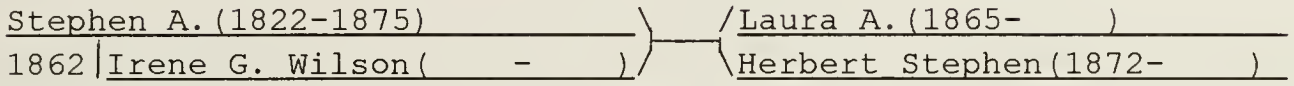
Stephen A. [7]

Richard [1], James [2], Jonathan [3], William [4], Nathaniel [5], William M. [6] page 235



Stephen A. Sisson was born March 6 (or 17), 1822 in Collins, Erie County, NY. He was a Republican, farmer, and broker. He was town assessor of Collins in 1866 and supervisor from 1871 to 1873. On July 15, 1862 [Briggs gives a marriage date of 1852] he married Irene G. Wilson, daughter of Gideon/George and Lydia ( ) Wilson of Mansfield, NY. Stephen and Irene had two children:

Laura A. was born March 6, 1865.

Herbert Stephen was born October 23, 1872.

Stephen died January 14, 1875; Irene died after 1883.

Reference: (175).

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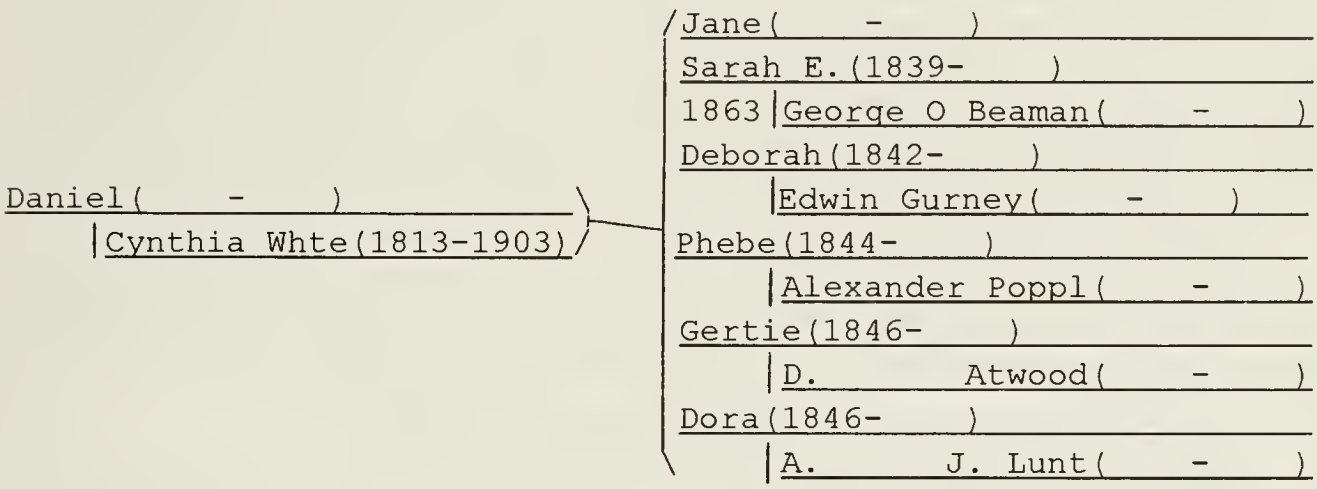
Daniel [7]

Richard [1], James [2], Jonathan [3], William [4], Nathaniel [5], Stephen [6] page 236



Daniel Sisson was born about 1815. He married Cynthia White. Cynthia was born in 1813. Daniel and Cynthia had six daughters:

Jane was born about 1835.

Sarah E. was born circa 1839. On July 30, 1863 she married George O. Beaman. Ref: (217) p.450.

Deborah was born circa 1842. She married Edwin Gurney and had a daughter, Jennie. This is probably the Jennie Gurnney who married John Floyd Sisson, son of Nathaniel [7] see page 410. Jennie and John were fourth cousins.

Phebe was born circa 1844. She married Alexander Popple.

Gertie was born circa 1846. She married D. Atwood, who may have died without issue.

Dora was born circa 1846, a twin to Gertie. She married A. J. Lunt.

Cynthia died in June, 1903.

References: (35); (297) 1850.

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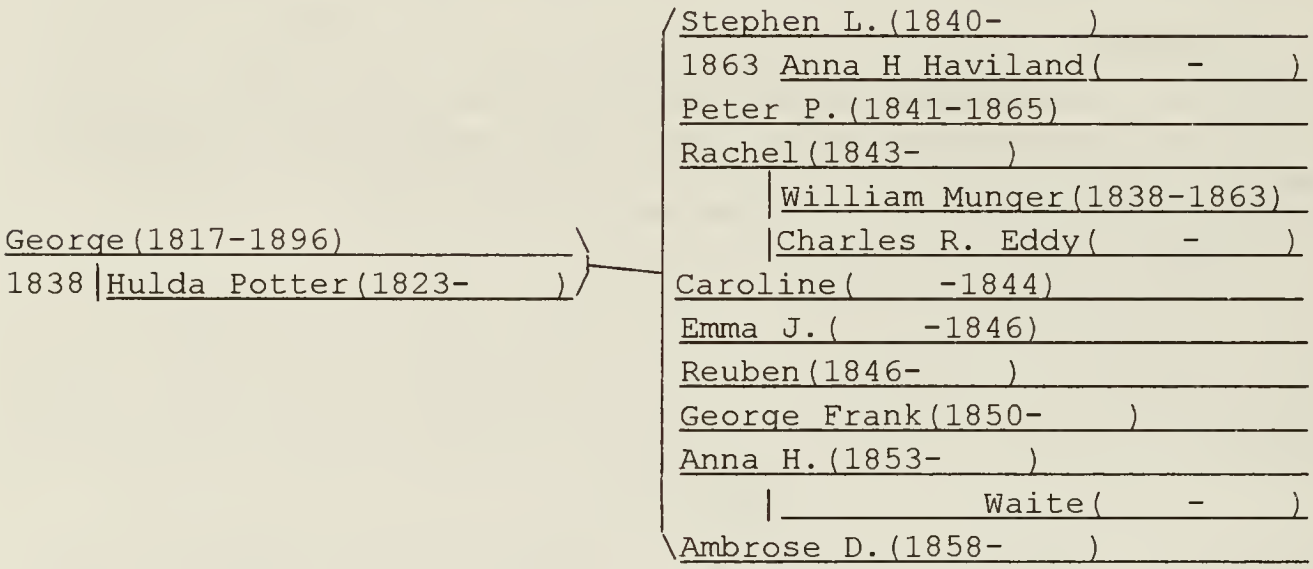
George [7]

Richard [1], James [2], Jonathan [3], William [4], Nathaniel [5], Stephen [6] page 236



George Sisson was born in 1817 in Collins, Erie County, NY. He was a farmer and a member of the Society of Friends. On December 12, 1838 he was deeded the southwest part of Lot 35, Township 7, Range 8, in Collins, consisting of 45 acres. In 1838 he married Hulda Potter, daughter of Peter Potter. Hulda was born in 1823 in Collins. George and Hulda had nine children, all born in Collins:

Stephen L., born March 4, 1840 is discussed on page 577.

Peter P. was born in 1841 and died in 1865.

Rachel was born in 1843. She married first William Munger. William was born in 1838. Rachel and William had a son. William died in 1863. Rachel married second Charles R. Eddy. They lived in Glens Falls, NY.

Caroline born about 1844 and died in 1844.

Emma J. was born about 1845 and died in 1846.

Reuben was born in 1846.

George Frank was born in May, 1850.

Anna H. was born in 1853. She married Mr. Waite.

Ambrose D. was born in 1858. In the 1880's and 1890's he was a merchant in Collins.

In 1862-63 George owned Lot 61. He was assessor in Collins 1862, 1863, and 1875. He was living in Otsego County, NY, in the 1870 census. After 1880 George built the first cheese factory in Collins in partnership with Ansel F. Conger (his third cousin), James Wilbur and Enoch Taylor. George died May 23, 1896.

References: (35); (175); (297) 1850.

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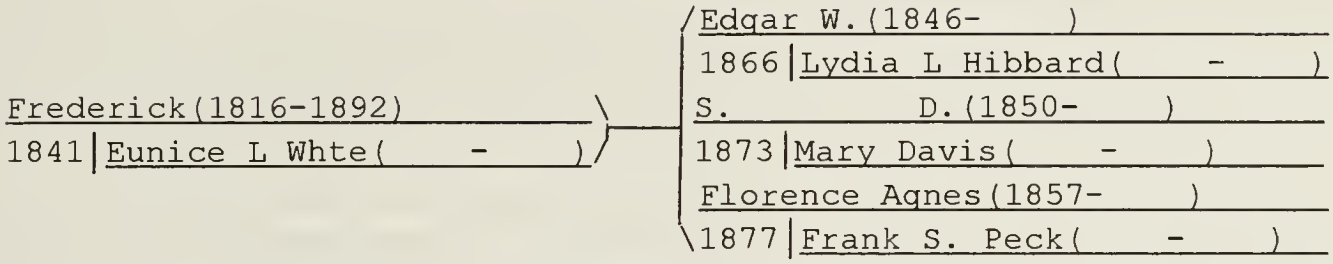
Frederick [7]

Richard [1], James [2], Jonathan [3], William [4], Nathaniel [5], Benjamin [6] page 238



Frederick Sisson was born August 28, 1816 in Queensbury, Warren County, NY. He was a farmer and Methodist. On February 14, 1841 he married Eunice L. White. Frederick and Eunice had three children, probably all born in Evans, Erie County, NY:

Edgar W. was born April 8, 1846 in Evans, NY. He was a collector for the Bell Telephone Company in Buffalo, NY. On December 6, 1866 he married Lydia L. Hibbard. Edgar and Lydia had two children born in Rusit, Erie County, NY: Edith Emory, October 31, 1870; and Fred H., about 1872, was an inspector in Buffalo, NY.

S. D. was born February 4, 1850. On February 4, 1873 he married Mary Davis. They lived in Erie County, NY, and had no children.

Florence Agnes was born October 10, 1857. In September, 1877 she married Frank S. Peck. Florence and Frank had two children born in Erie County, NY: Alice, August 15, 1882; and Frederick S., February 20, 1887.

Frederick died January 24, 1892 in Evans.

Reference: (35).

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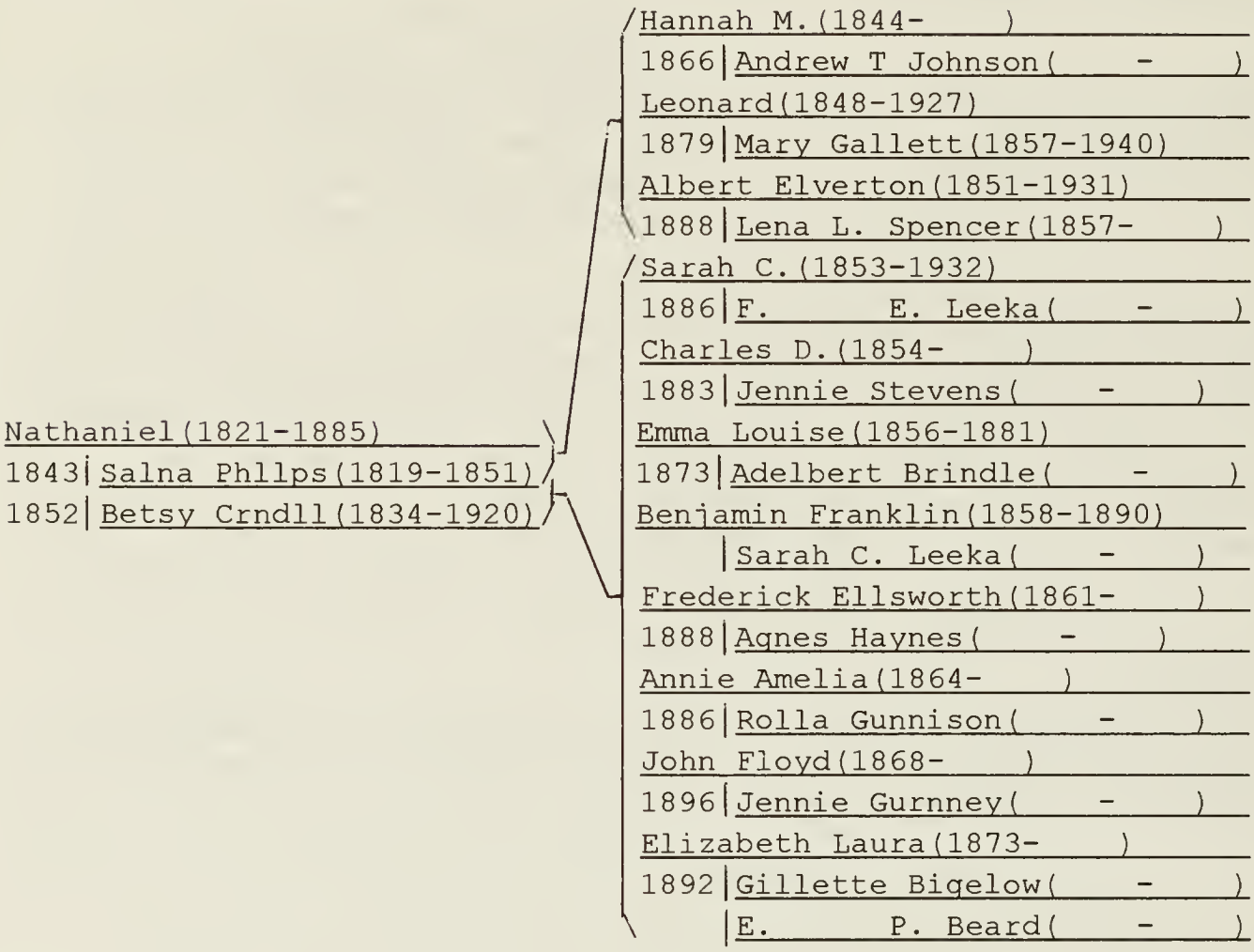
Nathaniel [7]

Richard [1], James [2], Jonathan [3], William [4], Nathaniel [5], Benjamin [6] page 238



Nathaniel Sisson was born March 18, 1821 a twin to John Ferris Sisson; they were born in Queensbury, Warren County, NY. He was a member of the Methodist Church and a farmer. He married first on November 31, 1843 in Queensbury Salina Phillips, daughter of Hannah (Wing) Phillips. Salina was born in 1819 in Queensbury. Nathaniel and Salina had three children:

Hannah M. was born March 31, 1844 in Brandt, NY. On April 12, 1866 in Springfield, Erie County, PA, she married Andrew T. Johnson, son of Justice and Mary (Parish) Johnson of Erie, PA. Hannah and Andrew had four children: V. S., July 4, 1873; Lilia M., November 19, 1876 to September 17, 1895; Asa, September 9, 1879; and A. F., May 11, 1882.

Leonard, born June 27, 1848 in Brandt is discussed on page 578.

Albert Elverton, born January 10, 1851 in Dayton, Erie County, NY, is discussed on page 578.

Salina died May 24, 1851 in Dayton. On March 15, 1852 in Dayton, Nathaniel married second Betsey Jane Crandall, daughter of Daniel S. and Polly (Webb) Crandall. Betsey was born March 13, 1834 in Villanovia, NY. Nathaniel and Betsey had eight children:

Sarah C. was born April 5, 1853 in Brandt (or Erie County), PA. On November 29, 1886 in Springfield, PA, she married F. E. Leeka of Durango, CO. Sarah died in 1932.

Charles D. was born November 23, 1854 in Beaver Twp, Crawford County, PA. He was a farmer and county assessor. He was also a member of the Methodist church in Rochester, IN. On December 20, 1883 in Rochester, he married Jennie Stevens of Rochester, daughter of Daniel Stevens. Her maiden name has also been reported as Sterner. Charles and Jennie had a son: Earl L., September 13, 1886. Ref: (199) p.404.

Emma Louise was born May 20, 1856 in Beaver Twp. On April 14, 1873 she married Adelbert H. Brindle (or Prindle), son of Perry M. and Janet (Wolbridge) Brindle. Emma and Adelbert had three children: H. D., July 5, 1874; Maud E., December 3, 1878; and Eva Lena, July 12, 1880. Emma died September 15, 1881 in Erie, PA.

Benjamin Franklin was born March 18, 1858 in Beaver Twp. He was a railroad conductor, married Sarah C. Leeka, and lived in Springfield, PA. Benjamin died in Collinswood, OH, October 17, 1890 according to Erie County cemetery records; according to Wood, he died in 1880.

Frederick Ellsworth was born November (or February) 12, 1861 in Springfield, PA. He was a silver mining boss in Durango and Pueblo, CO. On March 7, 1888 in Danville, IN, he married Agnes Haynes. Frederick and Agnes had a daughter born in Durango: Maud, March 22, 1893. Ref: (199) p.404.

Annie Amelia was born November 6, 1864 in Springfield. She was a Unitarian. On November 30, 1886 she married Rolla Gunnison, son of John B. and Ella (Shafford) Gunnison. They lived in Erie, PA. Annie and Rolla had three sons: Boyd S., August 19, 1888; Eben John, January 21, 1890; and Gerdon Nathaniel. Ref: (199).

John Floyd was born September 29 (or 27 or 5), 1868 in Springfield. He was a railroad man. On April 22, 1896 he married Jennie Gurnney (or Gurney). They lived in Collinwood, OH. Jennie is probably the daughter of Edwin and Deborah (Sisson) Gurney, see Daniel [7] page 407.

Elizabeth Laura was born January 11, 1873 in Springfield. On November 9, 1892 she married Gillette A. Bigelow. They lived in Erie, PA, and had a daughter: Marjorie Bernice, 1897. According to "John Crandall Descendants" Elizabeth also married E. P. Beard, with no issue.

Nathaniel died March 9, 1885 and is buried in Springfield. Betsey died November 12, 1920 in Springfield.

References: (109) #911844; (199) p.404; (302) 1850; (464).

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John Ferris [7]

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John Ferris(1821-)
1852 Ann J. Fish(1824-1892)

1873 Charles Danford(1852-)
Julia Hibbard(1856-)
Hattie Evelyn(1854-)
1883 William Champln(1845-)

John Ferris Sisson was born March 18, 1821 in Queensbury, Warren County, NY, a twin to Nathaniel above. On January 17, 1852 he married Ann Janet Fish. Ann was born August 1, 1824 in Scipio, Cayuga County, NY. John and Ann had two children:

Charles Danford, born October 3, 1852 is discussed on page 579.

Hattie Evelyn was born December 28, 1854. On December 12, 1883 she married William Champlin. William was born November 24, 1845 in Yates County, NY. Hattie and William had two children: Florence Merle, March 11, 1889; and an infant, April 9 to April 26, 1896.

Ann died November 18, 1892.

We have no additional references.

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Leonard [7]

Richard [1], James [2], Jonathan [3], William [4], Nathaniel [5], Benjamin [6] page 238

Leonard(-) ⟩ Phebe Sherman(-) ⟩ 1884 ⟨ Emily(1866-1932) ⟨ Myron Luther(1856-1939)

Leonard Sisson was born about 1830 in Brant, Erie County, NY. He was a shoemaker. He married Phebe Sherman. Leonard and Phebe had a daughter born in Brant:

Emily was born December 1, 1866. On November 27, 1884 in Hamburg, NY, she married Myron Luther, son of James Luther. Myron was born September 9, 1856 in North Collins, NY. He was a farmer. Emily and Myron may have had seven children including: Elizabeth Oshea, October 2, 1885; and Lloyd Frank, April 23, 1904. Emily died August 24, 1932 in North Collins. In 1933 Myron was living with his children there. Myron died July 13, 1939 in North Collins.

References: (34) pp.1114-15; (53) p.1055.

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Daniel H. [7]

Richard [1], James [2], Jonathan [3], William [4], Nathaniel [5], Daniel [6] page 239

Daniel H.(1824-) ⟩ Sarah Ann Haviland(1827-) ⟩ ⟨ George W.(1848-)

Daniel H. Sisson was born May 5, 1824 in New York. He married Sarah Ann Haviland, daughter of David and Anna (Hoag) Haviland. [This marriage has been incorrectly assigned as a second marriage for his father Daniel.] Sarah was born circa 1827 in New York. Daniel and Sarah had a son and perhaps a daughter:

George W. was born circa 1848 in New York.

Minnie Dean was born in 1854. She was not married and died in North Providence, IA, June 22, 1912. [This may be the daughter of Daniel's sister Mary Elma (Sisson) Dean.]

Daniel was elected overseer of highways in Queensbury in 1866-70 and inspector in 1867. Daniel died in December, ____.

References: (185); (465) 1850.

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James Samuel [7]

Richard [1], James [2], Jonathan [3], William [4], Nathaniel [5], Daniel [6] page 239

James Samuel (1826-1904)
1858 | Agnes Sweet (-)
1865 | Elmina Sweet (1845-1915)

- Ida Minnie (1861-)
  - Adam Nablo (-)
  - Ben Knisley (-)
- Willie S. (1863-1941)
  - 1889 | Clara May Long (-)
- Minnie Belle (1867-1946)
  - Nathan Stevenson (-)
- Hattie (1868-)
  - 1896 | Cyrus Green (-)
- Eleanor (1870-1965)
  - 1892 | Arlland G. Shaw (-)
  - Horace G. Ward (-)
- Charley (1872-1959)
  - 1914 | Eldora J. Gough (-)
- Laura Emma (1874-1961)
  - 1905 | Clinton D. Rorer (-)
- Clara Nellie (1876-1965)
  - 1904 | Charles W Durlnd (-)
- Albert (1878-1950)
- Olive Helena (1880-1931)
  - 1898 | Edwin R. Godfrey (-)
- Mabel (1883-1888)
- James Melvin (1886-1888)
- Bertha Opal (1889-1951)
  - 1912 | Theodore J Krugr (-)

James Samuel Sisson was born June 26, 1826 in Sanford Ridge or Washington City, NY. He married first September 2, 1858 in Felix Twp, Rundy County, IA, Agnes Minerva Sweet, daughter of Stutley and Alzina ( ) Sweet. James and Agnes had two children:

Ida Minnie was born October 10, 1861 in Felix Twp. She married first Adam Nablo. Ida and Adam had three children: Laura; Joe, married Maud Whorrell; and Gilbert, married Florence ( ).

Ida married second Ben Knisley. Ida and Ben had four children: Ella; Cora; Agnes Elmina; and Ralph.

Willie S., born February 13, 1863 is discussed on page 579.

James married second January 1, 1865 in Albion, Marshall County, IA, Elmina Woud Sweet, sister of Agnes above. Elmina was born October 23, 1845 in Clay, IN. They lived in various locations in Iowa. James and Elmina had eleven children, all but the first in Felix Twp:

Minnie Belle was born January 4, 1867 in Albion, Marshall County, IA. On May 16, 1897 she married Nathan A. Stevenson of Conrad, IA. Minnie and Nathan had a son: Dewey. Minnie died June 21, 1946 at the home of her sister Bertha at Kiesle, MN.

Hattie was born April 10, 1868. On October 14, 1896 she married Cyrus Green of Troy, PA. Hattie died shortly after marriage.

Eleanor "Nettie" was born May 11, 1870. She married first January 20, 1892 Arlland George Shaw of Kenmore, ND. Nettie and Arlland had ten children: Orley Raymond, April 19, 1896 married first Viola M. Townsend and second Thelma Munson, died November 11, 1968; Lynn Eugene, November, 1898 married Myrtle Mickelson; Lelia Almira, June, 1901 married Otto Carl Anderson; Sylvia Amanda, April 22, 1903 married Frederick William Long, died March 12, 1990; John Franklin, July 22, 1905 married Dagney Katherine Forsman; Marvel Elna, March, 1907 married Casper Cook; Grant Albert, December 18, 1909 married Grace Clara Mikkelson; Thomas Bertheul, July 24, 1912 married Daisy Lenora Forsman; James Albert; and Lillian Mabel. Nettie married second about 1925 Horace Greeley Ward. Nettie died April 1, 1965.

Charley, born February 29, 1872 is discussed on page 580.

Laura Emma was born February 27, 1874. On January 4, 1905 in Conrad, IA, she married Clinton DeWitte Rorer, son of Leonard and Elizabeth (Gleason) Rorer of Minneapolis, MN. Laura and Clinton had three children: Chester James, June 17, 1906 married Marion Rhoades, died March 29, 1961; Everett Eugene, October 8, 1907 married Marie Lauretta McNab [these are the parents of David Rorer]; and Lillian May, May 30, 1910 married Irving Christensen, died May 31, 1985. Laura died November 20, 1961 in Minneapolis.

Clara Nellie was born July 12, 1876. On March 9, 1904 she married Charles Wesley Durland of Nicollette, MN. Clara and Charles had eight children: I. Vivian, 1904 married Eugene W. Faust; Russell C., 1906 married E. Lorraine Sandeen; died about 1987; Genevieve, 1907 married Robert G. Dunham; Myrtle, 1909 married Leon Miller; Hazel Elmina, 1911 married Clifford Henry Witty; Bernice, May 12, 1913 to 1922; Mabel, 1915 married Roy Thornton, died 1987; and Grace M., 1918 married Irwin H. Long. Clara died in 1965.

Albert was born October 27, 1878. He lived in Kiester, MN and died July 1, 1950.

Olive Helena was born August 20, 1880. On December 24, 1898 in Grundy County she married Edwin R. Godfrey, Jr. of Lake Crystal, MN. Olive and Edwin had eleven children: James E., October 4, 1899 married Stella ( ), died about 1987; Vera Mae, February 10, 1901 married Oren F. Chrisman, died January 31, 1940; Cleonice, March 1, 1902 married Clinton Coffman; Etric R., July 6, 1903 to October 23,

1971; Wayne, December 13, 1905 to June 16, 1990; Leon V., June 11, 1906 married Norma ( ); Lloyd C., May 24, 1907 married Illa Brown; Florence Laura, January 30, 1912 married Jessie Sm [?]; David Donald, April 24, 1914 married Martha Brown; Luella, May 15, 1918 married first Charlie Markivitz, and second Harold McStockard; and Victor, February 28, 1922 married Margorie ( ). Olive died February 23, 1931.

Mabel was born in January, 1883 and died March 24, 1888.

James Melvin was born June 7, 1886 and died March 9, 1888.

Bertha Opal was born May 30, 1889. On February 7, 1912 in Conrad she married Theodore J. Kruger, son of Julius and Anna ( ) Kruger. Bertha and Theodore had seven children: E. Lorayne, February 24, 1913, married Paul Ulrich Mueller; Donald Wallace, April 23, 1915, died July 23, 1991; Mildred Martha, September 26, 1916, married Howard M. Grady; Irene Madelyn, July 23, 1921, married Willard O. Jensen; Raymond Roger, January 29, 1923, married LaFaye Childs; Phyllis Jean, January 21, 1926 married Wilfred P. Opp, died December 11, 1949; and Clayton Wayne, May 4, 1936 married Corrine Threse Dulas. Bertha died January 28, 1951 in Kiester, MN, and is buried there.

James Samuel died September 24, 1904 in Conrad, IA, and is buried in Benson Cemetry, Rural Whitten, IA. Elmina died June 23, 1915 in Conrad.

Reference: (303).

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George Wing [7]

Richard [1], James [2], Jonathan [3], William [4], Nathaniel [5], James [6] page 240

George Wing(1828-1913)
1854 | Sarah Hamltn(1834-1916)

- Elma(1855-1857)
- Cornelia(1858-)
- 1878 | Edwin R Safford(-)
- James(1860-)
- Rufus Lasher(1860-1936)
- 1886 | Mary E. Coffin(1862-)
- George Wing, Jr.(1862-)
- 1887 | Mary Howes(1868-)
- Grace Wing(1864-)
- Charles Hamilton(1866-1940)
- 1891 | Daisy Ann Crane(1868-1946)
- Francis Ten Eyck(1868-)
- 1904 | Sarah M Thompsn(-)
- Frederick Reynolds(1870-1936)
- 1894 | Lena A. Cook(-)

George Wing Sisson was born December 19, 1828 in Glens Falls, Warren County, NY. He was a Quaker and Presbyterian, a Whig and Republican (1856). He was a trustee in Queensbury, NY, in 1865. He owned a drug and mercantile in Coxsackie, Green County, NY, from

1849 to 1860; and in Glens Falls from 1860 to 1867. In 1867 became a lumberman producing wood pulp, establishing the Racquette River Paper Company and A. Sherman Lumber Company in Pottsdam, NY. On February 15, 1854 in Coxsackie, NY, he married Sarah Ann Hamilton, daughter of Charles and Nellie Ann (Hommel) Hamilton. Sarah was born March 2, 1834 in Kingston, NY. Her mother died when she about 18 months old; Sarah was raised in Pottsdam by her Aunt Cornelia (Hommel), wife of Rufus Lasher; they had no children of their own. George and Sarah had nine children, all born in New York:

Elma was born December 15, 1855 in Coxsackie and died there August 22, 1857.

Cornelia was born June 13, 1858 in Coxsackie. On May 23, 1878 she married Edwin Ruthven Safford of Glens Falls. Cornelia and Edwin had seven children: Nellie, 1879-1879; Edwin, Jr., April 15, 1880, who worked with his grandfather in the paper mill and lumber comany, married Wilhelmina Emmerson; Grace S., June 21, 1881, married Emmett H. Wilson and/or Henry Grant Humphrey; Rufus L., November 20, 1886 to 1908, not married; Helen C., August 12, 1892 married Robert Jesse Reynolds; Theodore, June 30, 1894, married Katherine Shell; and George Sisson, September 9, 1899, married Hilda Heath. Cornelia died in Pottsdam.

James was born April 30, 1860 in Coxsackie, a twin to Rufus. He died unmarried in Pottsdam after 1937.

Rufus Lasher, born April 30, 1860 is discussed on page 580.

George Wing, Jr., born September 12, 1862 in Glens Falls is discussed on page 581.

Grace Wing was born April 16, 1864 in Glens Falls. She was unmarried in 1937 and died in Pottsdam.

Charles Hamilton, born February 6, 1866 in Glens Falls is discussed on page 582.

Francis Ten Eyck, born September 15, 1868 in Pottsdam is discussed on page 583.

Frederick Reynolds, born December 16, 1870 in Pottsdam is discussed on page 583.

George Wing died February 3, 1913; Sarah died April 27, 1916. Both died in Pottsdam.

References: Friends Meeting Records; (11); Vol. III, pp.38, 93; (50) Sept. 1907; (90); (181) p.419; (183); (300) Vol. III, 1910; (466); (467).

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William H. [7]

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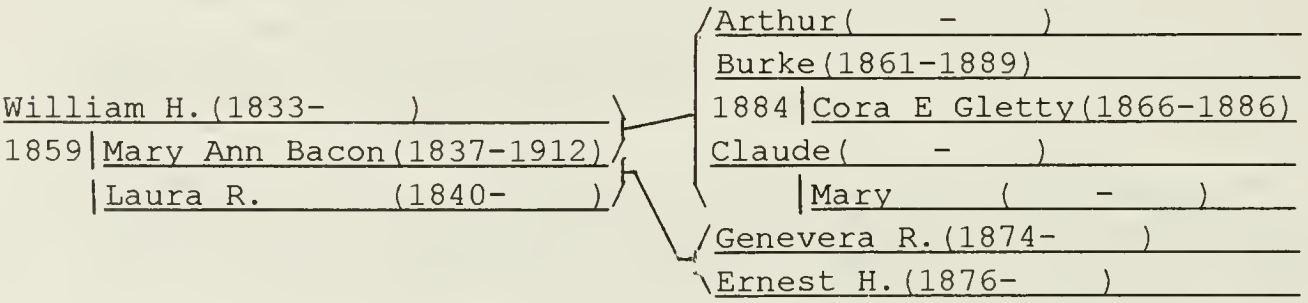

William H. Sisson was born circa 1833 [the 1880 census gives William's age as 44 years], in Erie County, NY. He was in Bristol, Kenosha County, WI, in 1850. He taught school in Iowa from 1871 to 1878. Circa 1859 in Wisconsin he married first Mary Ann Bacon, daughter of Peter and Clarinda (Trowbridge) Bacon. Mary was born May 16, 1837 in Pleasant Prairie, WI. William and Mary had three sons, all born in Wisconsin:

Arthur was born about 1860 and died young.

Burke, born October 30, 1861 is discussed on page 584.

Claude was born about 1863. He married Mary ( ) and lived in Chicago, IL, where he is listed as a teamster and laborer in the 1884, 1886, and 1888 city directories. He resided at 5224 Ashland.

William and Mary were divorced. Mary died April 13, 1912 in Chicago, IL, and is buried in Jordon Cemetery, Fremont Steuben County, IN. William married second Laura R. ( ). Laura was born circa 1840 in Illinois. Her father was born in Virginia and her mother in North Carolina. She was also a schoolteacher. William and Laura had two children, both born in Iowa:

Genevera R. was born circa 1874.

Ernest H. was born circa 1876.

William may have been one of the William H. Sissons listed in the Chicago city directory between 1876 and 1898.

Reference: (468) 1880.

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Allan [7]

Richard [1], James [2], Jonathan [3], Jonathan, Jr. [4], Silvanus [5], Uriah [6] page 242

Allan(1800-1868) ⟩ three daughters(-1840)
1822 Dorcas Howland(1800-1840) ⟩
1840 Nancy Bltnhouse(1821-1903) ⟩ George Hamilton(1844-1923)
1867 Sarah Scofld(1843-1903)

Allan Sisson was born July 5, 1800 in Quaker Springs, Saratoga County, NY, later named Schuylerville. On September 22, 1822 he married first Dorcas Howland. Dorcas was born June 28, 1800. Allan and Dorcas had three daughters. Dorcas and the three daughters died in an epidemic in 1840. The family was nursed during the illness by Nancy Leonhart Boltonhouse, whom Allan married second on December 17, 1840 in Edwardsburg, MI. Nancy was the daughter of John and Elizabeth (Hall) Boltonhouse. She was born January 20, 1821 in New York. Allan and Nancy had a son born in Cass County, MI:

George Hamilton, born February 5, 1844 is discussed on page 585.

Allan is possibly mentioned in the will of Gideon Sisson, see page 123. He is mentioned in Alleghany County, NY, letters of administration in 1832. Allan died August 7, 1868 in Mishawaka, IN. According to "Howlands in America", he died August 9, 1876, in Michigan. Nancy died July 21, 1903 in Mishawaka.

We have no additional references.

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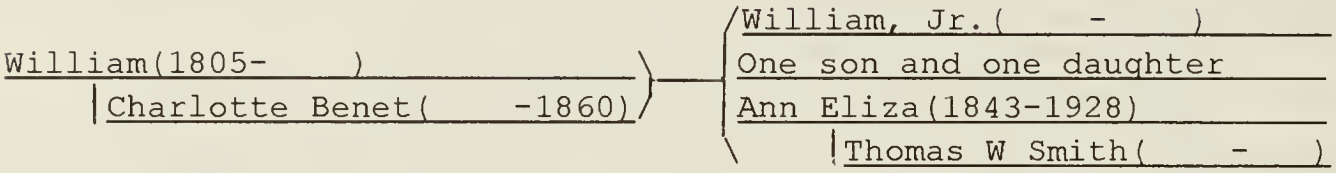
William [7]

Richard [1], James [2], Jonathan [3], Jonathan, Jr. [4], Silvanus [5], Uriah [6] page 242



William Sisson was born circa 1805. He married Charlotte Bennett, daughter of Philo and Electa (Anderson) Bennett, a New York legislator. Charlotte was born in Otsego County, NY. They were living in St. Joseph County, MI, in 1840. This is possibly the William B. in the Marshall, Calhoun County, MI, 1850 census, page 302, or the William in Raisin Township, Lenawee County, MI 1850 census, page 487. William and Charlotte had four children:

William, Jr. was born about 1840 and died young.

A son and a daughter also died young.

Ann Eliza was born in 1843. She married Thomas W. Smith and died in 1928.

Charlotte died in 1860.

We have no additional references.

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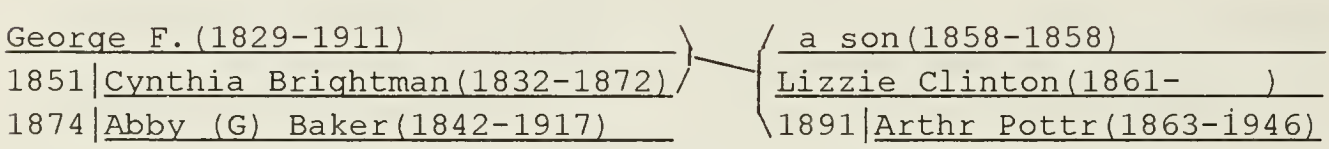
George F. [7]

Richard [1], James [2], Jonathan [3], Jonathan, Jr. [4], David [5], Abner [6] page 243



George F. Sisson was born April 15, 1829 in Dartmouth, MA. He was a merchant. On November 27, 1851 in Fall River, MA, he married Cynthia A. Brightman, daughter of Isaac and Anna (Kirby) Brightman. Cynthia was born October 10, 1832 in Westport, MA. George and Cynthia had two children, both born in Westport:

A son, stillborn October 20, 1858 is buried in Westport Point Cemetery.

Lizzie Clinton was born July 12, 1861. On May 22, 1891 in Westport she married Rev. Arthur Brevet Austin Potter, son of Benjamin F. and Maria F. ( ) Potter. Arthur was born January 1, 1863 in Granville, NY. He was a Methodist minister. Lizzie and Arthur had six children: Pearl Irene, married Blossom F. Goodrich; Ruth Clinton, married Garrett Roozeboom; Royal Franklin, married Esther Purdy; Arthur Leslie, a minister, married Eunice Appleton; Elsie Austin; and Adah Sisson, married Mr. Redfield. Arthur died June 21, 1946 at home in Troy, NY. Refs: (68); (469).

Cynthia died November 16, 1872 in Westport and is buried in Westport Point Cemetery. George married second September 17, 1874 in New Bedford, MA, Mrs. Abby W. (Gifford) Baker, daughter of Humphrey A. and Phebe (Davis) Gifford and widow of John Baker of South Dennis, MA. Abby was born April 5, 1842 in Westport. There were no children by the second marriage. George died in 1911; Abby died in 1917. Probably both are buried in Westport Point Cemetery.

References: (11) Vol. III, pp.39,99.

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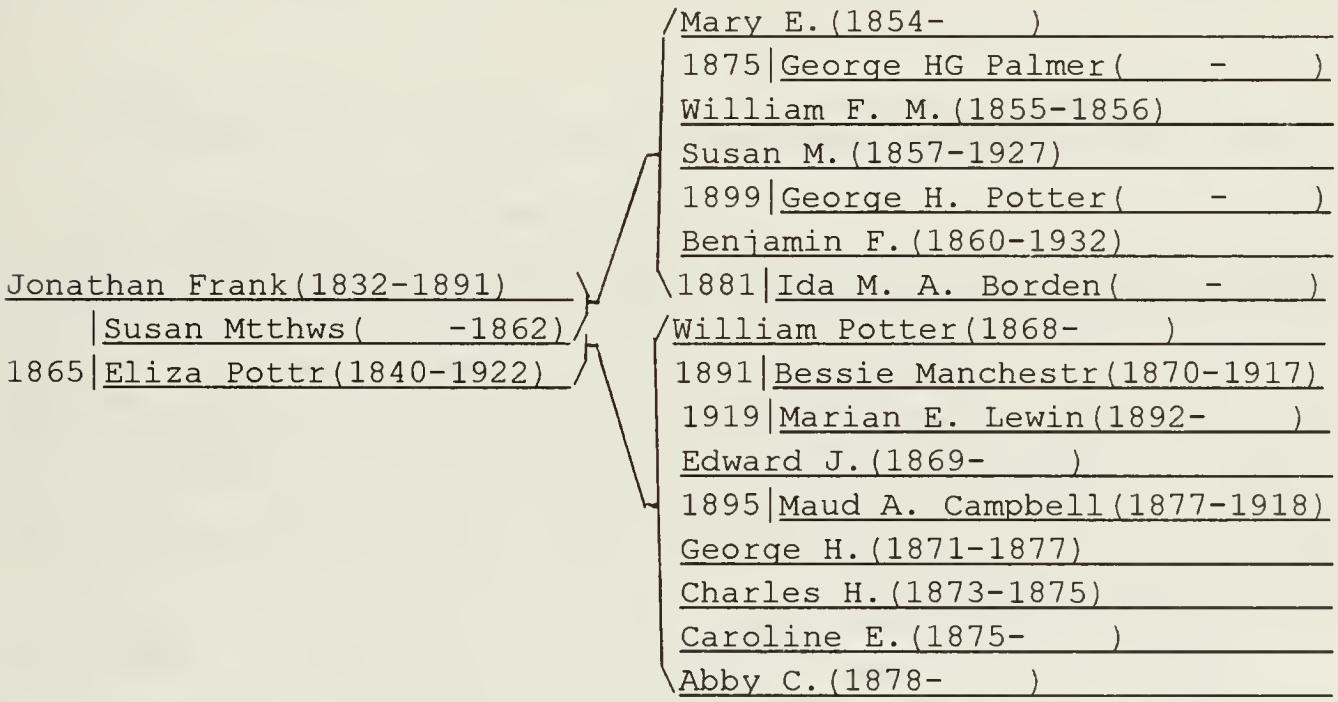
Jonathan Frank [7]

Richard [1], James [2], Jonathan [3], Jonathan, Jr. [4], David [5], Abner [6] page 243



Jonathan Frank Sisson was born August 30, 1832 in Dartmouth, MA. He was a carpenter and shipwright and member of the firm J.F. & D.A. Sisson of Fall River, MA. He married first Susan Matthews, daughter of Benjamin and Jerusha ( ) Matthews of Yarmouth, MA. Jonathan and Susan had four children, all born in Westport, MA:

Mary E. was born March 4, 1854. On December 24, 1875 in Fall River she married George H. G. Palmer, son of Jesse and Ann ( ) Palmer of Skowhegan, ME.

William F. M. was born December 9, 1855 and died May 19, 1856. He is buried in Westport Point Cemetery.

Susan M. was born November 17, 1857. On June 6, 1899 in Fall River she married George H. Potter, son of William and Eliza (Wood) Potter as his second wife. Susan died in 1927 in North Carver.

Benjamin F., born December 20, 1860 is discussed on page 585.

Susan died in 1862 in Westport. Jonathan married second December 27, 1865 in Granville, NY, Eliza Ann Potter, daughter of William and Eliza (Wood) Potter of Dartmouth. Eliza was born circa 1840. Jonathan and Eliza had six children, all born in Fall River:

William Potter, born February 2, 1868 is discussed on page 586.

Edward J., born December 24, 1869 is discussed on page 586.

George H. was born September 28, 1871 and died November 10, 1877 in Fall River. He is buried in Westport Point Cemetery.

Charles H. was born July 26, 1873 and died January 13, 1875 in Fall River. He is buried in Westport Point Cemetery.

Caroline E. was born July 16, 1875.

Abby C. was born July 13, 1878.

Jonathan died November 24, 1891; Eliza died March 17, 1922. Both died in Fall River and are buried in Westport Point Cemetery.

Reference: (11) Vol. III, pp.40-1.

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David A. [7]

Richard [1], James [2], Jonathan [3], Jonathan, Jr. [4], David [5], Abner [6] page 243

David A. (1840-1923)
1864 | Susan P Sissn (1836-1933)

William Abner (1865-1923)
1889 | Carrie Brownll (1868-1922)
Henry G. (1868-1875)

David A. Sisson was born November 5, 1840 in Westport, MA. He was a carpenter engaged in business with his brother as J.F. & D.A. Sisson. On May 31, 1864 in Dartmouth, MA, he married Susan P. (Barker) Sisson, daughter of William and Rebecca (Potter) Barker and widow of Warren G. Sisson, David's first cousin, below. Susan was born October 27, 1836 in Dartmouth. David and Susan had two sons, both born in Fall River:

William Abner, born May 19, 1865 is discussed on page 587.

Henry G. was born October 5, 1868 and died March 2, 1875. He is buried in Padanaram Cemetery, South Dartmouth.

Between 1876 and 1882 the family moved to Illinois and then returned to the farm in Apponegansett, MA, where David died May 28, 1923. Susan died September 17, 1933.

Reference: (11) Vol. III, pp.42-7.

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Christopher G. [7]

Richard [1], James [2], Jonathan [3], Jonathan, Jr. [4], David [5], Isaac [6] page 245

Christopher G. (1835-1886)
1858 | Lydia Cornell (1836-1920)

Annie E. (1861-)
1882 | Frank M Shermn (-)

Christopher G. Sisson was born July 12, 1835 in Dartmouth, MA. He was a carpenter and moved to New Bedford, MA, about 1880 where he remained. On May 18, 1858 in Dartmouth he married Lydia A. Cornell, daughter of Joseph W. and Nancy (Howland) Cornell. Lydia was born

December 20, 1836 in Dartmouth. Christopher and Lydia had one child:

Annie E. was born September 6, 1861 in Dartmouth. On June 20, 1882 in New Bedford she married Frank M. Sherman, son of Marcus M. and Sarah B. (Pratt) Sherman.

Christopher died May 12, 1886; Lydia died September 5, 1920 in West Newton, MA. Both are buried in Rural Cemetery, New Bedford.

References: (11) Vol. III, p.48; (25).

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David Albert [7]

Richard [1], James [2], Jonathan [3], Jonathan, Jr. [4], David [5], David, Jr. [6] page 246

David Albert(1840-1913) — 1864 — Cornelia B.N. Allen(1844-1912)
- Mabel H.(1881-1882)
- a son(1887-1887)

David Albert Sisson was born January 10, 1840 at Russells Mills, Dartmouth, MA. He was a mariner, becoming master of the bark "Morning Star". On June 15, 1864 in Easton, NY, he married Cornelia B. N. Allen, daughter of James B. and Harriet Cornelia (Mason) Allen. Cornelia "Nellie" was born June 17, 1844. David and Cornelia had two children:

Mabel H., born September 13, 1881 died July 28, 1882.

A son born June 5 died August 23, 1887 in Greenwich, NY.

Nellie died June 6, 1912 at her home in Greenwich. David died June 16, 1913 at the home of his sister Mrs. Emily F. Martin in New Bedford. He is buried in Greenwich beside his wife and two children.

Reference: (11) Vol. III, pp.50-6.

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Jasper Leander [7]

Richard [1], James [2], Jonathan [3], Jonathan, Jr. [4], David [5], David, Jr. [6] page 246

Jasper Leander(1847-1925) — 1871 — Mary Louise Briggs(1845-1926)
- Maude Louise(1875-1876)
- Mary Louise(1878-)

Jasper Leander Sisson was born November 3, 1847 in Russells Mills, Dartmouth, MA. He was a carpenter. On February 21, 1871 in Marion, MA, he married Mary Louise Briggs, daughter of Capt. John and Louisa M. (Allen) Briggs. Mary was born November 9, 1845 in Marion. Jasper and Mary had two daughters:

Maude Louise was born November 12, 1875 in Marion and died December 23, 1876 in New Bedford.

Mary Louise was born June 24, 1878 in New Bedford. She was not married.

Jasper died May 30, 1925 at his home in New Bedford; Mary died in Marion October 8, 1926. Both are buried in Rural Cemetery, New Bedford.

References: (11) Vol. III, p.50; (23).

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George Arthur [7]

Richard [1], James [2], Jonathan [3], Jonathan, Jr. [4], David [5], George F. [6] page 248

George Arthur(1856-1898) + Alice T Foster(-)
- Clara May(1892-)
- Lawrence E.(1893-1898)
- Arthur Foster(1897-)
- 1925 Gertrude Davis(-)

George Arthur Sisson was born January 27, 1856 in Middleboro, MA. He was a Methodist minister. He married Alice T. Foster, daughter of Thomas J. Foster. (Thomas owned the first automobile in the state of Maine.) George and Alice had three children:

Clara May was born August 8, 1892 in Middleboro. She was not married.

Lawrence E. was born October 24, 1893 in Fairhaven, MA. He died February 23, 1898 in Dighton, MA.

Arthur Foster, born December 1, 1897 in North Dighton is discussed on page 587.

George died April 12, 1898 in Dighton and is buried in Middleboro.

Reference: (11) Vol. III, p.57.

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Charles Edgar [7]

Richard [1], James [2], Jonathan [3], Jonathan, Jr. [4], David [5], Charles T. [6] page 249

Charles Edgar(1852-1925) + 1876 Carrie Burtn(-1928)
- Stephen Leslie(1878-1879)
- Gladys May(1881-1929)
- 1902 Alvah W. Pratt(1867-)
- 1912 Rogers B Sisson(1890-)
- Edna Viola(1891-)
- 1907 George Eldredge(1878-)
- Charles Burton(1894-)
- 1920 Marion McLennan(1900-1991)

Charles Edgar Sisson was born March 12, 1852 in Westport, MA. He was a carpenter and cabinet maker. On October 29, 1876 in Westport, he married Carrie Rebecca Burton, daughter of William and Betsey ( ) Burton. Carrie was raised by Stephen Gifford, and was at times known as Carrie Gifford. Charles and Carrie had four children, all born in Westport:

Stephen Leslie was born November 27, 1878 and died October 8, 1879.

Gladys May was born August 9, 1881. On November 27, 1902 in New Bedford, MA, she married Alvah W. Pratt, son of Charles H. and Mary E. (Maul) Pratt. Alvah was born in 1867 in Troy, NY. Gladys married second in 1912 in Mattapoiset, MA, Rogers B. Sisson, son of John R. and Phebe Winslow (Chase) Sisson, page 557. Gladys had no children by either marriage. She died April 30, 1929 in New Bedford, and is buried in Maple Grove Cemetery there.

Edna Viola was born January 20, 1891. On January 20, 1907 in Mattapoiset, she married George K. Eldredge, son of Frederick R. and Julia J. (Kent) Eldredge. George was born May 9, 1878 in Chatham, MA. Edna and George had three children, all born in Mattapoiset: Gladys Viola, October 1, 1912; Wilfred Kent, July 1, 1915; and Dorothy Louise in 1922.

Charles Burton, born August 7, 1894 is discussed on page 588.

Charles died March 16, 1925 in Mattapoiset. Carrie lived with her son Charles after her husband's death, until she died April 19, 1928. She is buried in Maple Grove Cemetery.

Reference: (11) Vol. III, p.58.

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Franklin King [7]

Richard [1], James [2], Jonathan [3], Jonathan, Jr. [4], David [5], Charles T. [6] page 249

Franklin King(1853-1937) — 1877 — Nellie F. Hix(1859-1932)

Louise Lillian(1880-1940) — 1901 — Albert Borden(1876-)

Franklin King Sisson was born November 7, 1853 in Westport, MA. On May 9, 1877 in Dartmouth, MA, he married Nellie F. Hix (or Hicks), daughter of George H. and Mary H. E. (Crapo) Hix. Nellie was born in 1859 in Westport. Franklin and Nellie had a daughter born in Dartmouth:

Louise Lillian was born February 24, 1880. On January 31, 1901 in New Bedford, MA, she married Albert E. Borden, age 24, son of David B. and Ruth A. (Hambly) Borden. Louise and Albert had three children: Ethel Frances, 1901, married Sam Davies, Jr.; Flora May, 1903 to 1989, married first Carlton Johnson and second Mr. McDougall; and Elliot Franklin, 1907 to 1990. Louise died June 17, 1940 in New Bedford.

Franklin was a veteran and was honored for 50 years in Masonry. Franklin had in his possession the original will of Richard Sisson [1]. Nellie died April 28, 1932 in New Bedford and is buried in Rural Cemetery there. Franklin died April 24, 1937 in New Bedford.

References: "New Bedford Standard" articles in 1927; Franklin's obituary; (11) Vol. III, pp.59-60.

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Frederick Wright [7]

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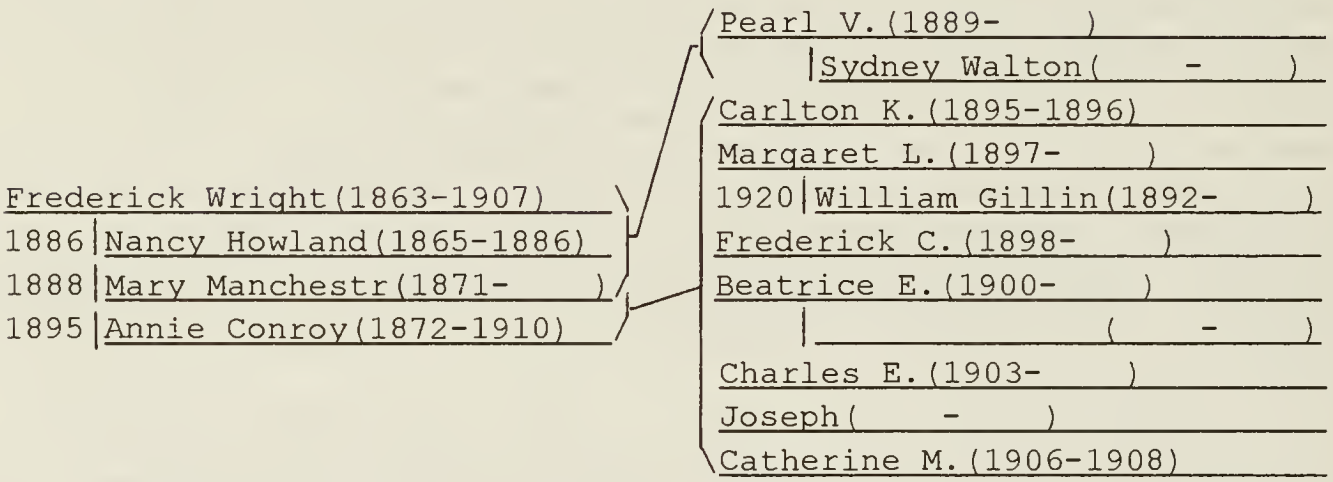

Frederick Wright Sisson was born December 16, 1863 in Westport, MA. He was a butcher. He married first in Boston, MA, January 13, 1886 Mrs. Nancy Orinda (Hitt) Howland, daughter of Howard F. and Rafelia (Lugo) Hitt. Nancy was born in 1865 in California. There were no children by this marriage. Nancy died in Westport June 1, 1886 age 20 years, nine months and is buried in Maple Grove Cemetery, Westport. Frederick married second in New Bedford, MA, July 22, 1888 Mary E. Manchester, daughter of Charles and Mary H. ( ) Manchester. Mary was born circa 1871 in Little Compton, RI. Frederick and Mary had a daughter born in Westport:

Pearl V. was born April 21, 1889. She married Sydney Walton.

Frederick married third in New Bedford May 14, 1895 Annie E. Conroy, daughter of Patrick and Margaret (Burke) Conroy. Annie was born November 3, 1872 in Girardville, PA. Frederick and Annie had seven children, all but the sixth born in New Bedford:

Carlton K. was born November 11, 1895 and died January 9, 1896 in New Bedford.

Margaret L. was born January 12, 1897. On March 2, 1920 in Fairhaven, MA, she married William Gillian, son of John W. and Margaret (Turner) Gillian. William was born in 1892 in Jersey City, NJ.

Frederick C. was born December 30, 1898. He was not married in 1927.

Beatrice E. was born October 16, 1900. She was married but we do not know her husband's name.

Charles E. was born May 10, 1903.

Joseph was born about 1905 in Denver, CO. He was a sailor.

Catherine M. was born December 21, 1906 and died May 9, 1908 in New Bedford.

Another daughter, Hope, has been reported. Frederick died November 10, 1907 in New Bedford. Annie died December 2, 1910.

Reference: (11) Vol. III, pp.61-2.

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William W. [7]

Richard [1], James [2], Jonathan [3], Jonathan, Jr. [4], David [5], William Alden [6] page 250

William W. (1846-1913)
1870 | Ann Eliz. Wing(-)
1895 | Alice (S) Gibson(1858-1915)

Lottie L. (1878-1911)
1902 | Edward Burt(1876-)

William W. Sisson was born December 7, 1846 in Westport, MA. He was a blacksmith. On January 16, 1870 in Westport he married Ann Elizabeth Wing, daughter of John and Charlotte (Little) Wing. Ann was born in Westport. William and Ann had a daughter born in Westport:

Lottie L. was born November 29, 1878. On April 28, 1902 in Taunton, MA, she married Dr. Edward W. Burt, son of Edward F. and Ellen (Chase) Burt. Edward was born in 1876 in Providence, RI. Lottie died December 20, 1911 and is buried in the Linden Grove Cemetery, Westport.

William married second in Warren, MA, November 9, 1895 Alice A. (Gibson) Snell, daughter of Moses and Rachel (King) Gibson. Alice was born November 15, 1858 in Westport. There were no children born to this marriage. William died May 16, 1913 in Fall River, MA, and is buried in Maple Grove Cemetery with Alice. Alice died January 27, 1915 in Attleboro, MA.

Reference: (11) Vol. III, p.63.

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Frank W. [7]

Richard [1], James [2], Jonathan [3], Jonathan, Jr. [4], David [5], John H. [6] page 251

Frank W. (1851-1926)
1873 | Marieta Wstgt(1855-1936)

Nettie Gertrude(1874-)
1895 | Henry K. White(1876-)
Frank E. (1875-)
1900 | Mary A. Hawes(1880-)
Charles H. (1877-)
| Kath. T. (-)

Frank W. Sisson was born November 8, 1851 in Westport, MA. In 1868 he moved to New Bedford, MA. He was a store clerk for B. H. Waite, then later a salesman. On March 5, 1873 in Fairhaven, MA, he married Marietta "Etta" M. Westgate, daughter of Benjamin and Sarah A. ( ) Westgate. Etta was born January 8, 1855. Frank and Etta had three children:

Nettie Gertrude was born February 22, 1874 in Fairhaven. On June 26, 1895 in Fairhaven she married Henry Kirke White, son of Henry K. and Myra D. ( ) White. Henry was born in 1876 in Brooklyn, NY.

Frank E., born April 29, 1875 in New Bedford is discussed on page 588.

Charles H. was born August 9, 1877 in Fairhaven. He married Katherine T. ( ).

Frank died May 18, 1926; Etta died April 2, 1936. Both died in Fairhaven and are buried in the Riverside Cemetery there.

Reference: (11) Vol. III, p.64.

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Elmer J. [7]

Richard [1], James [2], Jonathan [3], Jonathan, Jr. [4], David [5], John H. [6] page 251

Elmer J.(1863-1914) ⟩ Emily F.(1886-)
1884 Nellie Tripp(1864-1935) ⟩

Elmer J. Sisson was born April 1, 1863 in Westport, MA. On December 14, 1884 in New Bedford, MA, he married Nellie F. Tripp, daughter of Abraham K. and Emily F. ( ) Tripp. Nellie was born circa 1864. Elmer and Nellie had a daughter:

Emily F. was born November 18, 1886 in Westport. She was not married in the 1930's.

Elmer died June 24, 1914 in Westport; Nellie died in 1935. Both are buried in Linden Grove Cemetery there.

Reference: (11) Vol. III, p.64.

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Horatio B. [7]

Richard [1], James [2], Jonathan [3], John [4], Stephen [5], Horatio [6] page 252

Horatio B.(1823-) ⟩ Charles E.(1852-)
1850 Matilda Chase(1830-) ⟩ Ida L.(1853-)
Charles Becker(-)
Olive M.(1855-)
George H.(1857-)
1890 Vida Case(-)
Francis(1862-)
William(1865-)
"Bert"(1867-)

Horatio B. Sisson was born December 8, 1823 in Bristol, Ontario County, NY. He was a farmer. On April 1, 1850 he married Matilda Chase. Matilda was born circa 1830, either in Bristol or in New Hampshire. Horatio and Matilda had seven children, all born in Bristol:

Charles E. was born January 24, 1852.

Ida L. was born September 1, 1853. She married Charles Becker.

Olive M. was born May 20, 1855.

George H. was born June 19, 1857. In 1890 he married Vida Case. They had a son: George.
Perhaps a daughter Alice.
Francis was born circa 1862.
William was born circa 1865.
"Bert" was born circa 1867.

At some time the family moved to Kansas.

Reference: (11) Vol. III, p.10; (195) Vol. 335, p.8; (316) 1850 & 1870.

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John T. [7]

Richard [1], James [2], Jonathan [3], John [4], Stephen [5], Horatio [6] page 252

John T. (1830-1900
1854 | Sarah J Case (1836-1876)

- Eliza (1855-)
  - 1875 | Jesse H. Mason (-)
- Stephen H. (1857-1886)
- Louis John (1860-1931)
- Flora C. (1863-)
  - | Frank Case (-)
- Horace (1869-)
- Ralph (1871-)
  - 1903 | Elizabeth Trnky (-)
  - | _____ (-)

John T. Sisson was born January 27, 1830 in Bristol, Ontario County, NY. He was a farmer. On December 25, 1854 he married Sarah Jane Case, daughter of Morgan L. and Eliza ( ) Case. Sarah was born November 2, 1836 in Bristol. John and Sarah had six children, all born in Bristol:

Eliza was born August 24, 1855. On April 6, 1875 she married Jesse H. Mason of Canandaigua, NY. He was a tanner. Eliza and Jesse had three children: Mary, May 1, 1876 married William Hamlin, died September 19, 1905; Howard, September 15, 1885; and Harvey, January 5, 1887 to January 3, 1892.

Stephen H. was born in 1857 and died May 2, 1886. He was not married and is buried in Codding Cemetery in Bristol.

Louis John was born April 6, 1860. He was not married and died in 1931. He is also buried in the Codding Cemetery.

Flora (or Nora) C. was born March 30, 1863. She married Frank Case of Bristol. Flora and Frank had two children: Katherine S., January 24, 1902; and Virginia Lucretia, August 25, 1905.

Horace was born October 6, 1869. He was not married.

Ralph was born May 25, 1871. He married first April 9, 1903 Elizabeth Trunkey. They were divorced. Ralph married a second time.

The 1870 census shows real estate value $9,850 and personal property $2,500 for John. Sarah died December 17, 1876. John died

November 27, 1900; both are buried in Codding Cemetery with Stephen and Louis, all four shown on one stone.

References: (195) Vol. 335, p.8; (315); (317); (318); (470) p.346; (471) 1870, p.23.

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Daniel [7]

Richard [1], James [2], Jonathan [3], John [4], Stephen [5], Horatio [6] page 252

Daniel (1837-1915)
1867 | Margart Doyle (1840-1917)

- Walter H. (1868-1910)
  - 1903 | Harriette Portr(-)
- Philip H. (1870-)
  - 1905 | Nellie H. Abbey (1877-)
- Mary (1872-)
- Frederick (1878-)

Daniel Sisson was born February 23, 1837 in Bristol, NY. He was a farmer. The 1870 census shows real estate value $4,000 and personal property, $700. In 1867 he married Margaret Doyle. She was born June 1, 1840 in New York. Daniel and Margaret had four children:

Walter H. was born February 15, 1868. In 1903 he married Harriet Porter. Walter and Harriet had twin daughters: Vera Porter and Margaret Doyle were born March 20, 1904. Walter died September 28, 1910. Harriet married second A. B. Parmelee. In 1920 they were living in Livonia, NY.

Philip H. was born May 12, 1870. On October 25, 1905 he married Nellie H. Abbey, daughter of John P. and Julia Martha (Plimpton) Abbey. Nellie was born June 25, 1877 in Honeoye, NY. Philip and Nellie had at least one child: Elizabeth, October 4, 1906.

Mary was born in 1872. She died young.

Frederick was born in 1878. He died young.

Daniel died December 15, 1915; Margaret died in December, 1917.

References: (11) Vol. III, p.14 & 108; (315); (317); (318); (471) 1870 p.24.

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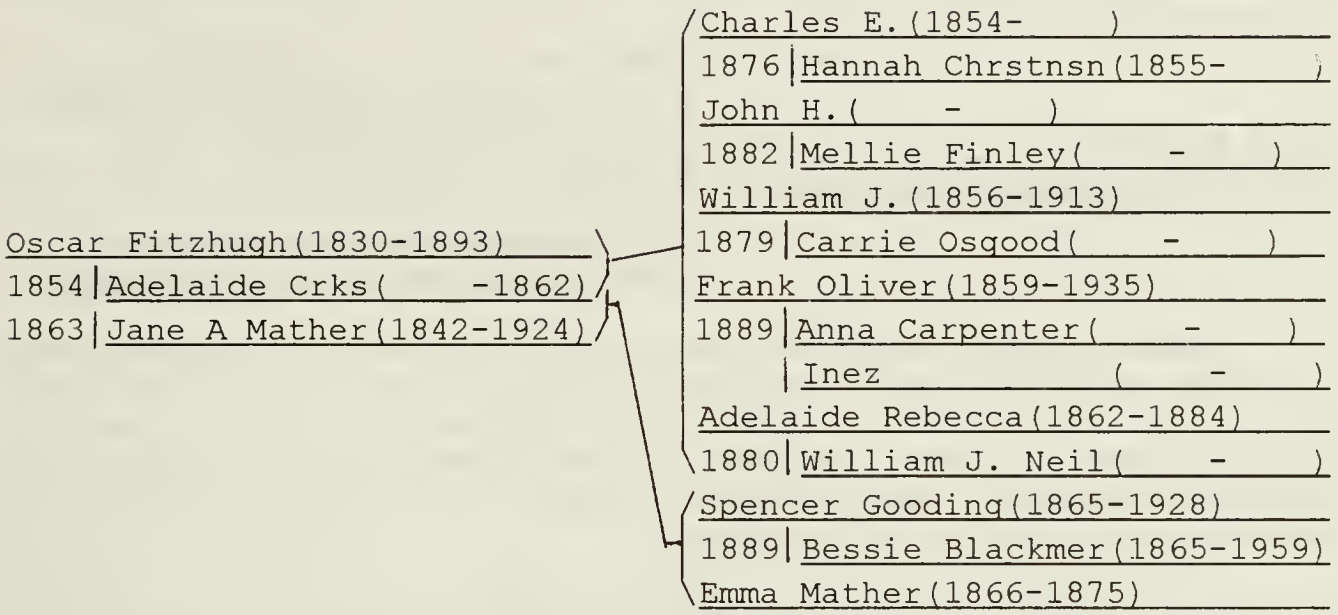
Oscar Fitzhugh [7]

Richard [1], James [2], Jonathan [3], John [4], Stephen [5], Judah [6] page 253



Oscar Fitzhugh Sisson was born January 14, 1830 in New York. He was a laborer. Oscar married first October 29, 1854 Adelaide Crooks (or Van Ostin). She may have been born in 1832 in New York. They were living in Bristol, Ontario County, NY, in 1850. Oscar and Adelaide had five children:

Charles E., born in November, 1854 is discussed on page 589.

John H. was born about 1856 in LaCrosse, WI. In the 1880 census for Albion, Jackson County, WI, John is listed with his parents. On September 10, 1882 he married Mellie[?] Finley.

William J., born December 20, 1856 is discussed on page 589.

Frank Oliver (or Oscar) was born May 3, 1859. He married first on June 16, 1889 Anna Carpenter and second Inez ( ). We assume that Anna was the mother of his daughter: Mary Adelaide was born August 21, 1891. Frank was a bank president, assemblyman and mayor of Canandaigua, NY. Frank died August 11, 1935 in Canandaigua. Ref: (11) Vol. III, p.109.

Adelaide Rebecca "Addie" was born in 1862. In 1880 she married William J. Neil. Addie and William had a son: Frank J., March 29, 1882. Adelaide died March 11, 1884.

Mother Adelaide died July 1, 1862. Oscar married second in 1863 Jane A. Mather. Jane was born August 11, 1842 in Bristol, NY. Oscar and Jane had two children:

Spencer Gooding, born February 9, 1865 is discussed on page 590.

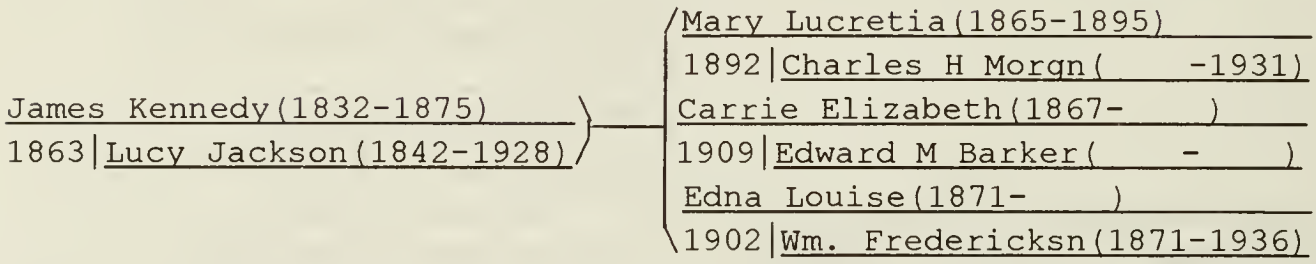
Emma Mather was born October 11, 1866 and died February 15, 1875.

Oscar died April 6, 1893 in Bristol; Jane died in 1924.

References: Bible and personal records of son John; (11) Vol. III, pp.15, 110; (472); (473).

James Kennedy [7]

Richard [1], James [2], Jonathan [3], John [4], Stephen [5], Judah [6] page 253



James Kennedy Sisson was born April 20, 1832 in Bristol, NY. He taught in an academy in New York, and was a sergeant in the Civil War, Co. F, 100th IL Vol. Infantry. On October 27, 1863 he married Lucy Elizabeth Jackson, daughter of William Francis and Lucretia (Gooding) Jackson. Lucy was born June 14, 1842 in Cook County, IL. James and Lucy had three daughters:

Mary Lucretia was born March 29, 1865. On July 6, 1892 she married Charles H. Morgan. Mary and Charles had a son: Herbert James, June 18, 1893, married Mildred Cornwell, died February, 1919. Mary died March 7, 1895. Charles married second Charlotte Bowls. Charles died in December, 1931.

Carrie Elizabeth was born August 29, 1867. On August 18, 1909 in Chicago she married Edward H. Barker. They had no children.

Edna Louise was born October 24, 1871. On July 15, 1902 in Chicago she married William Isaac Frederickson, son of Charles Frederickson. William was born in 1871. Edna and William had three children: Helen Louise, June 26, 1904 in Lead, SD, died January 9, 1908; Harold Sisson, August 21, 1905 in Council Bluffs, IA, died October 11, 1925; and Marian Elizabeth, February 10, 1910 in Council Bluffs, married Dr. George E. Folkman. William died in 1936.

James died January 22, 1875 in Illinois; Lucy died June 29, 1928 in Chicago.

References: (11) Vol. III, pp.16, 111; (318).

Horace [7]

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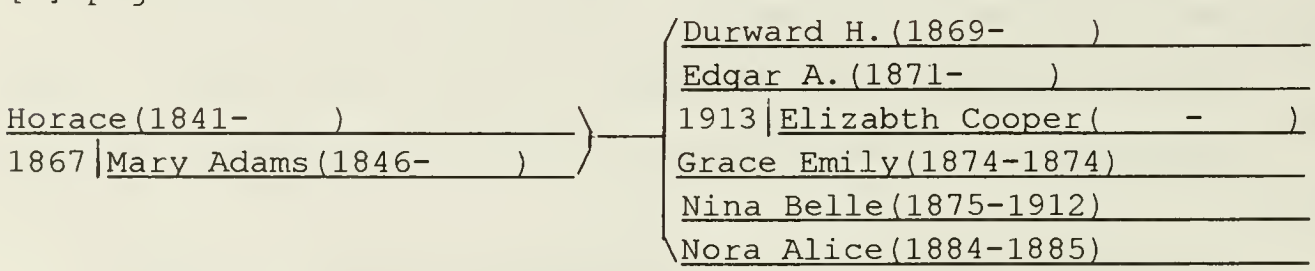

Horace Sisson was born November 9, 1841 probably in Bristol, NY. He was a farmer. On January 17, 1867 (also reported 1857) he

married Mary Adams. Mary was born in 1846 in England. They resided in Auburn, NY. Horace and Mary had five children:

Durward H. (also reported Penwood) was born March 25, 1869. He was not married and was a piano professor in Amsterdam, NY.

Edgar A. was born April 14, 1871. On July 26, 1913 he married Elizabeth Cooper. Edgar was a landscape artist. They had no children and lived in Auburn.

Grace Emily was born February 13, 1874 and died April 5 that year. She is buried in Codding Cemetery, Bristol, NY, with the family of Stephen and Hannah (Sears) Sisson, see page 128.

Nina Belle was born August 29, 1875 and died March 10, 1912.

Nora Alice was born December 2, 1884 and died January 6, 1885.

References: (11) Vol. III, p.18; (471) 1870; (473).

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William S. [7]

Richard [1], James [2], Jonathan [3], Stephen [4], Stephen, Jr. [5], Joseph [6] page 255

William S. (1821-) — Rachel Sisson (1825-)

William (1847-) — Jane (-)

William S. Sisson was born October 15, 1821 in Dartmouth, MA. He was a farmer and married Rachel Sisson, daughter of Stephen and Mary (Green) Sisson, see page 236. Rachel was born circa 1825. William and Rachel had a son:

William was born July 9, 1847 in Dartmouth. He was a merchant and married Jane ( ).

References: (23); (297) 1850.

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George Morton [7]

Richard [1], James [2], Jonathan [3], Stephen [4], Stephen, Jr. [5], Stephen, III [6] page 255

George Morton (1822-1889) — 1842 Rebecca Ann Vail (1824-1889)

Charles (1844-)

Sarah (1849-)

George Morton Sisson was born July 21, 1822. He attended the Aurora Academy in Venice, NY. On November 10, 1842 in Venice, he married Rebecca Ann Vail, daughter of Abraham and Rebecca L. ( ) Vail. Rebecca was born November 11, 1824. The family also lived at some time in Waterloo, NY. George and Rebecca had two children born in New York:

Charles was born circa 1844 and lived in Venice.

Sarah was born circa 1849.

Rebecca died January 5 and George died September 7, 1889 in Venice.

Reference: (321) 1850.

Matthew [7]

Richard [1], John [2], John, Jr. [3], John, III [4], John, IV [5], Pardon [6] page 258

Matthew(1800-1893)
1822|Sarah Atwod(1804-1860)

- Mary Slocum(1823-)
  1842|John G. Alleman(-1854)
- Charlotte Amsbury(1825-1844)
- Benjamin Franklin(1827-)
  |Harriet Cowles(1831-1899)
- Edward Everett(1829-1860)
  |Sarah Smith(-)
- Sarah Laverne(1842-)

Matthew Sisson was born December 20, 1800 in Portsmouth or Middletown, RI. He was a farmer and brewer. On December 9, 1822 he married Sarah Atwood, daughter of Stephen H. and Cynthia (White) Atwood. Sarah was born in 1804. The family moved from Belchertown, Hampshire County, MA, to Maddison County, NY, circa 1828. In 1839 they moved to Seneca Falls, NY. Matthew and Sarah had five children:

Mary Slocum was born August 7, 1823 in Belchertown. In 1842 she married John G. Alleman in Seneca Falls. Mary and John had five children: Charlotte, December 23, 1844; Albert Lee, June 16, 1846, married Miss Patterson; Mary, May 26, 1849, married Mr. Mercer; Lelia, November 17, 1851, married Mr. Burttes; and Anna, June 25, 1853 to 1863. John died in 1854 in Waterloo, NY. In 1906 Mary was a resident of Cleveland, OH.

Charlotte Amsbury was born February 14, 1825 in Belchertown and died December 1, 1844 in Seneca Falls.

Benjamin Franklin, born April 16, 1827 in Belchertown is discussed on page 590.

Edward Everett was born May 17, 1829. He married Sarah Smith of Seneca Falls. They lived in Cazenovia, NY. They had no children. Edward has also been reported with the dates March 25, 1824 to February 12, 1859 and having married January 10, 1851 Mary Ann Wood of West Brookfield, daughter of John and Anna (Trask) Wood; Mary Ann was born December 22, 1822; that couple also died without children. Edward died in January, 1860; both died in Seneca Falls.

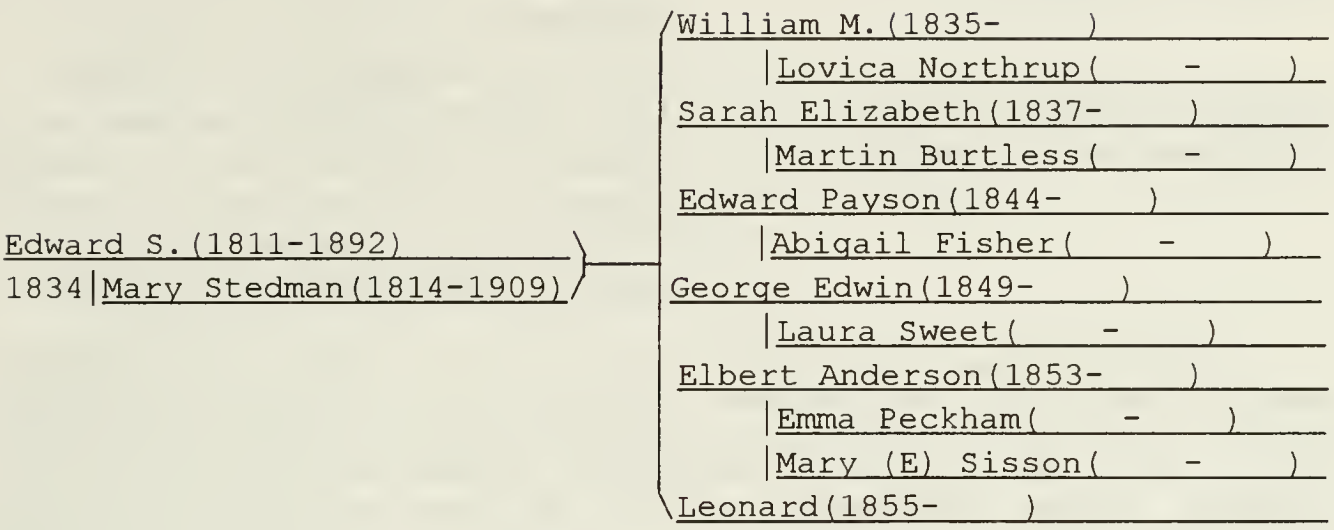
Sarah Laverne was born June 27, 1842. She was not married and lived in Seneca Falls.

Mother Sarah died January 10, 1860 and Matthew died January 10, 1893; both died in Seneca Falls.

References: (7) 4:38; (11) Vol. II, p.85; (137) Vol. I, p.208; (267) p.229; (268) 1850.

Edward S. [7]

Richard [1], John [2], John, Jr. [3], John, III [4], John, IV [5], Pardon [6] page 258



Edward S. Sisson was born June 25, 1811 in Portsmouth, Newport County, RI. He was a farmer and politician. He was on the town council, was a Whig then Republican, and a Baptist. In 1834 he married Mary Gardner Stedman of Newport, daughter of Stephen and Elizabeth (May) Stedman [or Gardner]. Mary was born November 3, 1814 in Newport. In 1852 they purchased 120 acres on "Gypson Lane". Edward and Mary had six children, all born in Portsmouth:

William M. was born July 12, 1835. He was a farmer, married Lovica Northrup and had six children.

Sarah Elizabeth was born April 1, 1837. She married Martin Early Burtless, a farmer. They lived in Cayuga and Seneca Counties, NY. Sarah and Martin had two children: Edward Sisson, October 29, 1859 who married Miss Foote; and Harry, July 2, 1861 to August 30, 1869.

Edward Payson was born May 14, 1844. He was a farmer and married Abigail Fisher of Providence, RI.

George Edwin was born June 16, 1849. He married Laura Sweet. They had two daughters and were living in Portsmouth in 1880.

Elbert Anderson was born July 28, 1853. He farmed the homestead. He married first Emma Peckham and had two daughters. He was single in 1880. After 1891 he married Mary A. (Elliott) Sisson, daughter of Robert and Margaret ( ) Elliott and widow of James M. Sisson, son of William B. Sisson page 541.

Leonard was born November 2, 1855. He is not listed in the references below.

Edward died June 23, 1892 in Portsmouth. He was buried on the Edward Sisson farm but was moved to Island Cemetery, Newport. Mary died June 5, 1909 in Portsmouth.

Reference: (11) Vol. II, p.86; (137) Vol. I, pp. 207-8.

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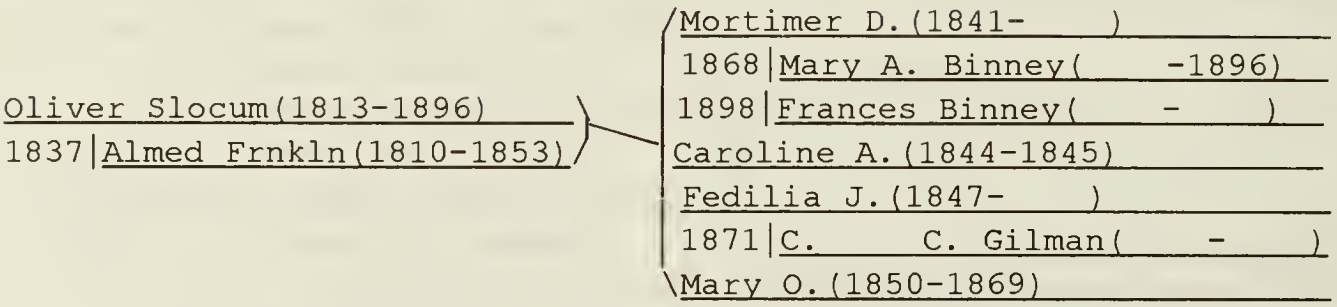
Oliver Slocum [7]

Richard [1], John [2], John, Jr. [3], John, III [4], John, IV [5], Pardon [6] page 258



Oliver Slocum Sisson was born July 4, 1813 in Portsmouth, Newport County, RI. It has been reported, but is doubtful, that he married first Ruth Sisson. On June 20, 1837 in Otselic, Chenango County, NY, he married Almeda Franklin. Almeda was born in 1810 in Otselic. Oliver and Almeda had four children, all born in Seneca Falls, NY:

Mortimer D. was born July 30, 1841. On July 2, 1868 he married first Mary A. Binney. Mary died June 14, 1896 in Seneca Falls. On September 22, 1898 in Mansfield, OH, he married second Frances Binney. In 1906 Mortimer was living in Seneca Falls. He had no children by Frances.

Caroline A. was born February 18, 1844 and died April 22, 1845 in Seneca Falls.

Fidelia J. was born October 1, 1847. On September 6, 1871 she married C. C. Gilman.

Mary O. was born August 11, 1850 and died January 10, 1869.

Almeda died March 16, 1853 in Tully, Onondaga County, NY. Oliver died April 27, 1896 in Seneca Falls.

References: (137) Vol. I, pp. 207-9; (269) 1850.

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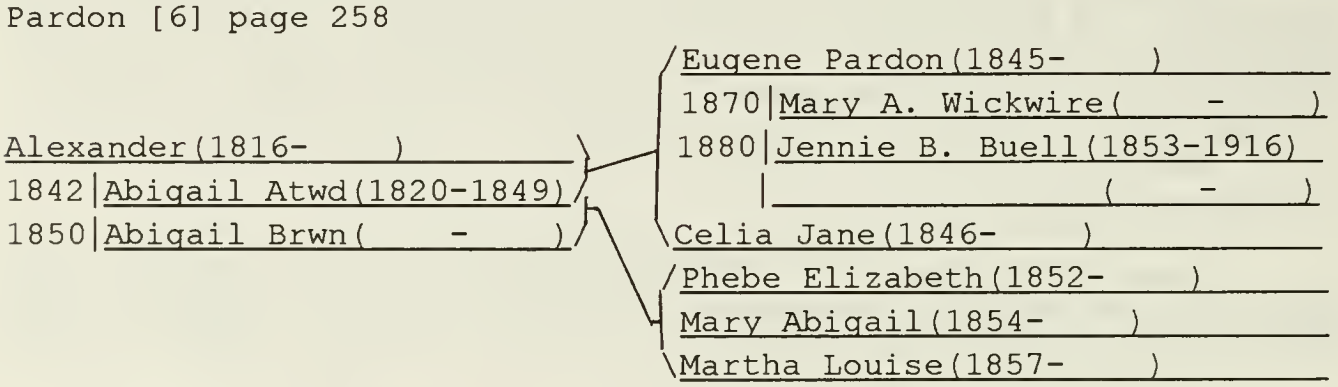
Alexander [7]

Richard [1], John [2], John, Jr. [3], John, III [4], John, IV [5], Pardon [6] page 258



Alexander Sisson was born November 14, 1816 in Portsmouth, RI. He was a farmer in Hamilton, NY, and a twin to Pardon, Jr. On December 20, 1842 in Georgetown, Madison County, NY, he married

Abigail Atwood. Abigail was born in 1820. Alexander and Abigail (Atwood) had two children:

Eugene Pardon (or Pardon Eugene), born January 28, 1845 in Georgetown is discussed on page 591.

Celia Jane was born November 9, 1846. She was not married.

Abigail died May 8, 1849. Circa 1850 Alexander married second Abigail Brown, daughter of Edmond and Abigail (White) Brown. Abigail (Brown) was born in Topsham, Orange County, VT. Alexander and Abigail had three children, all born in Hamilton:

Phebe Elizabeth was born September 12, 1852.

Mary Abigail was born May 2, 1854.

Martha Louise was born March 6, 1857.

References: (11) Vol. III, p.1; (137) Vol. I.

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William B. [7]

Richard [1], John [2], John, Jr. [3], John, III [4], John, IV [5], Pardon [6] page 258

William B.(1819-1851)
1846 Charlotte S. Slocum(1823-) > Alexander P.(1849-)

William B. Sisson was born August 18, 1819 in Portsmouth, RI. On March 19, 1846 he married Charlotte S. Slocum of Portsmouth, daughter of Giles and Mary (Gould) Slocum. They were married there by Rev. Charles Bryant. Charlotte was born in 1823 in Portsmouth. William and Charlotte had one son born in Portsmouth:

Alexander P. was born in June, 1849.

William died December 18, 1851 and is buried on the Edward Sisson farm in Portsmouth. Charlotte married second Elijah Sherman and third William C. Bryer. She is mentioned as Charlotte Sherman, widow of Elijah Sherman in father-in-law Pardon's will written 1860.

References: (7) 4:41, 98; (11) Vol. II, p.86; (137) Vol. I, pp.154 & 207.

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END OF GENERATION SEVEN

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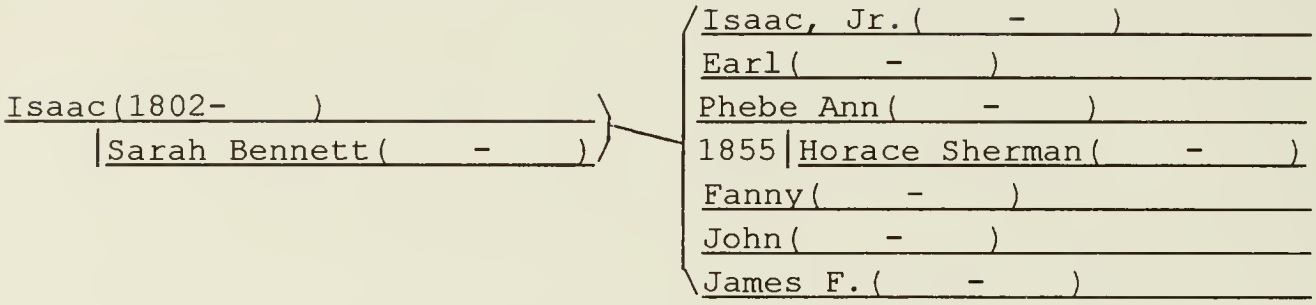
GENERATION [8]

Isaac [8]

Richard [1], George [2], Richard [3], George [4], Peleg [5], Richard [6], Nathan [7] page 262



Isaac Sisson was born August 14, 1802 in Portsmouth, RI. He is probably the Isaac C. who was a merchant. Isaac married Sarah Taber Bennett. Sarah was born about 1812 in England. He has also been reported as married in July, 1823 in Newport, Ann Head of Portsmouth [see Isaac page 270]. Isaac and Sarah had six children:

Isaac, Jr. was born about 1830 and was not married.

Earl was born about 1832 and was not married.

Phebe Ann was born about 1834. On July 29, 1855 she married Horace D. Sherman. Ref: (217) p.450.

Fanny was born about 1836 and was not married.

John was born about 1838 and died young.

James F. born about 1841 in Rhode Island.

Reference: (7) 4:98.

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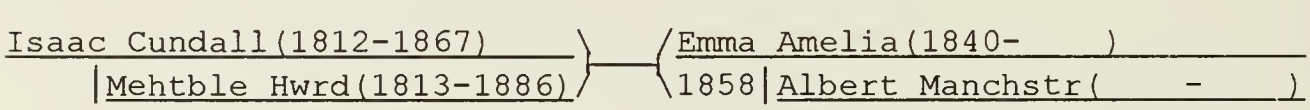
Isaac Cundall [8]

Richard [1], George [2], Richard [3], George [4], Peleg [5], Richard [6], Peleg [7] page 262



Isaac Cundall Sisson was born March 10, 1812. He was an alderman and lived in Providence, RI. He married Mehitable Howard, daughter of Thomas and Mehitable ( ) Howard. She was possibly the widow of Mr. Smith. Mehitable was born May 22, 1813. Isaac and Mehitable adopted a daughter:

Emma Amelia was born January 24, 1840. On February 16, 1858 in Providence, she married Albert Manchester. Ref: (217) p.450.

Isaac died June 5, 1867; Mehitable died June 6, 1886.

Reference: (199) p.181.

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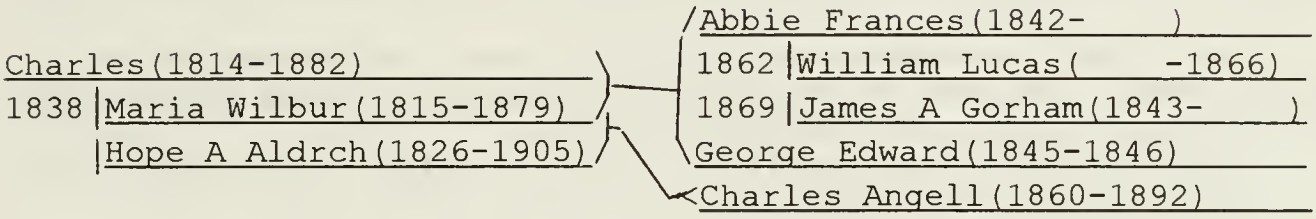
Charles [8]

Richard [1], George [2], Richard [3], George [4], Peleg [5], Richard [6], Peleg [7] page 262



Charles Sisson was born March 24, 1814. On November 2, 1838 he married Maria Wilbur, daughter of Stephen and Susan F. (Randall) Wilbur. Maria was born April 21, 1815. Charles and Maria had two children:

Abbie Frances was born February 15, 1842. On May 10, 1862 she married William H. Lucas. Abbie and William had a daughter: Annie Maria, October 16, 1863, married Mr. Godwin. William died September 10, 1866. On April 18, 1869 Abbie married second James A. Gorham (or Groham), son of Henry and Julia (Raymond) Gorham. James was born May 22, 1843. Abbie and James had four children: Julia, January 21, 1870; Joseph Wilbur, December 3, 1871; Henry Sterling, June 11, 1874; and Frederich Arthur, January 7 to February 22, 1877.

George Edward was born May 25, 1845 and died July 9, 1846.

Charles married second Hope Ann Aldrich, daughter of George and Alice S. ( ) Aldrich. Hope was born circa 1826. Charles and Hope had a son:

Charles Angell was born November 10, 1860 and died April 22, 1892. Refs: (441); (101) p.520.

Maria (Charles's first wife) died March 26, 1879 [this is well after the birth of son Charles Angell to Charles and Hope]. Charles died April 29, 1882; Hope died February 20, 1905.

Reference: (199) p.181.

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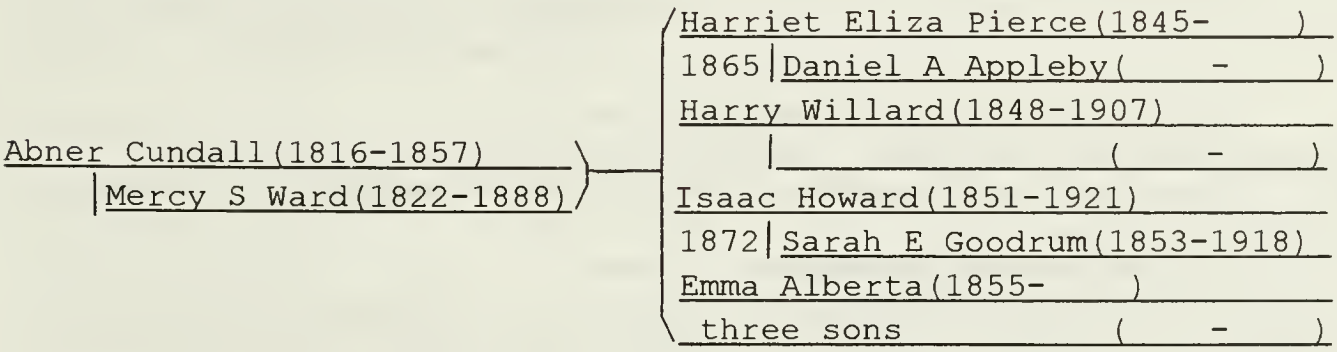
Abner Cundall [8]

Richard [1], George [2], Richard [3], George [4], Peleg [5], Richard [6], Peleg [7] page 262



Abner Cundall Sisson was born May 19 (or 9), 1816. He lived in Providence, RI. He married Mercy "Mary" Steward Ward, daughter

of John and Daty ( ) Ward. Mercy was born May 22, 1822. Abner and Mercy had seven children:

Harriet Eliza Pierce was born in 1845. She probably married Daniel A. Appleby on February 2, 1865 in Providence. Ref: (217) p.450.

Harry Willard was born July 28, 1848. We do not know his wife's name. She and Harry had two children: Willard Stuart; and Mercy Wooley. Harry died March 17, 1907.

Isaac Howard, born April 28, 1851 is discussed on page 594.

Emma Alberta was born March 3, 1855. Ref: (101) p.520.

We have no information on the other three sons.

Abner died March 10, 1857; Mercy died March 30, 1888.

Reference: (199) p.182.

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Richard Woodman [8]

Richard [1], George [2], Richard [3], George [4], Peleg [5], Richard [6], James [7] page 263

Richard Woodman(-) ⟩ <Isabel(-)
Charlotte A. Peckham(-) ⟩

Richard Woodman Sisson was born about 1822. He married Charlotte A. (or W.) Peckham, daughter of Benjamin Peckham. Richard and Charlotte had a daughter:

Isabel was born about 1845 and lived in Little Compton, RI.

We have no additional references:

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James Manning [8]

Richard [1], George [2], Richard [3], George [4], Peleg [5], Richard [6], James [7] page 263

James Manning(1824-1911) ⟩ ⟩ James Archie(1853-)
Vilroy Ann Dean(-) ⟩ 1881 Carrie Cross(-)
Frederick Arnold(1856-1920)
1886 Ella Sherman(-)
Charles Dean(1860-1932)
1884 Abbie Peckham(-)

James Manning Sisson was born November 18, 1824. He married Vilroy (Vilroi) Ann Dean. James and Vilroy had three sons:

James Archie was born in 1853. On October 20, 1881 he married Carrie L. Cross.

Frederick Arnold was born October 17, 1856. On February 17, 1886 he married Ella Sherman. Frederick and Ella had four children: Ernest, about 1870; Lester H., about 1872; Leroy, about 1874; and Irene, about 1876. Frederick died December 11, 1920.

Charles Dean, born July 11, 1860 is discussed on page 595.

James died August 26, 1911 in New Bedford, MA.

Reference: (11) Vol. IV, p.56.

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George Hall [8]

Richard [1], George [2], Richard [3], George [4], Peleg [5], Richard [6], James [7] page 263

George Hall(1827-1889)
Chrstana Dean(1841-1915)

Charles H.(-)
Ida V.(-)
George Calvert(-)
Lincoln Hall(1864-1941)
1891 Lusanna Luce(1888-1939)
Ann G. W.(-)
Anthony(-)
Gertrude O.(-)
Arthur Granville(-)

George Hall (aka Henry) Sisson was born in 1827/8 in Portsmouth, RI. He married Christiana Dean, daughter of Charles and Nancy (Hodges) Dean of Enfield, CT. Christiana was born in Enfield May 6, 1841. George was a farmer and owned property at Portsmouth and Middletown. George and Christiana had six children:

Charles H. was born about 1860.

Ida V. was born about 1862. She married George Calvert and had a son: George M.

Lincoln Hall, born October 24, 1864 is discussed on page 596.

Ann G. W. was born about 1866. She married Mr. Anthony.

Gertrude O. was born about 1869.

Arthur Granville was born about 1872.

George died at Middletown January 19, 1889 age 61. His estate was valued at $701. Christiana became a nurse and later lived with her daughter Ida Calvert. She sold the family property to her son Arthur in 1913. Christiana died April 29, 1915 age 73. Her estate was administered by her daughter Anna Anthony. George and Christiana are buried at Berkeley Memorial Church, Middletown, in the churchyard there.

References: "Newport Daily News" obituary, May 3, 1915; (475) 2:20,37; (476) 11:125, 15:16.

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Charles Richmond [8]

Richard [1], George [2], Richard [3], George [4], George, Jr. [5], Peleg [6], Isaac P. [7] page 264

Charles Richmond(-)
1865 Laura F. Potter(-)

Mary Abbot(1867-)
Adelaide Augusta(-)
Curtland Potter(-)
Norman(-)
Crawford F.(-)

Charles Richmond Sisson was born about 1840. On December 7, 1865 he married Laura F. Potter. Charles and Laura had five children:

Mary Abbot was born June 14, 1867. Ref: (101) p.520.

Adelaide Augusta was born about 1869.

Curtland (or Cortland) Potter was born about 1870.

Norman was born about 1873 and died young.

Crawford F. was born about 1875.

Reference: (217) p.450.

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Luther S. [8]

Richard [1], George [2], Richard [3], George [4], George, Jr. [5], George, III [6], Thomas [7] page 265

Luther S. (1821-1901)
1846 | Eliza M Garrtt (1827-)

- Ann Eliza (1847-1847)
- Ransom M. (1848-1866)
- De Witt C. (1850-1932)
  1873 | Esther Bouck (1856-1913)
- Winfield T. (1853-1925)
  1879 | Antoinete Bakr (1859-1913)
- Sanford L. (1856-1934)
  1882 | Martha Haverly (1853-1917)
- Elmer E. (1862-)
  1888 | Nettie Zeh (1868-1902)
- Sheridan F. (1865-1888)
- Frank Sheridan (1865-)
- Luther Grant (1869-1871)

Luther S. Sisson was born December 13, 1821 in New Baltimore, NY. On May 1, 1846 he married Eliza M. Garrett (also reported Gavoult). Eliza was born June 22, 1827 in New York. Luther was a farmer in Berne, Albany County, NY, in 1850. Luther and Eliza had eight children:

Ann Eliza was born June 5 and died July 25, 1847.

Ransom M. was born May 28, 1848 and died December 29, 1866.

De Witt C., born December 3, 1850 is discussed on page 597.

Winfield T. (or S.), born February 18, 1853 is discussed on page 599.

Sanford L., born April 28, 1856 is discussed on page 599.

Elmer E. was born September 7, 1862. He was a farmer in West Berne, NY. On January 12, 1888 he married Nettie Zeh, daughter of Peter and Catherine M. (Hilts) Zeh. Nettie was born December 1, 1868. Elmer and Nettie had a son: Leroy "Roy", January 9, 1891. Nettie died August 13, 1902.

Sheridan F. and Frank Sheridan, twins, were born September 2, 1865. Sheridan F. died August 7, 1888.

Luther Grant was born January 30, 1869 and died October 25, 1871.

Luther died April 27, 1901 and is buried in the Turner Burying Ground, Peasley Hill, Berne, NY.

References: Luther's death certificate; (35); (333) 1850; (334); (335).

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Rufus P. [8]

Richard [1], George [2], Richard [3], George [4], George, Jr. [5], George, III [6], Thomas [7] page 265

Rufus P.(1825-1904)
1845|Pamlia Demnd(1827-1906)

- George E.(1847-1848)
- Mary Amelia(1849-)
  1865|William Dennisn(-)
- Milton J.(1851-1925)
  1873|Estella Tubbs(1854-1923)

Rufus P. Sisson was born June 15, 1825 in Berne, Albany County, NY. He was a farmer. On April 6, 1845 he married Pamelia Demond (or Demons), daughter of John and Joanna (Brown) Demond. Pamelia was born March 1, 1827 in Huntersland, Schoharie County, NY. Rufus and Pamelia had three children, probably all born in Berne:

George E. was born September 20, 1847 or 1848, and died October 28, 1848 or 1849.

Mary Amelia was born October 7, 1849. On June 20, 1865 she married William Austin Dennison. They lived in Albany, NY. Mary and William had six children: Frank S., August 24, 1869 to May 24, 1882; Washington I., November 14, 1872 to December 27, 1898, married Miss Burnham; Laura E., December 12, 1874 to July 31, 1882; Huldah, December 25, 1875, married Mr. Capron; Emiline G., June 9, 1881; and Estelle B., May 18, 1887.

Milton J., born October 8, 1851 is discussed on page 600.

Rufus died April 21, 1904; Pamelia died in 1906. Both died in Huntersland and are buried there.

References: (333) 1850; (477).

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Ransom E. [8]

Richard [1], George [2], Richard [3], George [4], George, Jr. [5], George, III [6], Thomas [7] page 265

Ransom E.(1827-1872)
1850|Huldah Dennison(1832-1864)
1865|Cath. Waldron(-)

- Albert P.(1851-1862)
- Angelo(1859-1922)
  1881|Sarah Billngs(1858-)

Ransom E. Sisson was born August 14, 1827 in Berne, Albany County, NY. He was a farmer. He married first October 20, 1850 Huldah E. Dennison, daughter of Isaac and Mary (Dibble) Dennison. Huldah was born February 23, 1832. Ransom and Huldah had two sons:

Albert P. was born July 10, 1851 and died February 11, 1862.

Angelo Sisson was born March 25, 1859. He was a machinist in Catskill, NY. On December 2, 1881 he married Sarah A. Billings, daughter of Richard and Matilda (Pechtel) Billings. Sarah was born November 16, 1858. Angelo and Sarah had three children: Catherine B., March 25, 1883; Blanche E., March 7, 1885; and Harmon Rufus, July 4, 1888. Angelo died in in 1922.

Huldah died September 11, 1864. Ransom married second September 27, 1865 Catherine Waldron. Ransom died August 18, 1872 in Schoharie County, NY.

Reference: (35).

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Noel E. [8]

Richard [1], George [2], Richard [3], George [4], George, Jr. [5], George, III [6], Waite [7] page 265

Noel E.(1821-1904)
1843 Emilin Grffn(1819-1890)
1891 Anna Bgrds(1860-1908)

- Eleanor Emily(1844-)
  - 1870 Daniel C Benntt(1848-)
- James(1846-1848)
- Angelo(1849-1858)
- Franklin N.(1850-)
  - 1887 Minnie Bragton(1869-)

Noel E. Sisson was born January 23, 1821 in Berne, Albany County, NY. He was adopted by his grandfather George when his mother was deserted by her husband. He was a photographer and a manufacturer in Albany, NY. He was a Republican and published a biography. On July 6, 1843 he married Emiline Griffin, daughter of Dr. James and Hannah (Finch) Griffin of Middleburg, NY. Emiline was born in 1819. Noel and Emiline had four children, probably all born in Albany:

Eleanor Emily was born July 8, 1844. On December 1, 1870 she married Daniel C. Bennett. Daniel was born February 29, 1848. Eleanor and Daniel had four children: Emeline S., September 21, 1871; Elizabeth C., July 20, 1875; Noel S., March 15, 1878; and Eleanor M., August 11, 1884.

James was born October 10, 1846 and died October 28, 1848.

Angelo was born February 8, 1849 and died September 9, 1858.

Franklin N. was born July 2, 1850 (or 1860). He was a graduate of the Taylor Academy in Columbia County, OH, in 1878. On July 27, 1887 he married Minnie Bragton, daughter of Theodore H. and Ruth I. (Armstrong) Bragton of Albany. Minnie was born in 1869. Franklin was a merchant in Albany and in Columbus, OH. He was a Republican and Mason. Franklin and Minnie had no issue. Ref: "Landmarks of Albany County, NY", 1897, part 3, p.366.

Emeline died February 16, 1890. Noel married second April 9, 1891 Anna Bogardus, daughter of John Jost and Martha C. (Engle) Bogardus. Anna was born March 8, 1860. Noel died in 1904 in Albany. Anna died September 7, 1908.

References: (35); (478) Vol. 2, p.510-11.

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John [8]

Richard [1], George [2], Richard [3], Richard, Jr. [4], Mary [5], Lemuel [6], Joseph [7] page 267

John(1846-)
1868 Mary E. Almy(-)

William Northupp(-)
1899 Lydora L Peckham(1872-)
Lydora Almy(-)
1904 Frederick Brownll(-)

John Sisson was born October 23, 1846 in Little Compton, RI. He was a farmer and inherited his father's farm. He was also a meat dealer. He was a Republican and served on the Little Compton town council. On December 31, 1868 he married Mary Eudora Almy, daughter of John S. and Lidora (Sisson) Almy, see Green Bradford page 385. John and Mary had two children, both born in Little Compton:

William Northupp, born about 1870 is discussed on page 600.

Lydora Almy was born about 1872. On June 15, 1904 she married Frederick Richmond Brownell, a poultry farmer. Frederick was born in Little Compton. Lydora and Frederick had two sons: Frederick Richmond, Jr., April 30, 1905; and Winthrop Sisson, July 19, 1906. Lydora died after 1958.

References: (206); (479).

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Henry Tillinghast [8]

Richard [1], George [2], Richard [3], Richard, Jr. [4], Mary [5], Lemuel [6], David [7] page 267

Henry Tillinghast(1831-1910)
1864 Nettie Wlwrth(1845-1868)
1871 Emily Brownll(1851-1902)

Nettie Walworth(1873-1918)
David(1875-)
1903 Nina Hale(1881-1908)
1917 Bessie Dolttle(-)
Henry Tillinghst Jr(1876-1900)
Frank Harris(1885-1948)
1911 Mary Haberlin(1887-1960)

Henry Tillinghast Sisson was born August 20, 1831 in Fall River, MA. He inherited the family farm at The Point in Little Compton. He was a Republican and fought in the Civil War as a Lieutenant in 1861 to the rank of Colonel in 1864. In July, 1861 he was in the Battle of Bull Run under Gen. Ambrose Burnside. While with the 44th Mass. Reg., he escaped Confederate capture on the Pimlico River at Ft. Washington, NC, April 13, 1863, also rescuing Maj. Gen. Foster. In 1864 he was in command of the 5th Rhode Island Artillery. Henry married first March 14, 1864 at New Berne, NC, Nettie Walworth, daughter of Gilbert C/H Walworth of East Branch, NY. Nettie was born October 9, 1845. She died March 23, 1868 in Little Compton and is buried there. Henry married second June 30, 1871 in Little Compton Emily Josephine Brownell, daughter of Joseph and Christiana Durfee (Manchester) Brownell. "Josephine" was born January 27, 1851 in Little Compton. Henry served as Lieutenant Governor of Rhode Island from 1875 to 1881. In 1890 Henry is reported to have incurred a disability of deafness during the war. Henry and Josephine had four children:

Nettie Walworth was born August 5, 1873 in Little Compton. She was not married. Nettie died in Worchester, MA, February 11, 1918 and is buried in Rumford or Providence.

David, born May 12, 1875 is discussed on page 601.

Henry Tillinghast, Jr. was born May 15, 1876. He died of pneumonia May 20, 1900 and is buried in Little Compton.

Frank Harris was born in January, 1884/5 in Providence, RI. He was a surveyor, clerk, Mason and a member of the Rhode Island militia and veterans' association. On October 5, 1911 in Worcester, MA, he married Mary Cecelia Haberlin. She was born November 22, 1887 in New York. Frank and Mary had two sons, both born in Worcester, MA: Henry Tillinghast, December 6, 1912 to August 12, 1985 [father of Shirley (Sisson) Madden]; and Robert Harris, September 23, 1918. Frank died February 4, 1948; Mary died December 28, 1960.

Henry lived most of his life in Little Compton, RI. Family tradition states that Henry had many schemes that spent the family fortune. Mother Sarah, 74, was living with them in 1880. Josephine died July 26, 1902 in Little Compton; Henry died October 19, 1910 in Providence. Both are buried in Little Compton. Rhode Island and Massachusetts erected a statue to him in the Cemetery at the Commons. Massachusetts acting governor Calvin Coolidge unveiled the statue.

References: Family data from Shirley Madden, Glendale, CA; (11) Vol. IV, pp.18-20; (29); (205); (274) Little Compton 1880, 1890, 1900; (480) pp.74-76, 156, 220.

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William Henry [8]

Richard [1], George [2], Richard [3], Richard, Jr. [4], Mary [5], Lemuel [6], Levi W. [7] page 268

William Henry(1837-1922)
1859 Alice M. Pierce(1841-)
1866 Judith Gray Wilbur(1841-)
→ three children

William Henry Sisson was born December 24, 1837 in Little Compton, RI. The family also lived in Tiverton, RI. He is probably the Will Sisson who was married to Dora (Peckham) after 1900, and was paid 25c to remove the town hearse. He used it as a chicken-feed wagon. William married first February 5, 1859 in Ashford, CT, Alice M. (or H.) Pierce. Alice was born in 1841. William married second April 4, 1866 Judith Gray Wilbur, daughter of Jonathan and Maria C. ( ) Wilbur. They were married in Tiverton by Elder James A. McKensie. Judith was born circa 1841. William and Judith had three children, including a son who did not marry.

References: (7) 7:574; (480) pp.197-8, 209-10.

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Lemuel [8]

Richard [1], George [2], Richard [3], Richard, Jr. [4], Mary [5], Lemuel [6], Levi W. [7] page 268

Lemuel(1849-)
1894 Laura Peckham(-)

- Levi Walker(1895-1896)
- Albert Peckham(1897-)
- Sidney(1900-)
- Alice Teale(1902-)
  - Charles Buxton(-)
- Ida May(1904-1947)
- Thomas(1906-1944)
  - 1943 Joanna Mriarty(-)

Lemuel Sisson was born February 8, 1849 in Little Compton, RI. He was a farmer, poultry-raiser, Republican, and Methodist-Episcopal. On April 5, 1894 he married Laura Frances Peckham, daughter of Albert Peckham. Laura was born in Westport, RI. Lemuel and Laura had six children:

Levi Walker was born January 10, 1895 in Little Compton and died there April 23, 1896.

Albert Peckham was born February 11, 1897.

Sidney was born February 2, 1900.

Alice Teale was born March 10, 1902. She married Charles Allen Buxton.

Ida May was born September 30, 1904 and died in 1947.

Thomas was born December 24, 1906. On November 18, 1943 in Tiverton, RI, he married Joanna Moriarty. Thomas died April 19, 1944.

We have no additional references.

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Joseph Preston [8]

Richard [1], George [2], Richard [3], Richard, Jr. [4], Mary [5], Lemuel [6], James Phillips [7] page 269

Joseph Preston(1842-1927)
1870 Ellen Holden(1842-1899)

- Mary Belle(1872-1873)
- Ellen Preston(1875-1971)
  - 1897 Frederick Thrum(1870-1937)
- James Philip(1877-1910)
  - 1904 Edith M. Cheek(1879-1969)
- Horace Holden(1879-1969)
  - 1909 Mabel A. Thayer(1878-1961)
- Charles Furneaux(1886-1964)
  - 1926 Bessie Hunt(-)

Joseph Preston Sisson was born January 22, 1842 in Little Compton, RI. He was wounded in the Civil War, advised he had six months to live and that a sea voyage would aid his health. In 1868 he joined his older brother James in Hilo, Hawaii. On March 20, 1878 Joseph became a citizen of the Kingdom of Hawaii where he remained for the rest of his life. He was a bookkeeper, Kingdom's

Collector of Customs, and Deputy District Judge for South Hilo. On May 19, 1870 at the Fourth Street Church in Hilo, he married Ellen Holden, daughter of Horace and Mary (Millen) Holden. Ellen was born July 18, 1842 in Honolulu. At her mother's death Ellen was adopted by Miss Maria Ogden of the Protestant Mission at Hawaii. Joseph and Ellen had five children, all born in Hilo:

Mary Belle was born December 1, 1872 and died April 22, 1873.

Ellen Preston "Nellie" was born July 28, 1875. She married in Hilo in 1897 Frederick William "Wil" Thrum, son of Thomas George and Anna Laura (Brown) Thrum of Honolulu. Wil was born in 1870. Nellie and Wil had three children: Eleanor Sisson*, February 5, 1899 to January 14, 1994, married Deane Waldo Malott; Martha, February 5, 1901, married George Hocking; and Anna Laura, December 1, 1903 to April 4, 1996, married first Eugene Teachout, and second Sidney Bullock. Wil died in 1937; Ellen died in 1971.

James Philip, born August 30, 1877 and is discussed on page 601.

Horace Holden, born December 10, 1879 is discussed on page 602.

Charles Furneaux was born October 4, 1886. On May 11, 1926 in Tiverton, RI, he married Bessie Maria Hunt. Charles was also baptized at that time. Charles and Bessie had no issue. Charles died June 10, 1964 in Great Falls, MA.

Ellen died in Hilo July 22, 1899 and is buried in Homelani Cemetery, Hilo. Joseph died in Hilo November 11, 1927. His obituary names him as the last Civil War veteran in Hawaii. He is buried next to his brother, wife and children.

* Eleanor Sisson (Thrum) Malott has been reported in error as a daughter of Joseph Preston and Ellen (Holden) Sisson. Her obituary in the "Cornell Daily Sun", January 20, 1994 lists her parents as Ellen Holden Sisson and Frank Thrum.

Reference: (206).

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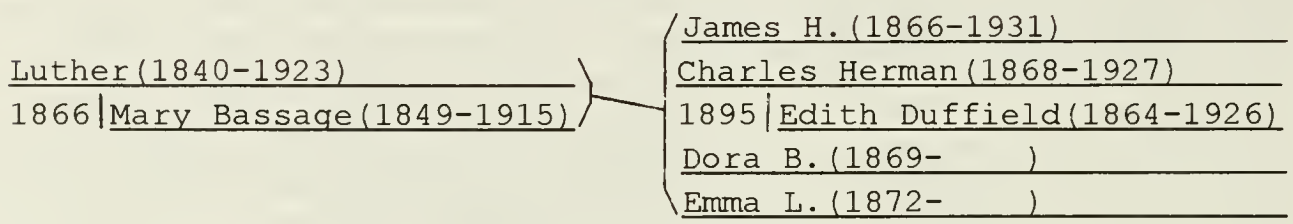
Luther [8]

Richard [1], George [2], George, Jr. [3], John [4], George [5], Benoni [6], James Franklin [7] page 274



Luther Sisson was born January 14, 1840 in Torrey, NY. He served with Co. I, 148th NY Volunteers. A disability pension was granted in 1883. On January 19, 1866 he married Mary Jane Bassage, daughter of John and Mary (Cook) Bassage. Mary was born in 1849. Luther and Mary had four children, probably all born in Penn Yan, NY:

James H. was born December 4, 1866 and died February 2, 1931.
Charles Herman, born July 12, 1868 is discussed on page 602.
Dora B. was born November 10, 1869.
Emma L. was born June 8, 1872.

The family was living in Fenville, MI, in 1889. Mary died March 8, 1915; Luther died May 16, 1923, both in Ganges, MI.

References: (481) 1850; (482).

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Franklin James [8]

Richard [1], George [2], George, Jr. [3], John [4], George [5], Benoni [6], James Franklin [7] page 274

Franklin James(1847-1911)
1871 Marg. La Dck(1853-1928)

- James William(1873-1904)
  - 1897 Maggie Sanders(-)
- Etta May(1876-1944)
  - 1894 Arthur Newkirk(-)
- Olive Edith(1878-1906)
  - 1898 George H Wilcox(-)
- Amy Jane(1879-1902)
  - 1902 Homer Slentz(-)
- Eugene Franklin(1882-1968)
  - 1902 Frances Keller(-1964)
- Grace Louise(1887-1963)
  - 1903 Clarence Hogmire(-)
  - (-)
- Myrtle Blanche(1890-1943)
  - 1906 Frdrck Vndr Vuss(-)
- Bertha La Dick(1892-)
  - 1910 James C. Delp(-)
  - 1911 Carl Hogmire(-1956)

Franklin James Sisson was born May 23, 1847 in Jerusalem, Yates County, NY. He is called James F. in the 1880 census. On May 11, 1871 in Kalamazoo, MI, he married Margaret "Maggie" Jane La Dick (or Lodick), daughter of John and Mary (Koden) La Dick. Margaret was born June 1, 1853. Franklin and Margaret had eight children, all born in Michigan:

James William was born May 14, 1873 in Ganges. On September 13, 1897 he married Maggie Sanders. James died July 3, 1904.

Etta May was born May 21, 1876. On November 1, 1894 she married Arthur Newkirk. Etta died November 4, 1944.

Olive Edith was born February 7, 1878. On April 3, 1898 she married George Homer Wilcox. Olive died March 18, 1906.

Amy Jane was born December 31, 1879. On February 7, 1902 she married Homer Slentz. Amy died May 23, 1902.

Eugene Franklin was born March 31, 1882. On March 29, 1902 he married Frances Keller. [These are ancestors of Ann Coffey,

Fennville, MI.] Frances died August 10, 1964; Eugene died April 17, 1968.

Grace Louise was born June 10, 1887. On May 7, 1903 she married Clarence H. Hogmire. Grace married a second time but we have no information on that husband. Grace died January 9, 1963.

Myrtle Blanche was born April 4, 1890. On November 1, 1906 she married Frederick Vander Vusse. Myrtle and Frederick had a large family. Their eighth child was Raymond LaVerne, August 9, 1921, who lived in Holland, MI, [Ref. 482]. Myrtle died January 5, 1943 in Holland.

Bertha La Dick was born April 13, 1892. On May 28, 1910 she married James Clair Delp. This marriage was annulled. Bertha married second July 25, 1911 Carl Hogmire. Carl died August 21, 1956; Bertha died after 1974.

The family was living in Ester, MI, in 1889. Franklin died July 11, 1911; Margaret died December 23, 1928, both in Ganges, MI. They are buried in the Fenville, MI, cemetery near his brother Luther.

Reference: (482).

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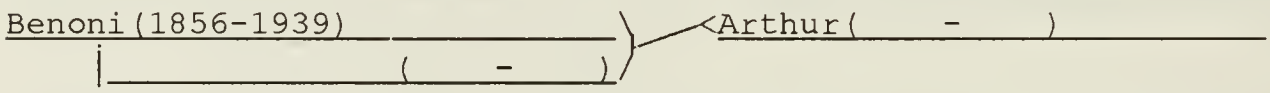
Benoni [8]

Richard [1], George [2], George, Jr. [3], John [4], George [5], Benoni [6], Stephen [7] page 275



Benoni Sisson was born April 13, 1856. We have no information on his wife. She and Benoni had a son:

Arthur was born about 1878. He lived in Branchport, NY.

Benoni died May 12, 1939.

We have no additional references.

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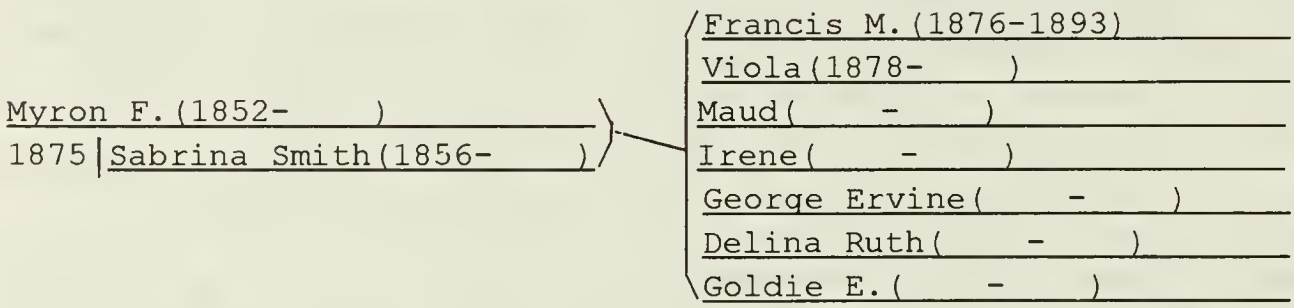
Myron F. [8]

Richard [1], George [2], George,Jr. [3], John [4], George [5], Benoni [6], Samuel [7] page 276



Myron F. Sisson was born September 4, 1852 in Hillsdale County, MI. On November 7, 1875 he married Sabrina Smith, daughter of Hiram and Angeline (Seward) Smith. Sabrina was born circa 1856. Myron and Sabrina had seven children, probably all born in Michigan:

Francis M. was born in 1876. He is called Franklin in the 1880 census. He died October 22, 1893.

Viola was born circa 1878.

Maud was born about 1881.

Irene was born about 1884.

George Ervine was born about 1886.

Delina Ruth was born about 1888.

Goldie E. was born about 1890.

Reference: (340) 1880.

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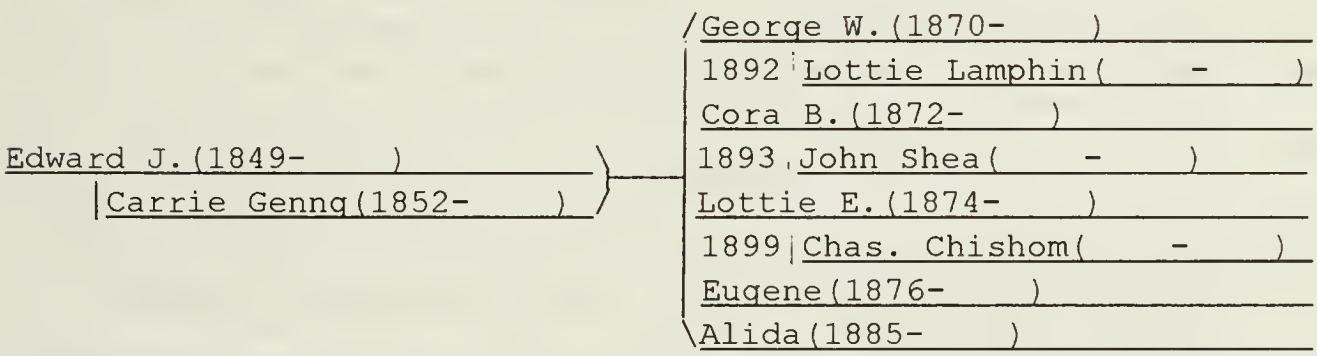
Edward J. [8]

Richard [1], George [2], George, Jr. [3], John [4], George [5], Jonathan [6], William [7] page 276



Edward J. Sisson was born in November, 1849 in Italy Hill, Yates County, NY. He married Carrie Genung, daughter of William, Jr. and Bethany (Sisson) Genung, see Jonathan [6] on page 146. Edward and Carrie were double-cousins. Carrie was born in July, 1852 in Italy Hill, NY. Edward and Carrie had five children:

George W. was born in July, 1870. In 1892 he married Lottie A. Lamphin. They lived in Italy Hill.

Cora B. was born in July, 1872. In 1893 she married John Shea of Yates County. Cora and John had a child: Delos, 1896. The family was living in Bellingham, WA, in 1901/2.

Lottie E. was born in June, 1874. In 1899 she married Charles Chishom of Steuben County, NY. Lottie and Charles had a daughter: Margaret, 1900. The family was living in Bellingham, WA, in 1901/2.

Eugene was born in March, 1876. He lived in Italy Hill.

Alida was born in March, 1885.

Reference: (208).

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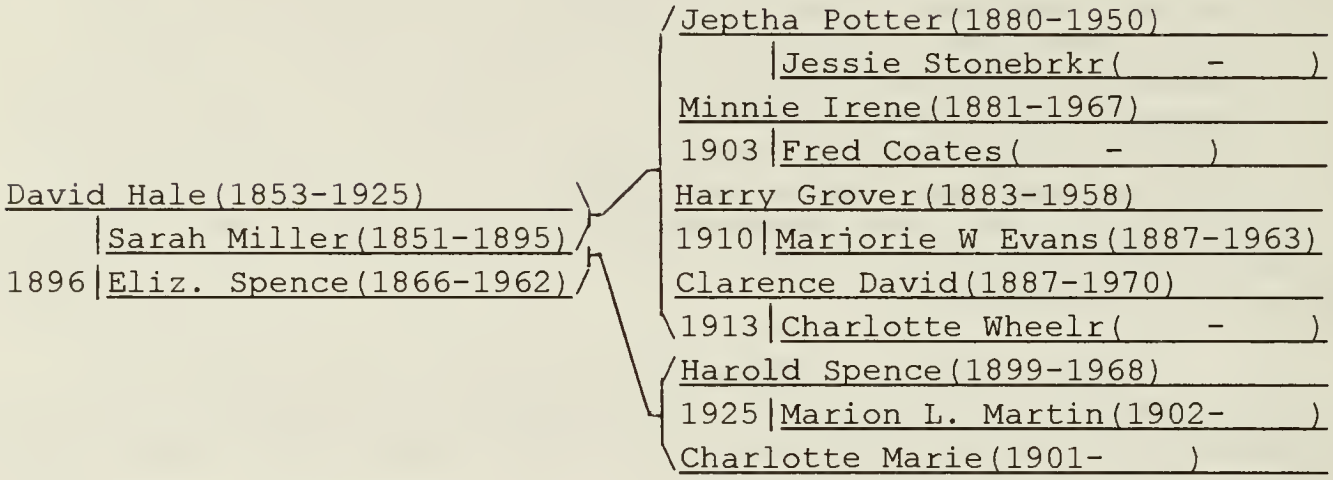
David Hale [8]

Richard [1], George [2], George, Jr. [3], John [4], George [5], Jonathan [6], Harrison [7] page 277



David Hale Sisson was born September 11, 1853 in New York. He married first Sarah P. Miller, niece of Judge Jeptha Potter of Penn Yan. Sarah was born in 1851. David and Sarah had four children:

Jeptha Potter, born February 15, 1880 is discussed on page 603.

Minnie Irene was born December 6, 1881. On March 15, 1903 she married Fred Coates. Minnie and Fred had a daughter: Hazel. Minnie died January 23, 1967.

Harry Grover, born December 7, 1883 is discussed on page 603.

Clarence David was born July 15, 1887. On June 26, 1913 he married Charlotte Wheeler. Clarence and Charlotte had a daughter: Ruth, born about 1915, married 1) Ernest Bordwell & 2) Charles LaJoy. Clarence died April 1, 1970.

Sarah died in 1895. David married second on December 22, 1896 Elizabeth Purnell Spence from "Glenn Mary Farm", Secretary, MD. Elizabeth was born December 4, 1866. David and Elizabeth had two children:

Harold Spence Sisson was born February 19, 1899. On March 12, 1925 he married Marion Lucy Martin. Marion was born February 20, 1902. Harold and Marion had a daughter: Jeanne Marie, married George H. Pickett. Harold died November 9, 1968.

Charlotte Marie was born November 29, 1901.

David died February 5, 1925; Elizabeth died July 6, 1962.

References: (210) p.613; (482).

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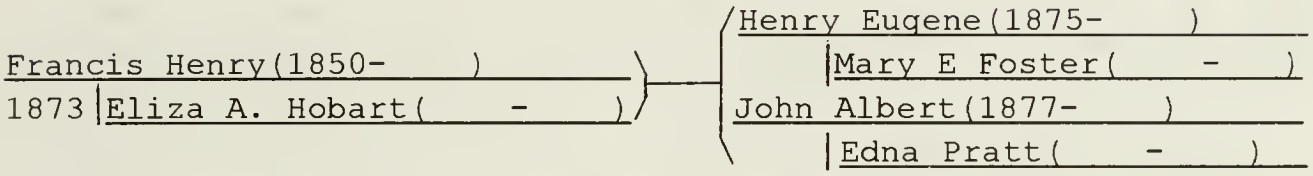
Francis Henry [8]

Richard [1], George [2], George, Jr. [3], John [4], Esek [5], Luther [6], John Humphrey Thompson [7] page 278



Francis Henry Sisson was born December 28, 1850. He was a painter. On September 30, 1873 he married Eliza Ann Hobart. They lived in Whitensville, MA. Francis and Eliza had two sons:

Henry Eugene was born March 26, 1875. He was a jeweler. He married Mary E. Foster. They lived in Worchester, MA.

John Albert was born June 9, 1877. He was a molder. He married Edna Pratt. They also lived in Worchester.

We have no additional references.

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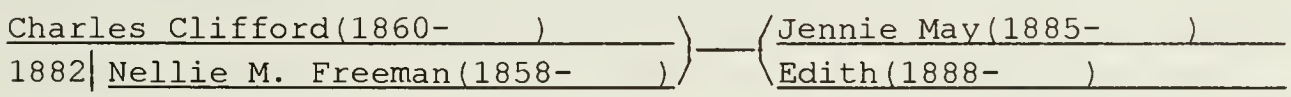
Charles Clifford [8]

Richard [1], George [2], George, Jr. [3], John [4], Esek [5], Luther [6], John Humphrey Thompson [7] page 278



Charles Clifford Sisson was born March 10, 1860. He was a carpenter. On August 21, 1882 he married Nellie Maria Freeman, daughter of Dexter and Maria (Fuller) Freeman. They lived in Whitensville, MA. Nellie was born July 17, 1858. Charles and Nellie had two daughters:

Jennie May was born in May, 1885. She died an infant.

Edith was born February 19, 1888.

We have no additional references.

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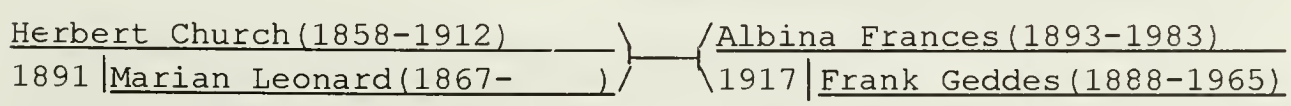
Herbert Church [8]

Richard [1], George [2], George, Jr. [3], John [4], Esek [5], Luther [6], Asa Church [7] page 279



Herbert Church Sisson was born June 9, 1858 in Easton, MA. On November 18, 1891 in Easton, he married Marian Albina Leonard, daughter of James Herbert and Albina Mari (Walker) Leonard. Marian was born February 27, 1867 in Norton, MA. Herbert and Marian had a daughter:

Albina Frances was born August 27, 1893 in Bridgewater, MA. On July 12, 1917 in Marshfield, MA, she married Frank Saunders Geddes, son of George and Isabella J. (Murray) Geddes. Frank was born May 23, 1888 in Easton. Albina and Frank had a son: Frank Saunders, Jr., May 6, 1922, married Ruth May Griffiths. Frank died March 2, 1965 in Attleboro, MA; Albina died June 17, 1983 in Stoughton, MA. Both are buried in Furnace Village cemetery, Easton. Refs: Birth, marriage and death certificates.

Marian died December 21, 1911 in Bridgewater and is buried in Mt. Prospect cemetery. Herbert died June 3, 1912 in Easton and is buried in Furnace Village cemetery.

References: Birth, marriage and death certificates; (342).

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Alfred Asa [8]

Richard [1], George [2], George, Jr. [3], John [4], Esek [5], Luther [6], Asa Church [7] page 279

Alfred Asa(1860-1912)
1886 Marian E. Wilber(1861-1936) > Durward Wilber(1895-1950)

Alfred Asa Sisson was born December 2, 1860 in Easton, MA. On December 29, 1886 in Easton, he married Marian Elizabeth Wilber, daughter of Lemuel and Elizabeth (Fuller) Wilber. Marian was born September 11, 1861. Alfred and Marian had a son:

Durward Wilber was born March 17, 1895 in Easton. He died October 6, 1950.

Alfred died September 13, 1912 in Easton and is buried in Furnace Village cemetery. Marian died November 4, 1936 in Easton and is buried in Unitarian Cemetery.

Reference: (342).

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Arthur Clarence [8]

Richard [1], George [2], George, Jr. [3], John [4], Esek [5], Luther [6], Jonathan Thomas [7] page 280

Arthur Clarence(1868-)
1889 Mary Belle Cliffe(1857-) > Hazel May(1893-1894)

Arthur Clarence Sisson was born January 1, 1868 in Easton, MA. He was a machinist. On July 20, 1889 he married Mary Belle Cliffe, daughter of William and Catherine (McKiever) Cliffe. Mary was born August 13, 1857. They lived in Pawtucket, RI. Arthur and Mary had a daughter:

Hazel May was born April 18, 1893 and died August 16, 1894.

We have no additional references.

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George Towner [8]

Richard [1], George [2], George, Jr. [3], Gideon [4], Freeborn [5], Freeborn, Jr. [6], Charles Trott [7] page 281

George Towner(1868-1951)
1893 | Eloise Ptigrw(1872-1966)

- John Pettigrew(1895-)
  - Laura (-)
- Richard Charles(1915-)
  - 1944 | Marg. Whitcomb(1923-1968)

George Towner Sisson was born May 22, 1868 in Chicago, Cook County, IL. He is the George T. Sisson listed in the Chicago City Directories from 1885 to 1896. In 1898 and 1899 he was a gold miner in Yukon Territory, Canada. From 1902 to 1914 he was in Alaska and Europe. After 1915 he was a farmer in Acton, MA. On October 25, 1893 in Chicago George married Eloise Pettigrew, daughter of John A. and Anne (Goode) Pettigrew. Eloise was born in 1872. George and Eloise had two sons:

John Pettigrew was born in 1895 in Chicago. He married Laura ( ). He was still living in 1966 when his mother died.

Richard Charles, born June 6, 1915 is discussed on page 604.

George died in 1951; Eloise died in 1966.

References: (219); (345) pp.192-202; (348) 1870.

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Asa [8]

Richard [1], George [2], Thomas [3], Giles [4], Samuel [5], John [6], John, Jr. [7] page 282

Asa(1822-1899)
1852 | Pamela Whtcmb(1833-1920)

- Earl Truman(1853-1926)
  - 1874 | Lucy Learned(1848-1937)
- Emma L.(1855-)
  - Walden Balcom(1851-)
- Laura A.(1858-1931)
  - 1877 | Frank Lawson(1856-1920)
- Marietta(1959-1936)
- Ida A.(1862-1948)
  - 1883 | Frank W. Pinch(1858-1920)
- Orlen W.(1866-1936)
  - 1897 | Helen M Visser(1864-)
- Wilbur A.(1869-1950)

Asa Sisson was born June 30, 1822 in Crown Point, Essex County, NY. He was a farmer. In 1847 he moved to Rosendale, WI. He purchased land in 1848 from John and Mercy Ann Sisson (grandparents) and later sold that land to Henry Terry. On September 9, 1852 in Rosendale (or Springvale, Fond du Lac County), WI, he married Pamela Waite Whitcomb, daughter of Truman and Lura (Dibble) Whitcomb. Pamela was born July 12, 1833 in Granville, Washington

County, NY. Asa and Pamela had seven children, all born in Rosendale:

Earl Truman, born October 25, 1853 is discussed on page 605.

Emma L. was born in April, 1855. She married Walden Balcom, son of Chauncey M. Balcom. Walden was born in July, 1851 in Wisconsin. They moved to South Dakota and then to Hawardan, IA, in 1879 and were living there in 1920. Emma and Walden had a son: Maurice E., born in December, 1877 in South Dakota.

Laura (or Lura) A. was born January 19, 1858. On January 31, 1877 she married Frank Lawson, son of Charles and Laura (Morton) Lawson. Frank was born August 1, 1856 in Rosendale. He was a farmer, then an elevator operator, then owned an egg business. Laura and Frank had two sons: Alton G., February 19, 1879 to May 29, 1900; and Wilbur A., May 1, 1890 to February 13, 1968, married Lura Ballard. Frank died June 11, 1920; Laura died September 6, 1931 in Rosendale.

Marietta "Nellie" was born in December, 1859. She is listed in the Chicago City Directory between 1899 and 1920. She was not married in 1918. She died in 1936.

Ida A. was born in February, 1862. In 1883 she married Frank W. Pinch (or Pynch). Frank was born in April, 1858 in Wisconsin; both of his parents were born in England. Ida and Frank had a daughter: Winnefred, August, 1884 to 1963, married Edward Karl. Frank died in 1920; Ida died in 1948.

Orlen W. was born in July, 1866. In 1897 he married Helen M. Visser. Helen was born in July, 1864 in New York; both of her parents were born in Holland. Orlen is listed in the Chicago City Directory between 1899 and 1920. He was a druggist in the 1900 census, living with Helen and a brother-in-law at 502 Colorado Avenue, Chicago, IL. Orlen died in 1936.

Wilbur A. was born in 1869. He was not married. He moved to Ripon, Fond du Lac County, WI, in 1899. He owned an office machine business from 1915 to 1918 and also raised thousands of peonies. He managed the Western Union office in Ripon in 1918. He was an organist, Congregationalist, Mason, and was active in the Boy Scouts (he received the Silver Beaver award). He moved to Rosendale in 1920. Wilbur died November 11, 1950.

Asa died August 10, 1899 in Ripon; his obituary appeared in "The Commonwealth", Ripon, WI, the following day. Pamela died April 9, 1920 in Ripon. Both are buried in Hillside Cemetery there.

References: (219); (227) Vol. T, pp.153 and 328; (352); (484) 1860;

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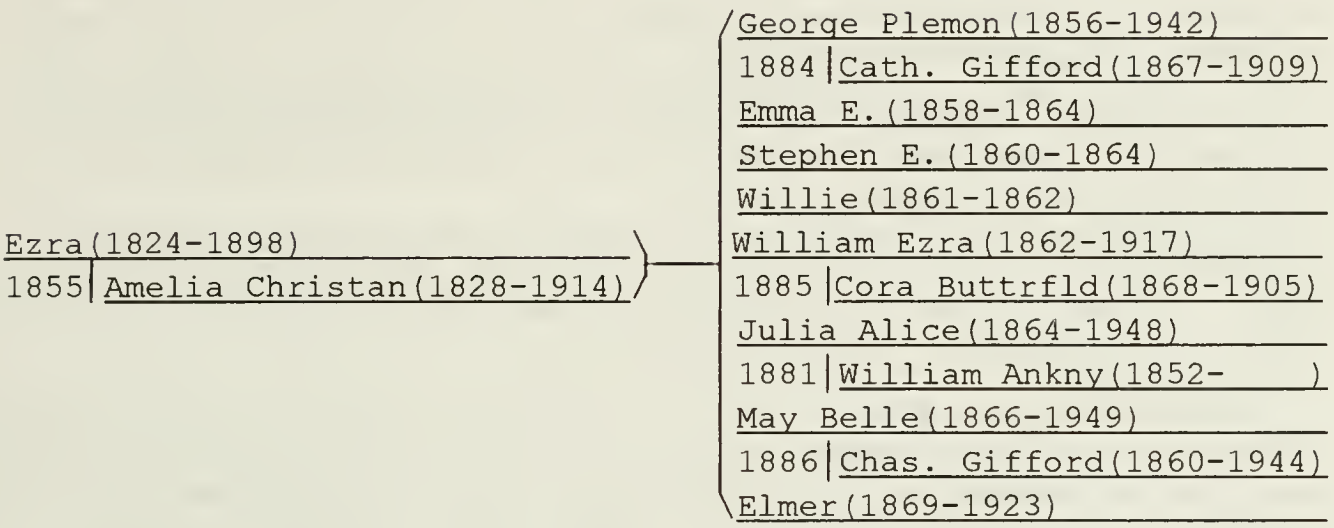
Ezra [8]

Richard [1], George [2], Thomas [3], Giles [4], Samuel [5], John [6], John, Jr. [7] page 282



Ezra Sisson was born April 21, 1824 in Crown Point, Essex County, NY. On September 15, 1855 in West Rosendale, Fond du Lac County, WI, he married Amelia (Plemon) Christian, widow of Jeremiah Christian and daughter of Oliver and Amelia (Inglehart) Plemon. Amelia was born February 14, 1828 in Canada. They were married by Rev. LaFever. Amelia brought two children to the marriage: Eunice R., 1851, and Albertus L, 1852. The family moved four miles west of Mondovi, Buffalo County, WI, in 1857, where Ezra was the first constable. Ezra and Amelia had eight children, all born in Wisconsin:

George Plemon, born August 1, 1856 is discussed on page 606.

Emma E. was born April 4, 1858 in Mondovi. She was scalded and died October 4, 1864.

Stephen E. was born April 26, 1860 and died August 30, 1864.

Willie was born August 12, 1861 and was killed by a fall, January 20, 1862.

William Ezra, born December 25, 1862 in Flambeau, is discussed on page 608.

Julia Alice was born August 10, 1864 in Cedar Falls, Dunn County. On March 3, 1881 in Cedar Falls, she married William Henry Ankney, son of Samuel and Elizabeth (Bentley) Ankney. William was born in 1852 in Princeton, WI. The family moved to Latah, Spokane County, WA. Julia and William had nine children: Grace, married Charles Woods; Edna M., married Wesley Milsap; Clifford, married Verna Drew; George and Elbert Eugene, twins, March 17, 1893; Charles, married Goldie ( ); Maybelle, married Mr. McCreary; Wilbur, married Merle ( ); and Glenn E., July 6, 1905. Julia died August 17, 1948 in Lewiston, ID.

May Belle was born May 5, 1866 in Mondovi, WI. On February 28, 1886 in Spokane Falls, Washington Territory, she married Charles Gifford, son of Elihu and Catherine (Barrows) Gifford. Charles was born August 12, 1860 in Mondovi. He was a general merchandiser and homesteaded in Mondovi, Lincoln County, WA. They later lived in Latah and Spokane. May Belle and Charles had ten children: Fannie

Lois, February 1 to September 3, 1887; John Hiram, May 27, 1888; Helen Louise, December 3, 1889 to November 2, 1980, married John Leonard Olson, son of Edward and Ursula (Kleinhaus) Olson [these are the parents of Raymond Louis Olson of Lodi, CA]; Fred Robert, November 10, 1892; Charles William, July 22, 1894; Milton Gordon, September 15, 1896; Elwyn Claude, April 2 to April 13, 1899; Lyman Elihu, August 22, 1900; Eugene Byron; and Catherine, March 6 to March 8, 1907. Charles Gifford died July 17, 1944; May Belle died October 31, 1949 both in Spokane; both are buried in the Gifford plot of Greenwood Cemetery there.

Elmer was born December 10, 1869 in Mondovi, WI. He was not married. Elmer moved from Mondovi to Latah, Spokane County, WA, in 1882. He was killed in an auto accident March 11, 1923. He is buried in Normal Hill Cemetery, Lewiston.

Ezra went to Latah in 1882 to establish a homestead, and moved his family there in 1883. Ezra's right leg was amputated at the knee, but he seemed to cope quite well. Ezra died January 25, 1898 in Lewiston, Nez Perce County, ID. Amelia died November 26, 1914 in Sweetwater, ID. She is buried in Normal Hill Cemetery.

[An extensive history of this family and Ezra's ancestors is given in Ray Olson's book.]

Reference: (228).

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George William [8]

Richard [1], George [2], Thomas [3], Giles [4], Samuel [5], John [6], Hiram [7] page 285

George William(1839-1899)
1871 Eunice A. Cowan(1848-1891)
- Hiram Thomas(1875-1954)
- Jennie M.(1878-1905)
- Harry C.(1881-1965)

George William Sisson was born March 10, 1839 in Crown Point, Essex County, NY. On December 24, 1871 he married Eunice A. Cowan. Eunice was born December 12, 1848. George and Eunice had three children, all born in Crown Point:

Hiram Thomas was born September 8, 1875 and died October 4, 1954.

Jennie M. was born July 16, 1878 and died March 11, 1905 in Crown Point.

Harry C. was born May 20, 1881 and died September 23, 1965.

George and his family are in the 1880 census with his brothers Wilbur and Willard, sister Mary, mother Eliza and nieces Nellie and Effie (daughters of brother Franklin). Hiram and Harry are listed in the 1915 census with Effie Andrews and daughter Nellie. Eunice died April 10, 1891. George died September 11, 1899. Both are buried in the Ironville Cemetery in Crown Point.

References: (222) 1850, 1860, 1880, and 1915 (p.12).

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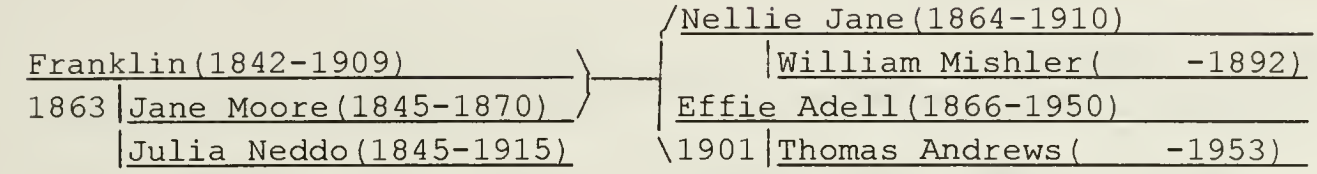
Franklin [8]

Richard [1], George [2], Thomas [3], Giles [4], Samuel [5], John [6], Hiram [7] page 285



Franklin Sisson was born March 20, 1842 in Crown Point, Essex County, NY. On July 18, 1863 he married Jane Moore. Jane was born in 1845. Franklin and Jane had two daughters:

Nellie Jane was born June 19, 1864 in Crown Point. She married William Mishler. Nellie and William had two children: Edna Adelle, June 26, 1884 to April 21, 1901; and Linnaeus Franklin, February 12, 1889 to December 26, 1963. Nellie died July 5, 1910. William died October 15, 1892 in Hammondville, NY.

Effie Adell was born January 24, 1866. On May 29, 1901 she married Thomas Andrews. The family lived in Ticonderoga, NY. Effie and Thomas had a daughter: Nellie Sisson, May 1, 1903, married Leon Greer. Effie died April 17, 1950. Thomas died November 20, 1953. Ref: data from Nellie Greer's daughter.

Jane died in 1870 and is buried in Mt. Hope Cemetery, Ticonderoga. Franklin married second Julia Neddo. Julia was born February 2, 1845. Franklin died January 13, 1909 and is buried in Ironville Cemetery, Crown Point. Julia died September 6, 1915 in Ticonderoga and is also buried in the Mt. Hope Cemetery.

References: (222) 1850 and 1860.

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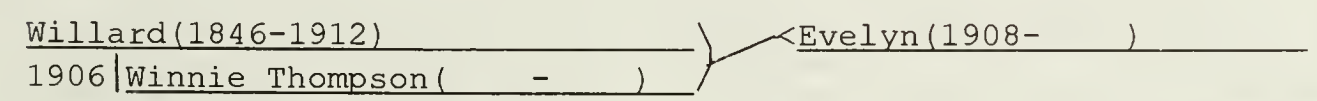
Willard [8]

Richard [1], George [2], Thomas [3], Giles [4], Samuel [5], John [6], Hiram [7] page 285



Willard Sisson was born July 4, 1846 in Crown Point, Essex County, NY. He was a twin to Wilbur. On October 4, 1906 he married Winnie Thompson. Willard and Winnie had a daughter:

Evelyn was born January 27, 1908.

Willard died May 3, 1912.

References: (222) 1850 and 1860.

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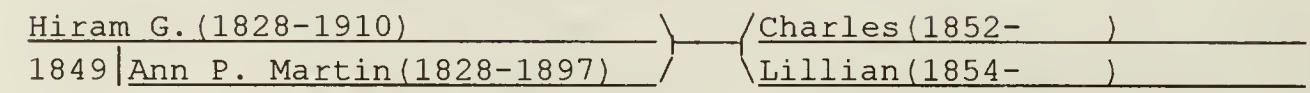
Hiram G. [8]

Richard [1], George [2], Thomas [3], Giles [4], Samuel [5], John [6], Zera [7] page 286



Hiram G. Sisson was born in 1828 in New York. He was a farmer and patent-right broker. In 1849 he married Ann P. Martin, daughter of Capt. Childs and Addamira (Wood) Martin. Ann was born March 16, 1828. Hiram and Ann had two children:

Charles was born circa 1852. He lived in Frewsburg, NY.

Lillian was born circa 1854 in New York. She also lived in Frewsburg.

The domestic listed in the 1860 census is probably his sister Melissa. He is also probably the Hiram listed as the son of John who was actually his grandfather. Ann died August 26, 1897. Hiram died April 17, 1910 in Jamestown, Chautauqua County, NY.

References: Zera's Bible; (485); (486) 1850 and 1860 p.29; (487) 1880.

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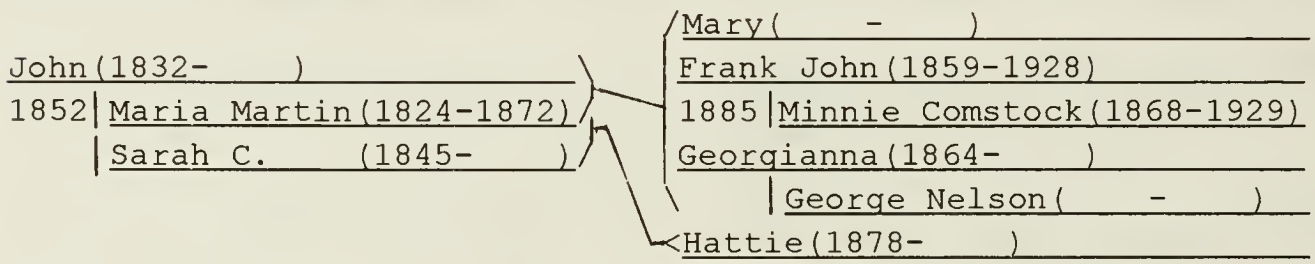
John [8]

Richard [1], George [2], Thomas [3], Giles [4], Samuel [5], John [6], Zera [7] page 286



John Sisson was born September 29, 1832 in Erie, Erie County, PA. On August 25, 1852 in Fredonia, NY he married Maria Martin, daughter of Capt. Childs and Addamira (Wood) Martin. Maria was born September 13, 1824 in New York. John and Maria had three children born in Pomfret, NY:

Mary was probably their first child and died young.

Frank John, born February 23, 1859 is discussed on page 610.

Georgianna was born March 7, 1864. She married George Nelson.

Maria died December 3, 1872 in Frewsburg, Chautauqua County, NY. She is buried in the Maple Grove Cemetery (Frew Run), Frewsburg. John married second, Sarah C. ( ). Sarah was born in 1845. John and Sarah had a daughter:

Hattie was born June 9, 1878 in Edinboro, PA, or Hugginsford, NY. She later lived in Kansas. Her grandfather Zera's will mentions "Hattie, daughter of John" but none of the other children.

John died before 1885 in Jamestown, NY.

References: Zera's will and Bible; (485).

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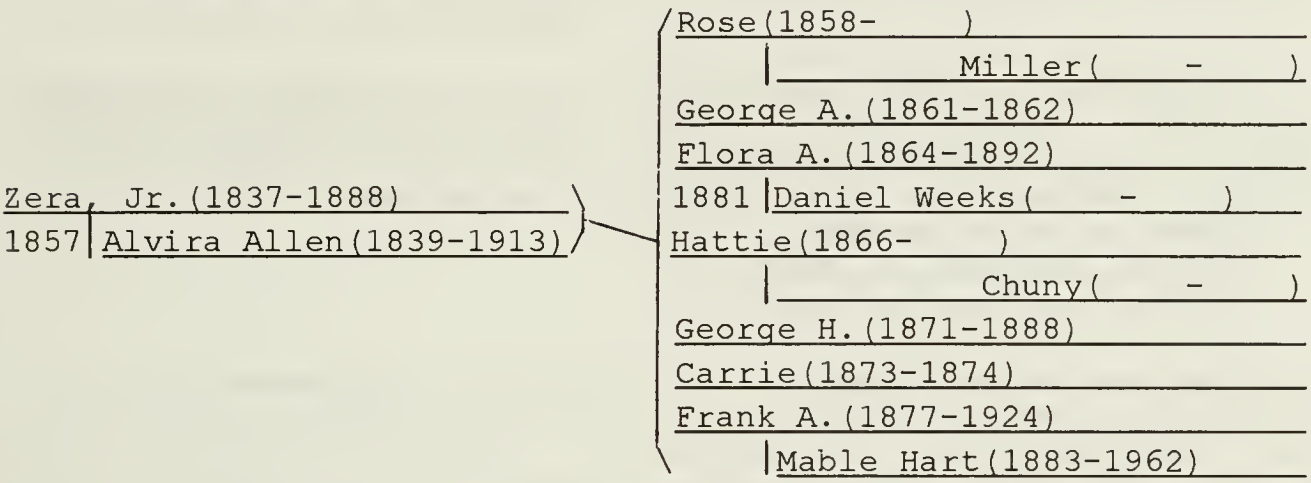
Zera, Jr. [8]

Richard [1], George [2], Thomas [3], Giles [4], Samuel [5], John [6], Zera [7] page 286



Zera Sisson, Jr., was born in 1837 in Pomfret, Chautauqua County, NY. He was a farm worker. On February 11, 1857 he married Alvira Allen. Alvira was born March 10, 1839 in New York. Zera and Alvira had six children:

Rose was born circa 1858 in Pennsylvania. She married Mr. Miller and had seven children. The family lived in Edinboro, PA.

George A. was born in 1861 and died in 1862. He is buried in the Pioneer Cemetery, Pomfret, NY.

Flora A. was born in 1864 in Pennsylvania or New York. In the 1870 census she is listed as "Theresa". On May 1, 1881 in East Springfield, PA, she married Daniel Weeks. The couple lived in Ashtabula, OH. Flora died March 11, 1892 in Erie, PA.

Hattie was born in 1866 in Pennsylvania or New York. She probably married a Mr. Chuny. She also lived in Ashtabula.

George H. was born in 1871 in Pennsylvania or New York. He is mentioned in his father's will (January 9, 1888) as 16. George H. died in 1888.

Carrie was born in 1873 and died in 1874.

Frank A. was born June 1, 1877 in Ohio. He married Mable Hart. Mable was born June 7, 1883 in New York. Frank died July 1, 1924. Mable died December 9, 1962. She is buried in New York.

Zera, Jr. died in 1888 in Fredonia. His will was written January 9 and recorded December 3 of that year [note, Zera, Sr. died January 20, 1888]. Alvira sold land in February, 1911; her estate sold land in March, 1915. Alvira died in 1913. Both are buried in Old Pioneer Cemetery in Fredonia.

References: Zera's Bible and will; (485); (488) 1870; (489) 1880 Vol. 2, p.11.

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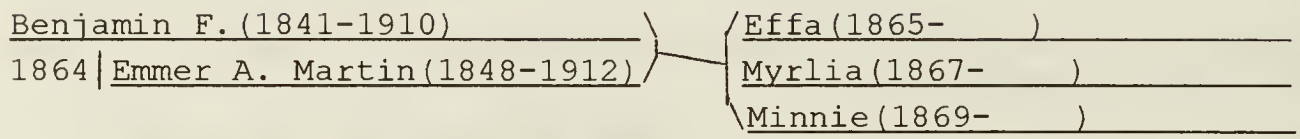
Benjamin F. [8]

Richard [1], George [2], Thomas [3], Giles [4], Samuel [5], John [6], Zera [7] page 286



Benjamin F. Sisson was born in 1841 in Pomfret, Chautauqua County, NY. On February 12, 1864 he married Emmer A. Martin, daughter of Capt. Childs and Addamira (Wood) Martin. Emmer was born in 1848. Benjamin and Emmer had three daughters:

Effa was born in 1865.
Myrlia was born in 1867.
Minnie was born in 1869.

Benjamin died August 31, 1910; Emmer died March 10, 1912. Both died in Fredonia, NY.

References: Zera's will and Bible; (485).

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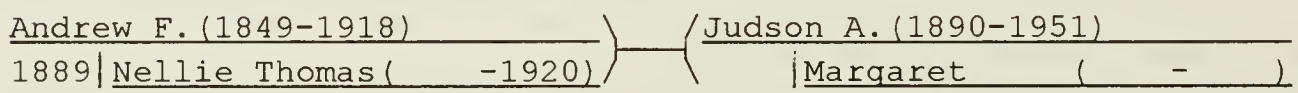
Andrew F. [8]

Richard [1], George [2], Thomas [3], Giles [4], Samuel [5], John [6], George Washington [7] page 287



Andrew F. Sisson was born February 19, 1849 in New York. In the 1860 census he was living in the household of John and Margaret Robertson, both age 24; he was age 11 [Andrew's father died in 1858]. He moved to Colorado in 1864. On January 7, 1889 he married Nellie Thomas. Nellie had a daughter by a previous marriage, whose married name was Lorton. Andrew and Nellie had one son:

Judson A. was born March 29, 1890 in Nederland, Boulder County, CO. He married Margaret ( ). Judson and Margaret had two sons: Stoney C., July 27, 1914; and Jack H. (or M.), October 9, 1917.

Andrew died March 2, 1918 of pneumonia. Nellie died in 1920 of cancer. Both are buried in Nederland Cemetery, Boulder County.

References: (356) 1860; (490).

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George Washington, Jr. [8]

Richard [1], George [2], Thomas [3], Giles [4], Samuel [5], John [6], George Washington [7] page 287

George Washington (1851-1927)
1874 | Theresa Wood (1857-1939)

- Effie (1875-1882)
- Charles A. (1878-1921)
  - 1901 | Maude Hotchkiss (1879-1977)
- Henry R. (1879-1953)
  - 1905 | Ellen Goodro (1886-1965)
- Frank J. (1883-1969)
  - 1913 | Della Foglesong (1894-1939)
- Mary D. (1888-1892)
- Myrna Louise (1893-1931)
  - 1920 | Glenn Magee (-)

George Washington Sisson, Jr. was born October 1, 1851 in Janesville, Rock County, WI. He was a miner. He moved to Boulder, Boulder County, CO, in 1873. On December 31, 1874 in Longmont, CO, he married Theresa Deborah Wood, daughter of Charles Lloyd and Anna (Palmer) Wood. Theresa was born July 29, 1857 in Bariboo, Sauk County, WI. The marriage was witnessed by James and Maggie Butler, her sister, in the Butler home. George and Theresa had six children, all born in Boulder:

Effie was born October 21, 1875 and died July 21, 1882.

Charles A., born January 14, 1878 is discussed on page 610.

Henry R., born October 19, 1879 is discussed on page 611.

Frank J. was born January 21, 1883. He was a miner. On August 20, 1913 he married Della Viola Foglesong, daughter of William Henry and Aicelia (Pershall) Foglesong. Della was born November 30, 1894 in Carson, IA. They had no issue. Della died June 29, 1939. Frank died January 21, 1969. Both died in Boulder and are buried together in Green Mountain Cemetery. He is not buried with his brother Henry and wife as their gravestone says.

Mary D. was born March 9, 1888 and died October 28, 1892.

Myrna Louise was born September 1, 1893. She lived and worked in Los Angeles, CA, as a telephone operator in 1919. On October 2, 1920 she married Glenn Magee. They had no children and were divorced after 1921. Myrna became ill with tuberculosis in 1927 and died July 21, 1931. She is buried in Boulder.

George died February 4, 1927. Theresa died April 4, 1939. Both died in Boulder and are buried in the Columbia Cemetery there.

References: (226); (490).

Henry Alfred [8]

Richard [1], George [2], Thomas [3], Giles [4], Samuel [5], Samuel, Jr. [6], John [7] page 288

Henry Alfred(1827-1893)
1849 | Tirzah Bradly(1830-1923)

- John Henry(1850-1851)
- Frederick Alfred(1852-1918)
  - 1873 | Mary J. Smith(1850-1903)
- Julia Alice(1855-1951)
  - 1872 | Charles Hanson(1847-1927)
- Olive Nellie(1858-1860)
- George Elial(1859-1929)
  - 1881 | Mary Blucker(-1883)
  - 1888 | Harriet Briggs(-1929)
- Charlotte(-)
- Eliza A.(1863-)
- Henderson(1866-)
- Ola Etta(1869-)
  - 1888 | John Thompson(1867-)

Henry Alfred (or Alford) Sisson was born November 5, 1827 in Dunkirk, Chautauqua County, NY. In 1869 he was captain of the lake steamer "Clarion". On January 3, 1849 he married Tirzah "Tersey" Isabel Bradley, daughter of Ogden and Cornelia ( ) Bradley. Tirzah was born February 2, 1830 in Dunkirk. The family lived in Pomfret in 1850 and in Dunkirk in 1860. Henry conveyed land in Chautauqua County April 3, 1860. Henry and Tirzah had eight or nine children:

John Henry was born June 22, 1850 in Pomfret. He is in the 1850 census and died September 20, 1851.

Frederick Alfred, born June 23, 1852 in New York is discussed on page 612.

Julia Alice was born July 17, 1855 in New York. On July 17, 1872 she married Charles Willoughby Hanson. Charles was born October 31, 1847. The family lived in Dunkirk. Julia and Charles had two daughters: Camilla Alice, April 18, 1884, married Walter Leemhuis; Fleeta Irene, April 9, 1888, married William Conrad Sommers. Charles died May 27, 1927; Julia died June 21, 1951.

Olive Nellie was born March 7, 1858 in New York and died November 21, 1860.

George Elial (or Eliel), born December 2, 1859 in New York, is discussed on page 613.

Charlotte was born about 1861 in New York.

Eliza A. was born in 1863.

Henderson was born circa 1866. He is possibly the Henderson born October 10, 1865 son of Daniel W. Sisson, below.

[The three children above do not appear in the family Bible.]

Ola Etta was born November 16, 1869. On March 21, 1888 she married John Harvey Thompson. John was born June 11, 1867. Ola and John had four children: Elizabeth Isabel, February 19, 1889, married Isaac Davis Faxon; Harvey Elmer, September 18, 1891, married Cora

Baker; Edna Ola, December 30, 1898, married Gottfried Rieth; and Warriner Elwin, February 7, 1901.

Another child, Lillian born in 1854, has also been reported.

Henry died July 31, 1893 in Dunkirk and is buried in Forest Hills Cemetery, Fredonia. Tirzah died February 4, 1923.

References: (109) #478740, Vol. 86, p.568; (358) 1850; (491) 1860.

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Daniel William [8]

Richard [1], George [2], Thomas [3], Giles [4], Samuel [5], Samuel, Jr. [6], John [7] page 288

Daniel William (1831-1908)
1855 | Eliz. Supplee (1836-1869)

- Elizabeth A. (1857-1918)
  - Watkins Sellrs (-)
- John A. (1859-1905)
  - 1884 | Creslinda (1868-)
  - Henderson S. (1865-)
  - 1904 | Cora B Wearley (1871-1937)

Daniel William Sisson was born May 1, 1831 in Dunkirk, Chautauqua County, NY. He was a farmer (1860) and railroad engineer on the Chicago and Atlantic Railroad (1882). On October 4, 1855 in Dunkirk, he married Elizabeth "Eliza" E. Supplee. Eliza was born in 1836 in Dunkirk. Daniel and Eliza had three children:

Elizabeth A. was born circa 1857. She married Commodore Watkins Sellers. They lived in Illinois and had four children: Burton; Howard; R. J.; and Dorothy. Elizabeth died July 31, 1918.

John A. was born in October, 1859 in New York. In 1884 he married Creslinda ( ). Creslinda was born in April, 1868 in New York. John and Creslinda had six children, all born in New York: John, June, 1885; George, May, 1887; Daniel, April, 1889; Alies, August, 1892; Viola, November, 1894; and William, January, 1896. John died in 1905 in Cheektowaga, NY. Reference: (354) 1860.

Henderson S. was born October 10, 1865. He is possibly the Henderson reported for his Uncle Henry Alfred above. On June 27, 1904 he married Cora B. Wearley. Cora was born August 27, 1871. They lived in Illinois and had no issue. Cora died December 6, 1937.

Eliza died March 23, 1869; Daniel died May 19, 1908. They are probably buried in Forest Hill Cemetery, Fredonia, Chautauqua County.

References: (354) 1860 (with his father); (492); (493).

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John Wilson [8]

Richard [1], George [2], Thomas [3], Giles [4], Samuel [5], Samuel, Jr. [6], John [7] page 288

John Wilson (1833-1921)
1857 | Sarah Montague (1837-1904)
| Marie (-)

- Mary A. (1862-1941)
  - 1879 | Le Grand Hous (1858-1932)
  - Nellie L. (1867-1937)
  - 1887 | Louis Bouquin (1861-1938)

John Wilson Sisson was born January 27, 1833 in Dunkirk, Chautauqua County, NY. He was a farmer and teamster. On November 5, 1857 he married Sarah L. Montague. Sarah was born June 30, 1837. The family lived in Pomfret and Charlotte, NY. John and Sarah had two daughters, both born in Charlotte:

Mary A. was born September 8, 1862. On June 15, 1879 she married Le Grand House. Le Grand was born September 19, 1858. Mary and Le Grand had two sons: Earl, May 21, 1885, married Lena Barnard; and Ray, February 14, 1892, married Nellie Abersold. Le Grand died November (or June) 12, 1932; Mary died January 28, 1941.

Nellie L. was born November 7, 1867. On March 8, 1887 she married Louis J. Bouquin. Louis was born April 3, 1861. Nellie and Louis had a son: Forest W., August 23, 1895, married Vivian Hall. Nellie died January 28, 1937; Louis died September 6, 1938.

Apparently John and Sarah were divorced before 1870. In the 1875 census daughter Mary was living with John while daughter Nellie was living with her grandparents, John and Amanda Sisson in Pomfret. Sarah died October 7, 1904. Before 1870 John married second Marie ( ). We have no further information on this second wife. John died January 4, 1921 in Chautauqua County.

References: (358) 1850 & 1875.

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George Washington [8]

Richard [1], George [2], Thomas [3], Giles [4], Samuel [5], Samuel, Jr. [6], John [7] page 288

George Washington(1835-1917)
1859 | Mary E Herrin(1841-1909)

- Harry Erlon(1860-1947)
  - 1886 | Mary D Baldridge(1861-1936)
- Catherine Amanda(1863-1865)
- Nora(1866-1949)
  - 1884 | William A Wisher(1855-1952)
- Herbert(1869-1873)
- Frederick(1873-1938)
  - 1891 | Naomi Huddleston(1875-1903)
  - 1907 | Elizabeth N Rury(1871-1945)
- Myrtle(1875-1974)
  - 1898 | Perry L. Walker(1873-)
- Lola Maude(1880-1974)
  - 1902 | Henry H. Taake(1879-)
- Jennie Elizabeth(1884-1975)
  - 1906 | William Huddlstn(1879-)

George Washington Sisson was born April 21, 1835 in Dunkirk, Chautauqua County, NY. He was a Methodist-Episcopal, a Democrat, a teamster, carpenter, and conductor for the railroad. In 1855 he moved to Strawberry Point, Clayton County, IA, where on April 10, 1859 he married Mary Ellen Herrin, daughter of John and Catherine (Trensbach) Herrin. Mary was born October 27, 1841 in Jeffersonville, IN. In 1864 the family moved to Centralia, Marion County,

IL. George and Mary had eight children, the first two born in Strawberry Point, the last six in Centralia:

Harry Erlon (or Erlon John), born April 17, 1860 is discussed on page 613.

Catherine "Kitty" Amanda was born July 30, 1863. She died April 13, 1865 in Centralia and is buried in Elmwood City Cemetery there as "Kitty".

Nora was born June 15, 1866. On April 20, 1884 she married William Albert Wisher, son of Thomas and Harriet (Horner) Wisher. William was born April 8, 1855 in La Salle County, IL. He was a carpenter with the Illinois Central Railroad; in 1910 he was building houses. Nora and William had nine children, the first seven in Centralia and the last two in Springfield, IL: Clarence Arley "Pete", August 11, 1884 to September 18, 1966, married Julia McCallum; Orval Clyde, December 14, 1886 to November 23, 1901; Percy Elmer, July 17, 1889 to September 13, 1972, married Josephine McGawhey; Florence Pearl, February 25, 1892 to April 15, 1982, married Royal Oliver; Gladys Lela, September 8, 1895, married Elmer Hay; Claude Eugene, February 7, 1898, married first Rita Crow; Rolland Clayton, January 21, 1903, married May Nidiffer; Roy Thomas, October 7, 1907, married Ruby Mae Coombs [these are the parents of Paula (Wisher) Mason]; and Lester George, April 27, 1909, married Madalin Z. Baker. Nora died January 3, 1949 of pnuemonia; William died August 9, 1952 of a heart attack; both are buried in Swan Lake Memorial Gardens, Peoria, IL.

Herbert "Bertie" was born February 20, 1869. He died March 2, 1873 in Centralia and is buried in the Elmwood City Cemetery there in the John Herrin family plot.

Frederick, born October 4, 1872 is discussed on page 614.

Myrtle was born May 14, 1875. On May 4, 1898 she married Perry L. Walker of Centralia. Perry was born August 30, 1873. He was an engineer on the Illinois Central Railroad. Myrtle and Perry had five children: Perry Oren, May 12, 1899 to March 17, 1975; Helen, March 2, 1901 to September 12, 1972, married Paul Kramer; Zora Lucille, February 6, 1904 to July 15, 1981, married first Thomas Hardy, second Leslie Phelps; Bernice Elizabeth, June 16, 1910, married Charles Jolliff; and Marion Edward, March 29, 1916. Myrtle died May 25, 1974 in Vernon, Marion County, IL, and is buried in Hillcrest Cemetery in Centralia.

Lola Maude was born October 10, 1880. On October 8, 1902 she married Henry H. Taake of Centralia. Henry was born August 2, 1879. [These are ancestors of Sue McMullin, Highlands Ranch, CO.] Lola and Henry had six children: William Henry Howard, January 18, 1906 to June 18, 1980, married Clara Will; Herbert Francis, May 24, 1908, married first Virginia Hudgens, second Hazel Anderson; Edson Albert, November 19, 1911 to November 11, 1925; Marion Everett, November 27, 1906 twin to: Mary Evelyn, who married first Ferrell Kirk, second Mr. Crawford; and Helene Odessa, May 29, 1920, married Mr. Payne. Lola died October 12, 1974 in Benton, Franklin County, IL, and is buried in Hillcrest Cemetery in Centralia.

Jennie Elizabeth was born April 8, 1884. On November 29, 1906 she married William Walter Huddleston of Centralia. William was born June 21, 1879. Jennie and William had two daughters: Iva May, August 8, 1907 married Charles Gerrish; and Dorothy Louise, December

12, 1919. Jennie died August 2, 1975 in Vandalia, Fayette County, IL.

George was alderman of Centralia in 1870-71 and filled an unexpired term as mayor. Mary died June 13, 1909; George died July 17, 1917. Both died in Centralia and are buried in Elmwood Cemetery there.

References: (229); (358) 1850; (492); (494) pp.699-700; (495) 1880.

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Edward Keys [8]

Richard [1], George [2], Thomas [3], Giles [4], Samuel [5], Samuel, Jr. [6], John [7] page 288

Edward Keys (1837-1907)
1858 | Eliz. (Wheeler) Courier (1832-) > Charles (1871-)

Edward Keys Sisson was born February 6, 1837 in Dunkirk, Chautauqua County, NY. He was a laborer and millworker. He was employed by D. Wright and Company in 1882 in Dunkirk. Edward married circa 1858 Elizabeth (Wheeler) Courier, a widow. Elizabeth was born circa 1832 in New York. Both of her parents were born in New York. She was a tailoress. Elizabeth brought a son Charles E. Courier, born 1859, to the marriage. Edward and Elizabeth adopted another son, Charles E. born circa 1871. Both boys appear in the 1880 census. At some time the family lived in Buffalo, NY. Edward died September 26, 1907.

References: (358) 1850; (491) 1870 & 1880.

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Esek S. [8]

Richard [1], George [2], Thomas [3], Giles [4], Samuel [5], Samuel, Jr. [6], Erastus [7] page 290

Esek S. (1831-)
| Melynda (-) > Charles E. (1868-)
Perry E. (1871-)
John E. (1873-)

Esek S. Sisson was born circa 1831/2 in New York. In 1836 his family moved to Michigan. He was a farmer; at some time he moved to Wisconsin. Esek married Melynda ( ). Esek and Melynda had three sons:

Charles E. was born circa 1868 and is possibly the Charles E. adopted by Edward Sisson above.

Perry E. was born circa 1871.

John E. was born circa 1873.

References: (361) 1850 p.994; (496) 1880.

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Martin Henry [8]

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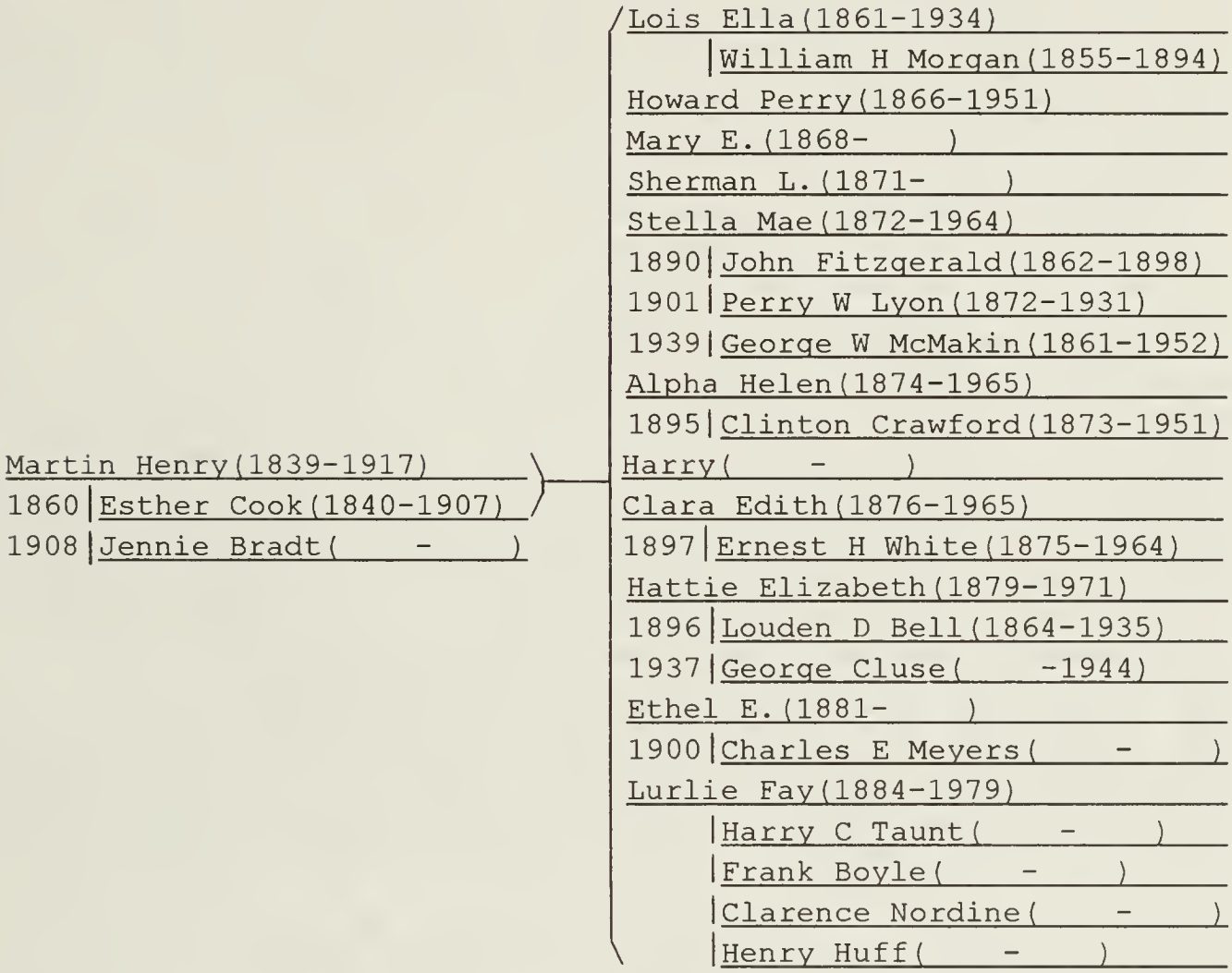

Martin Henry Sisson was born June 20, 1839 in Liberty, Jackson County, MI. On September 16, 1860 in Argyle, Lafayette County, WI, he married Esther (or Ester) Elizabeth Cook. Esther was born July 21, 1840 in New Jersey, "a descendent of the James M. Cook family of Vermont". Martin served in the Civil War; he mustered in as a private September 1, 1862 Capt. Bintliff's Co, 22d Reg. Wisconsin Infantry [later became Co. G]. He served under Gen. Sherman in the march thru Georgia to the sea. He was captured and held prisoner in Libby Prison and eventually released. In June of 1865 he returned to his family in Wiota, WI. The family moved in 1869 to Gravity, Taylor County, IA; in 1874 to Concordia, Cloud Co, KS. While working on a corn sheller in February, 1885 near Abiline, KS, Martin caught his left hand in a cog wheel and crushed three fingers. Martin and Esther had eleven children:

Lois Ella was born December 19, 1861 in Wiota. About 1880 in Kansas she married William H. Morgan. William was born in 1855. Lois and William had six children: Clarice "Midge", November, 1882 to January, 1901; Lois Ella, April 18, 1887 married Alonzo G. Little; Russell Henry, April 1, 1888 married Lena Iidrow; Perry Lewis, September, 1891 married Lela ( ); George Palmer, January

15, 1884 to November 16, 1894; and Willis Russell, July 3, 1896 to about 1900. William died December 14, 1894 in Kern County, CA; Lois died in September, 1934 in Monterey, CA, and is buried in Union Cemetery, Bakersfield, CA.

Howard Perry was born April 24, 1866 in Wiota. He was a farmer, traveler, gold miner and remained a bachelor all his life. He lived in Bakersfield and Jerry Slough, Kern County, CA, for forty years. He died April 3, 1951 in Taft, CA. He was buried in Green Lawn Memorial Park. Ref: obituary, "Bakersfield Californian", April 5, 1951.

Mary E. was born in 1868 and died in 1869 or 1872 in Wiota.

Sherman L. was born February 4 or September 22, 1871 in Gravity, IA. He was probably not married. He was named for Gen. Sherman of Civil War fame. He may have died in Aguilla, AZ.

Stella Mae was born November 16 (or December 23), 1872 in Gravity. On December 31, 1890 in Santa Ana, Orange County, CA, she married John Redmond Fitzgerald. John was born April 9, 1862 in Alameda, CA. Stella and John had four children: William Grey, November 4, 1891 married Flossey Johnson then Dorothy ( ); Charlotte Rutan, August 30, 1893, married Jacob Owens; Edith Mae, December 1, 1895, married Albert Clinton Watts; and Esther Martina, June 12, 1899, married Glen Clinton Stetler. John died October 8, 1898, in Bakersfield and is buried in Union Cemetery there. Stella married second August 8, 1901 in Bakersfield, Perry Wilber Lyon, son of ____ and Mary (Babbitt) Lyon. Perry was born October 2, 1872 in Iowa. Stella and Perry had three children: Glenn Evertt, October 6, 1902, married Mae Irene Nowel; Merril Sisson, May 20, 1905, married Alice Gladys Rice; and Lawrence Wilber, March 13, 1908, married Viola Mae Fliesher Richards. Perry died November 28, 1931 and is buried in Union Cemetery. Stella married third March 21, 1939 George Washington McMakin. George was born in 1861 and died March 18, 1952 in Ventura. Stella died January 1, 1964. Both Stella and George are buried in Ivy Lawn Memorial Park in Ventura, CA.

Alpha Helen was born February 1, 1874 in Gravity. She was postmistress of the Toolwass (Indian for "tribal meeting place") Post Office in Tejon, CA. On October 27, 1895 in Bakersfield she married Clinton Buffum Crawford. Clinton was born May 30, 1873 in Cambria, CA. Alpha and Clinton also homesteaded in the Wheeler Ridge area, then moved to Jerry Slough. Her brother Howard gave her 80 acres. Clinton augmented their income by hunting ducks for the San Francisco hotel market. Alpha and Clinton had four children: Naomi Helen, September 2, 1896, married John Thomson; Daniel Martin, February 3, 1898, married Eddie May Seale; Roy Monroe, May 20, 1900, married Vivian Loa Stewart, second Stella Mae Lewis, third Lillian Mae Simon; and Bruce Malcom, July 25, 1910 married Millys Mae Thorpe [these are the parents of Michael B. Crawford]. Clinton retired in 1944 and they moved to Bakersfield. He died February 9, 1951; Alpha died June 28, 1965. Both are buried in Evergreen Cemetery there.

Harry may have been born about 1875 and probably died young.

Clara Edith was born November 14, 1876 in Concordia, KS. On September 8, 1897 in Bakersfield she married Ernest H. White. Ernest was born February 24, 1875. Clara and Ernest had three children: Ernestine May, July 6, 1899, married second George Williams; Ruth Sisson, September 4, 1910, married Joseph John

Consani; and Phillip Lane, July 12, 1913, married Abbie Jean Guthrie. Ernest died December 14, 1964; Clara died October 20, 1965; both died in Bakersfield.

Hattie Elizabeth was born January 7, 1879. On September 3, 1896 in Bakersfield she married Louden Doney Bell. Louden was born September 2, 1864 in Starkville, MS. Hattie and Louden had four children: Alonzo Doney, November 22, 1897, married first Veva Edwyna Wilder and second Jennie Bast; Catherine, 1899/1900 to March, 1901; Martin Sisson, November 15, 1903, married Mary Francis Campiolia; and Louden Doney, Jr, March 12, 1909, married Elizabeth Noma May. Louden died July 5, 1935 in Bakersfield. In 1937 in New York City Hattie married second George Cluse. George was born in Ireland and died in 1944 in Brooklyn, NY. Hattie died November 27, 1971 in Wasco, CA, and is buried in Green Lawn Memorial Park.

Ethel E. was born in November, 1881. In 1900 she married Charles Edward Meyers. Ethel and Charles had a daughter: Esta Fay, married Albert Noriega.

L(o)urlie Fay was born July 28, 1884 in Concordia. She married first Harry C. Taunt. Lurlie and Harry adopted a daughter: Charlotte Jeanette Owens, daughter of Charlotte Rutan Fitzgerald above. She married second Frank Boyle, third Clarence Nordine, and fourth Henry Huff. Lurlie died in 1979 in Florida.

In 1888 the family moved to California; in 1892 to Kern County near Bakersfield where they homesteaded. Esther died January 15, 1907; she is buried in Union Cemetery, Bakersfield. On November 18, 1908 in San Francisco, Martin married second Jennie E. (or B.) (Ford) Bradt, widow of James Henry Bradt. Martin died December 14, 1917 in Bakersfield of bronchial pneumonia. He is also buried in Union Cemetery.

References: Obituaries: "Bakersfield Californian", January 15, 1907 & December 15, 1917; (362).

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Zenas Lawyer [8]

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Zenas Lawyer(1830-1904) + Sarah E. Heady(1819-1896)
- Martha E.(1851-1852)
- Sidney Z.(1854-1874)
- Armenia(1855-)
- Lydia Virginia(1859-1925) + Samuel Altman(-)

Zenas Lawyer Sisson was born May 10, 1830 in Switzerland County, IN. He was a farmer. He married Sarah E. Heady. Sarah was born December 16, 1819. The family at some time moved to Richland, IA. Zenas and Sarah had four children:

Martha E. was born November 15, 1851 and died May 2, 1852.

Sidney Z. was born November 9, 1854 and died November 9, 1874.

Armenia (Almira) was born in 1855. She married and lived in western Kansas.

Lydia Virginia was born in 1859. She married Samuel Altman, had five children and lived near Packwood, IA.

Sarah died April 20, 1896; Zenas died March 20, 1904; both died in Ollie, IA, and are buried in Ollie Cemetery.

Reference: (366).

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Henry Eves [8]

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Henry Eves(1833-1901)
1851 | Margaret Moyr(1832-1908)

- George Ames(1852-1916)
  - 1875 | Mary Pilcher(-1895)
- Sophia Malinda(1856-1931)
  - 1874 | George Bridget(-)
- Bel Jane(1857-1889)
  - | Alex Toops(-)
- Daniel K.(1864-1885)
- Marcellus Crocker(1867-1938)
  - 1889 | Leona West(1872-1935)

Henry Eves Sisson was born April 1, 1833 in Switzerland County, IN. He had an older brother by the same name born September 15, 1826 died August 2, 1827, buried in Switzerland County. Henry was a farmer and was a member of the Order of Odd Fellows. On August 27, 1851 in Vevay, IN, he married Margaret Ann Moyer (or Mayer), daughter of George and Margaret ( ) Moyer. They were married by James Taylor, a Minister of the Gospel. Margaret was born October 21, 1832 in Lycoming County, PA. She was Methodist-Episcopal. In 1851 the family lived in Keokuk, IA, later in Richland and in 1869 they moved to Luray, MO. Henry and Margaret had five children, the first two born in Ioka, IA, the last three in Indiana:

George Ames, born July 19, 1852 is discussed on page 616.

Sophia Malinda was born February 6, 1856. On January 4, 1874 she married George Bridget. Sophia and George had three children: Norton Guy; Bertha; and Leonard Dow. Sophia died September 16, 1931 in Kahoka, MO, and is buried in Conkle Cemetery.

Bel (or Belle) Jane was born December 20, 1857. She married Alex Toops. They had two daughters and probably at least one other child: Lottie; and Retta. Bel died June 13, 1889.

Daniel K. was born June 7, 1864. He died unmarried June 23, 1885. He is buried in Conkle Cemetery north of Luray, MO.

Marcellus Crocker, born June 22, 1867, in Vevay, IN, is discussed on page 617.

Henry served in the Civil War in the 146th Indiana Regiment. He died January 16, 1901 of lung trouble and "la grippe". Margaret died April 26, 1908 in the home of their son George. Both died in Luray and are buried in Conkle Cemetery.

References: Marriage certificate; Obituaries: "Clark County Courier", January 25, 1901 & May 8, 1908; (365); (497).

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Wilson Crandall [8]

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Wilson Crandall(1834-1922)
1854 | Phebe Cabbage(1836-1923)

- Julius Sylvanus(1855-1931)
  - 1879 | Alice V. Trim(1861-1931)
- A. Causewell(1857-1861)
- Thomas Eddy(1860-1935)
  - 1885 | Rosa B Simmons(-)
- Leander Walter(1863-)
- Alonzo B.(1866-)
- Lottie(1869-1932)
  - | Lewis E. Wehe(1865-)
- Arnold Franklin(1872-)
- Daniel Higby(1876-)

Wilson Crandall Sisson was born May 30, 1834 in Vevay, Switzerland County, IN. He was a farmer. On December 1 or 6, 1854 in Ioka, IA, he married Phebe (or Phoebe) Ann Cabbage, daughter of Arnold Franklin and Margaret (Condreay) Cabbage. Phebe was born February 22, 1836 (or 1833) in Terre Haute, IN. At some time Wilson and Phebe lived in Harveyville, KS, then moved to Baldwin, KS. Wilson and Phebe had eight children:

Julius Sylvanus "Van", born November 17, 1855 in Keokuk, IA is discussed on page 619.

A. Causewell (or Caswell) was born July 22, 1857 and died December 24, 1861.

Thomas Eddy was born July 23, 1860 in Iowa. In 1885 he married Rosa B. Simmons. He was a Methodist minister in Castle Rock, CO, and later New Orleans, LA. He wrote an autobiography. Thomas died in 1835.

Leander Walter "Lee" was born February 23, 1863 in Iowa. He lived in Kansas City, MO.

Alonzo B. was born May 9, 1866 in Iowa. He lived in Sparks, NV.

Lottie was born August 20, 1869 in Baldwin, KS. She married Lewis Edwin Wehe. Lewis was born in 1865 in Topeka, KS. They lived also in Newton, KS. Lottie and Lewis had a daughter: Winifred, March 3, 1901 in Topeka, married George Dewey Kamp. [These are the grandparents of Christine Ellen (Kamp) Watkins.] Lottie died in 1932.

Arnold Franklin was born April 16, 1872 in Iowa and lived in Sparks, NV.

Daniel Higby was born July 2, 1876 in Iowa.

Six of the eight children survived their father who died in 1922.

Wilson served in Company D, 13th Iowa Infantry, from April, 1864 to July, 1865. Wilson died August 12, 1922; Phebe died in

1923, both in Baldwin, KS. Both are buried in Oakwood (or Oakland) Cemetery in Baldwin.

References: Wilson Crandall's obituary; (497); (498) 1856; (499).

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Thomas Heady [8]

Richard [1], George [2], Thomas [3], Giles [4], John [5], John, Jr. [6], Daniel Higby [7] page 292

Thomas Heady(1836-1911)
1859 Mary Ellen Lewman(1841-1883)
- Benjamin(1859-)
- Margaret(-)
- Nellie(-)

Thomas Heady Sisson was born May 20, 1836 in Switzerland County, IN. He was a farmer. On February 17, 1859 in Keokuk County, IA, he married Mary Ellen Lewman, daughter of David and Catherine (Dixon) Lewman. Mary was born February 13, 1841. Thomas and Mary had three children:

Benjamin was born in 1859.
Margaret was born about 1861.
Nellie was born about 1863.

Mary died February 18, 1883. Thomas died December 29, 1911. Both died in Brookville, IA, and are buried in Brooks Cemetery near Fairfield, IA.

Reference: (497).

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James Jones [8]

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James Jones(1841-1929)
1865 Kate Sthrlnd(1847-1874)
1882 Mary Stinson(1850-1926)
- Clara Margery(1866-1951)
  1886 William Currens(1861-1937)
- Melinda Olive(1868-1900)
  1889 Henry Davis(1862-1952)
- John Willis(1872-1959)
  1897 Nellie Griffith(1876-1948)
- Elmer Marcellus(1873-1948)
  Kate Hogan(-1957)
- Frank Ellsworth(1884-1962)
  1907 Irvyl I. Riggin(1885-1935)
- Katie Belle(1887-1984)
  Howard Bennett(1887-1966)

James Jones Sisson was born February 13, 1841 in Vevay, Switzerland County, IN. He was a farmer and a Methodist. He served in Company D of the 13th Iowa Infantry from October 21, 1861 to August 26, 1865 and was in Andersonville for nine months. In 1865 James married Kate Bell Sutherland. Kate was born in 1847 in

Glascow, Scotland. The family moved to Harveyville, KS, in 1871. James and Kate had four children:

Clara Margery was born December 19, 1866 in Keokuk County, IA. On December 31, 1886 in Eskridge, KS, she married William Riley Currens, son of William and Rebecca (Mugg) Currens. William was born September 6, 1861 in Kokomo, IN. He was a rancher and cattle-buyer. Clara and William had five children, all born in Eskridge: Eva Rebecca, January 6, 1888; Olive Margery, January 20, 1890; Mary Iva, October 8, 1891; William McKinley, October 10, 1893; and Goldie Helen, September 6, 1896. They also raised their nephew Alva Sisson Davis, son of her sister Malinda, below. William died October 9, 1937; Clara died September 30, 1951, both in Granger, WY, and are buried in Green River, WY.

Malinda Olive was born September 11, 1868 in Vinton, IA. On November 28, 1889 in Eskridge, KS, she married Henry Davis. Henry was born July 20, 1862. He became a supervisor for E.J.&E. Railroad in the U.S. Steel plant at Gary, IN. Malinda and Henry had five sons: James Austin, September 7, 1890, died young; Henry Irvin, February 4, 1892, died young; Frank Raymond, September 12, 1893 raised by his grandfather James Jones Sisson; Harry Willis, May 14, 1897, died young; and Alva Sisson, April 3, 1900 to April 29, 1928, raised by his Aunt Clara. Alva was born in St. Louis, MO, died in Emporia, KS, and is buried beside his mother. Malinda died April 16, 1900 of blood poisoning following Alva's birth, in East St. Louis, IL, and is buried in Harveyville. Henry died November 26, 1952 in Denver, CO. He is buried in Inglewood, CO.

John Willis, born January 17, 1872 in Harveyville is discussed on page 620.

Elmer Marcellus, born June 26, 1873 in Harveyville is discussed on page 621.

Kate died February 19, 1874 of pneumonia in Harveyville and is buried there. James married second December 22, 1882 Mary Annie (called Annie) Stinson, daughter of Joseph George W. and Sarah Ann (Dunmire) Stinson. Annie was born March 11, 1850 in Mercer County, PA. She was a teacher in many early schools in Kansas. James and Annie had two children:

Frank Ellsworth, born January 25, 1884 in Harveyville is discussed on page 622.

Katie Belle was born July 19, 1887. She married Howard Bennett. Howard was born April 13, 1887. They had five children: Nellie; Alice; James; Philip; and Elizabeth. Howard died April 14, 1966; Katie died September 27, 1984.

James and Annie also raised grandson, Frank Raymond Davis.

Annie died July 15, 1926 of a stoke. James died July 2, 1929. Both died in Harveyville and are buried there.

References: James Jones Sisson's obituary; Correspondence with son John Willis; (366); (497).

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Daniel Wright [8]

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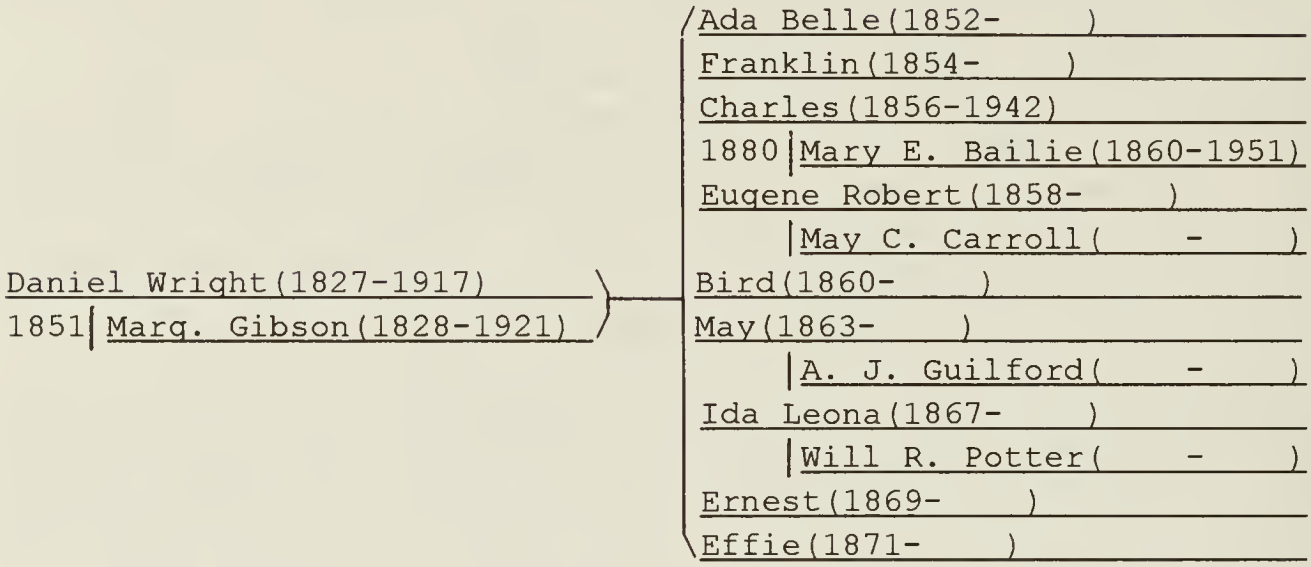

Daniel Wright Sisson was born September 16, 1827 in Indiana. He was a schoolteacher in Rising Sun, IN, and later a merchant in Mason, IL. On September 18, 1851 he married Margaret Brown Gibson, daughter of Robert and Harriet (Brown) Gibson. Margaret was born November 19, 1828. Daniel and Margaret had nine children:

Ada Belle was born September 15, 1852. She was a teacher and was not married.

Franklin was born February 19, 1854. He was an engineer.

Charles, born August 29, 1856 is discussed on page 622.

Eugene Robert, born June 25, 1858 near Rising Sun is discussed on page 623.

Bird was born August 26, 1860.

May was born May 18, 1863. She married A. J. Guilford and had a son: Frank.

Ida Leona was born January 16, 1867. She married Will R. Potter and had a daughter: Effie.

Ernest was born January 31, 1869. He was not married and was a doctor in Oakland, CA.

Effie was born September 11, 1871. She was not married and was a doctor in Oakland, also.

In 1882 the family moved to Mason, IL, and in 1904 they moved to Oakland, CA. Daniel died April 19, 1917 in Oakland; Margaret died December 18, 1921.

Reference: (231).

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Zenas Bassett [8]

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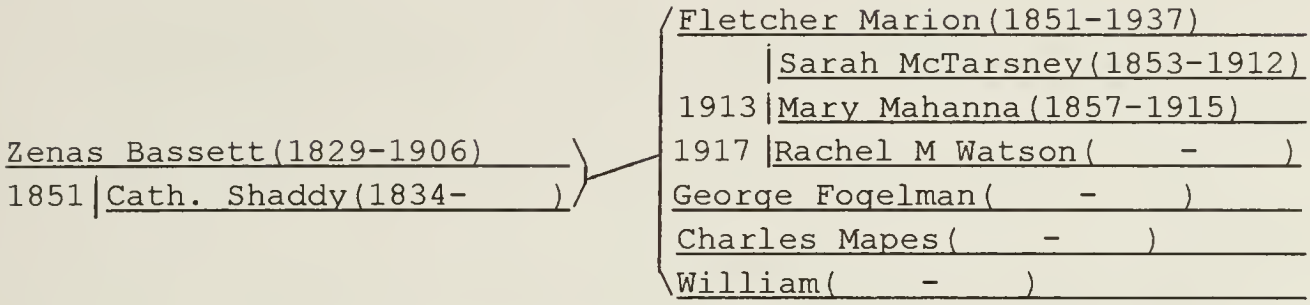

Zenas Bassett Sisson was born October 9, 1829 in Switzerland County, IN. He was a wagonmaker. On January 30, 1851 in Switzerland County he married Catherine Shadday. Catherine was born in September, 1834 in Switzerland County. Zenas and Catherine had six children including:

Fletcher Marion, born November 21, 1851 is discussed on page 624.

George Fogelman was born about 1855.

Charles Mapes was born about 1858.

William was born about 1860.

Zenas was a pastor in the Methodist Episcopol Church in Garnett, KS, in 1882. Three of their six children were living in 1900. Zenas died January 9, 1906 in Garnett.

References: (231); (500) 1900.

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William Mapes [8]

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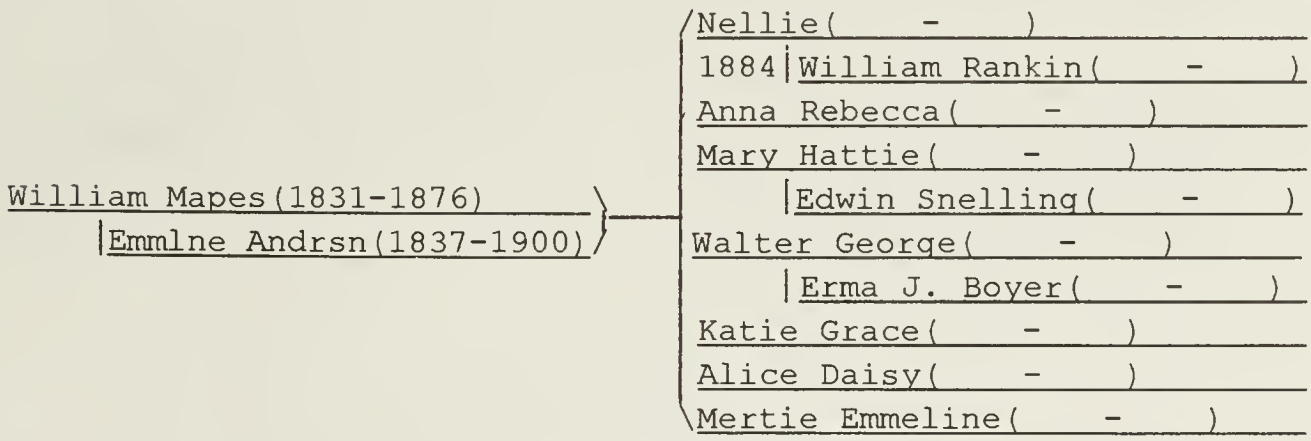

William Mapes Sisson was born November 8, 1831. He married Emmeline Anderson. Emmeline was born June 3, 1837 in Covington, Fountain County, IN. They were farmers. William served as a cook three years in the Union Army during the Civil War. William and Emma had seven children, all born in Mason, IL:

Nellie was born about 1863. She married July 17, 1884 William Foster Rankin. Nellie and William had two sons and a daughter: Grace. The family moved to California. Nellie and William were divorced.

Anna Rebecca was born about 1865. She was not married.

Mary Hattie was born about 1867. She married Edwin Harley Snelling, a widower with several children. There was no issue from this marriage.

Walter George, born about 1869 is discussed on page 624.

Katie "Kittie" Grace was born about 1871. She was not married.

Alice Daisy was born about 1873. She was not married.

Mertie (Myrtle) Emmeline, who died in South Africa. She was not married.

William died in 1876 and is buried in Old Cemetery, southeast of Mason, IL. Emmeline died about 1900 in Chicago and is buried in Zion, IL.

Reference: Data from Grace Rankin, daughter of Nellie; (367).

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John Francis [8]

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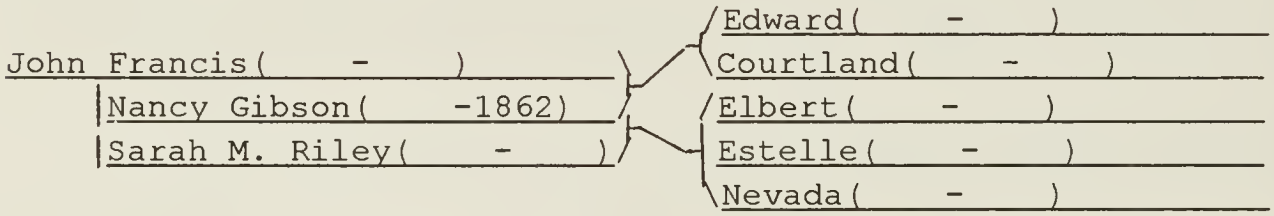

John Francis Sisson was born about 1834. He married first Nancy Gibson. John and Nancy had two sons:

Edward was born about 1859.

Courtland was born about 1861.

Nancy died in 1862. John married second Sarah M. Riley. John and Sarah had three children:

Elbert was born about 1867.

Estelle was born about 1869.

Nevada was born about 1871.

We have no additional references.

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Charles Curtis [8]

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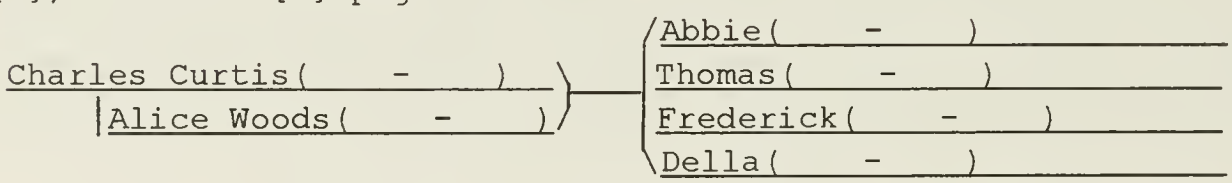

Charles Curtis Sisson was born about 1836 in Switzerland County, IN. He married Alice Woods. Alice was born about 1836. Charles and Alice had four children:

Abbie was born about 1860.

Thomas was born about 1862.

Frederick was born about 1864.

Della was born about 1866.

We have no additional references.

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James Gardiner [8]

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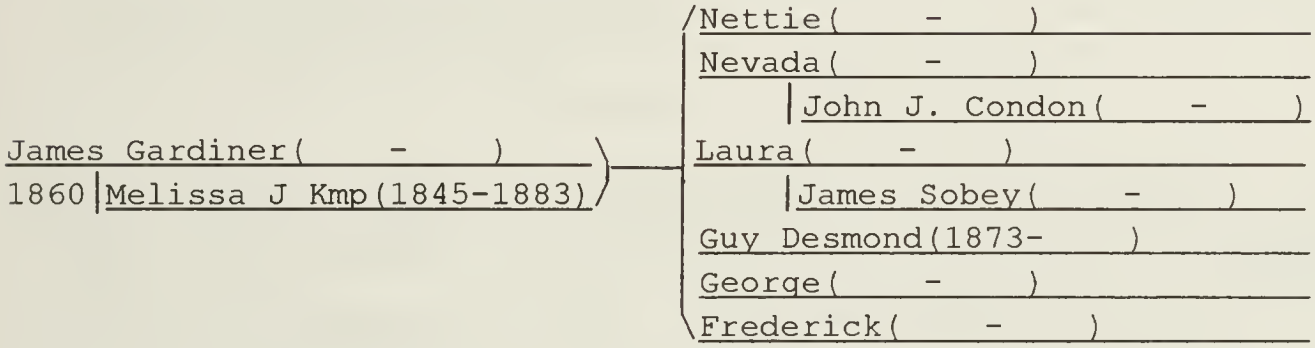

James Gardiner Sisson was born about 1837 in Indiana. In 1860 he married Melissa J. Kemp. Melissa was born in 1845. The family moved to Arcola, IL. James and Melissa had six children, probably all born in Arcola:

Nettie was born about 1868.

Nevada was born about 1870 in Arcola. She married John Joseph Condon.

Laura was born about 1871 in Arcola. She married James Sobey.

Guy Desmond was born in 1873.

George was born about 1875.

Frederick was born about 1877 and died young.

Melissa died in 1883.

We have no additional references.

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Benjamin Franklin [8]

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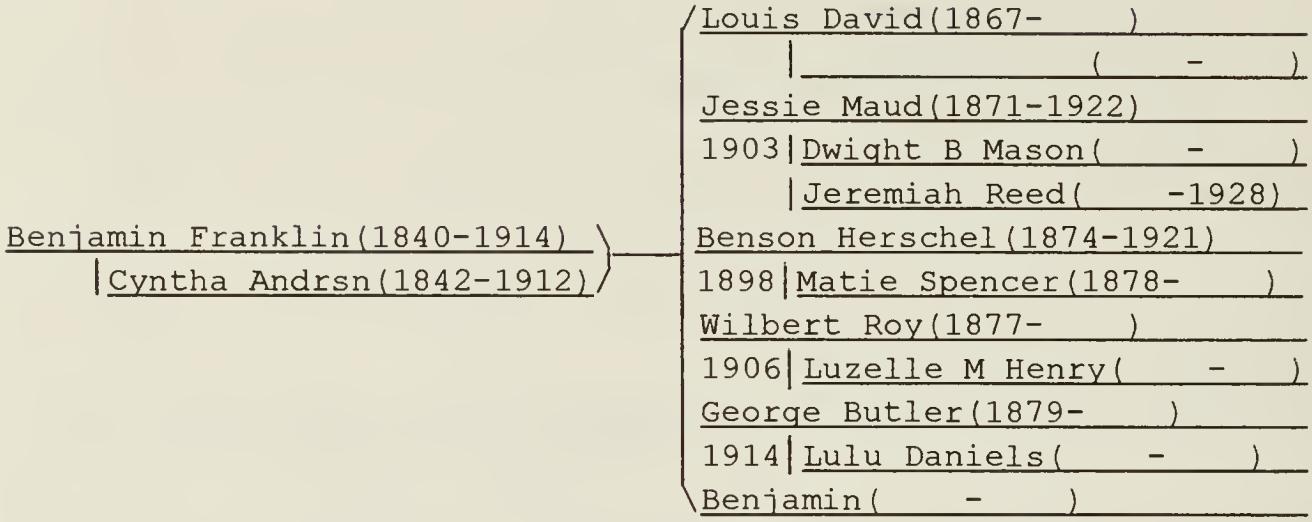

Benjamin Franklin Sisson was born in 1840. He was a wagon maker's apprentice in the 1860 census. Benjamin married Cynthia Anderson. Cynthia was born in 1842. Benjamin and Cynthia probably had six children:

Louis David was born in 1867. We do not know his wife's name. They had one known son: Benjamin Franklin was born about 1890. He married Addie V. ( ). They lived in Sacramento, CA. Ref: Brief conversation with Addie V. (1960's).

Jessie Maud was born in 1871. She lived in Illinois. She married first in 1903 Dwight B. Mason, then second Jeremiah Reed. Jessie died in 1922 and Jeremiah died in 1928.

Benson Hershel, born in 1874 is discussed on page 625.

Wilbert Roy, born in 1877 is discussed on page 625.

George Butler was born in 1879. In 1914 he married Lulu Daniels.

Benjamin was born about 1885. He may be the grandson rather than the son of Benjamin and Cynthia, son of Louis.

The family moved from Switzerland County to Riverside, CA. Cynthia died in 1912; Benjamin died in 1914.

Reference: (248) 1860.

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Cyrus W. [8]

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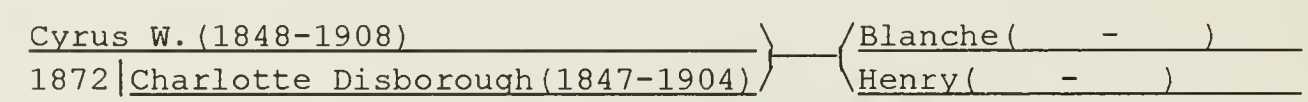

Cyrus W. (or Nutt or Wright) Sisson was born in 1848. He was a twin to Amanda Jane. In 1872 he married Charlotte "Lottie"

Disborough. Charlotte was born in 1847. They moved to Mason, IL. Cyrus and Charlotte had two children:

Blanche was born about 1875 in Mason.

Henry was born about 1875.

Charlotte died in 1904; Cyrus died in 1908.

We have no additional references.

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Samuel T. [8]

Richard [1], George [2], Thomas [3], Giles [4], John [5], John, Jr. [6], John, III [7] page 295

Samuel T. (1840-1927)
1868 | Mary Jane Widner (1849-1926)

- Oscar Ulysses (1869-1946)
  1899 | Nora Mahony (1876-1956)
- Loren H. (1871-)
- Fred M. (1874-)
- (-)

Samuel T. Sisson was born April 13, 1840 in Indiana. He was a Civil War veteran. On September 24, 1868 in Iowa he married Mary Jane Widner, daughter of John G. Widner. Mary was born April 3, 1849 in Peoria, IL, (her father was born in Tennessee and her mother was born in Indiana). Samuel and Mary had four children:

Oscar Ulysses, born August 14, 1869 in Centerville, NE is discussed on page 626.

Loren H. was born in August, 1871 in Nebraska. He went west to Cassia County, ID, where he is listed as a prospector in the 1900 census. He is also reported as a butcher, insurance agent and clerk.

Fred M. was born in November, 1874 and probably moved to California.

We have no information about the fourth child.

Samuel and Jane were probably separated because Jane is listed as a widow in the 1900 census with two boarders and son Loren. Jane died March 16, 1926 and is buried at Mount Olivet, Salt Lake City, UT. Samuel died December 12, 1927 in the Soldiers Home, Leavenworth, KS, and is buried at National Military Home in Kansas.

References: Oscar's diary; Samuel's obituary; (502) 1900 p.2.

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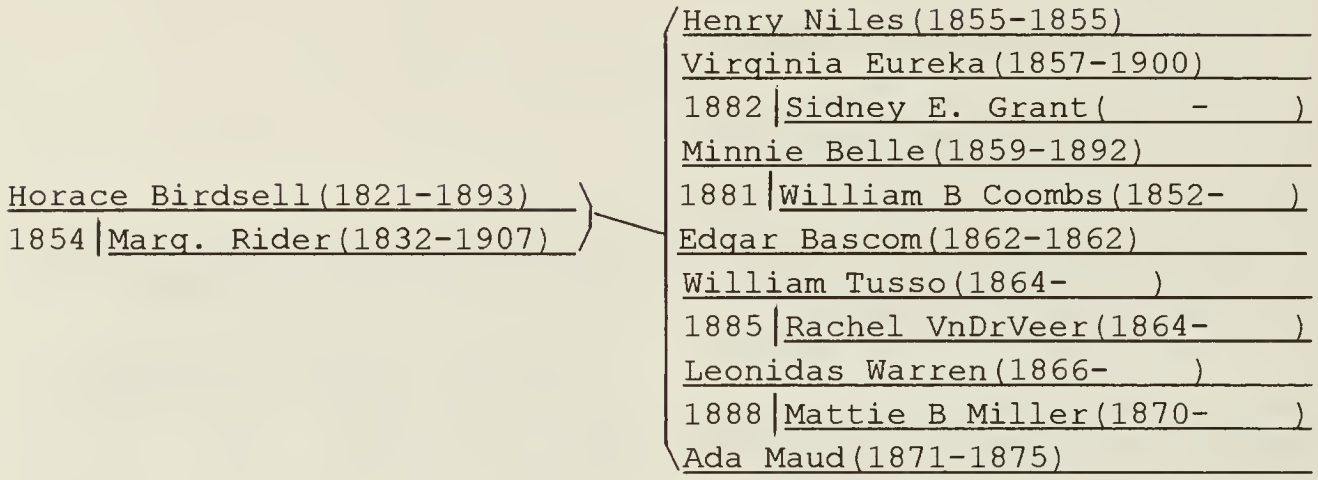
Horace Birdsell [8]

Richard [1], George [2], Thomas [3], Giles [4], John [5], Giles [6], Henry [7] page 296



Horace Birdsell Sisson was born August 27, 1821 in Chase Hills, OH. He was a "man of rare ability and strength of character, practiced dentistry and held a prominent place in the esteem of the community". On October 15, 1854 in Fairfield, IA, he married Margaret Rider. Margaret was born October 20, 1832 in Brownsville, IN. Horace and Margaret had seven children, the first three born in Fairfield:

Henry Niles was born July 14 and died August 1, 1855.

Virginia Eureka was born November 4, 1857. On November 14, 1882 in Ottumwa, IA, she married Sidney E. Grant. Virginia and Sidney had five children: Ray Elwood, September 1, 1883; Leonidas, October 1, 1884 to August 21, 1886; Horace John, January 20, 1886; Enid Elizabeth, April 22, 1891; and Vera Maude, April 22, 1893. Virginia died January 28, 1900 in Atlantic, IA.

Minnie Belle was born December 5, 1859. On December 28, 1881 she married William Bartholomew Coombs. William was born May 17, 1852 in Billingsville, IN. Minnie and William had three children, the first two born in Ridgeway, MO, the last in Ottumwa: Aimee Maude, October 28, 1882; Elmer Claude, December 15, 1883; and Margaret Elrene, September 15, 1889, married Mr. Hubbard. Minnie died July 7, 1892 in Ottumwa.

Edgar Bascom was born March 12 and died November 12, 1862.

William Tusso was born January 12, 1864 in Ottumwa, IA. On January 29, 1885 he married Rachel Bruen Van Der Veer. Rachel was born February 29, 1864 in Candem, NJ. William and Rachel had three children, all born in Ottumwa: Lawrence Downer, April 2, 1886; Schenck Van Der Veer, May 13, 1890; and Margaret Helena, January 10, 1901.

Leonidas Warren was born September 30, 1866 in Ottumwa, IA. On July 10, 1888 he married Mattie Belle Miller. Mattie was born June 10, 1870 in Ottumwa. Leonidas and Mattie had a son: Frederick (or Fredereck) Eugene, March 31, 1891. At some time the family lived in Dennison, TX.

Ada Maud was born March 15, 1871 and died September 13, 1875.

Horace died August 16, 1893 in Ottumwa; Margaret died December 19, 1907.

Reference: (503).

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Henry Elmer [8]

Richard [1], George [2], Thomas [3], Giles [4], John [5], Giles [6], George W. [7] page 298

Henry Elmer(1850-1886)
1876 | Mary Stephens(-)

Carl(-)
Warren(-)
(-)
George(-)

Henry Elmer Sisson was born February 16, 1850 in Jackson, OH. On August 14, 1876 in Rose Hill, IA, he married Mary "Molly" Stephens. Henry and Mary had three children:

Carl was born about 1878 and died young, not married.

Warren was born about 1880. He had one daughter.

George was born about 1883.

Henry died November 2, 1886 in Los Angeles, CA.

We have no additional references.

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James Oscar [8]

Richard [1], George [2], Thomas [3], Giles [4], John [5], Giles [6], John [7] page 300

James Oscar(1856-1942)
1879 | Eliz. Mulford(1861-1896)
1907 | Mahalia Mulfrd(-1949)

Walter Delton(1879-1952)
1902 | Gertrude Andrsn(1886-)
John Franklin(1881-1930)
| Nettie Halfhill(-1933)
Grace B.(1884-1976)
1901 | Earl Fife(-1904)
1906 | John Kimber(-1942)
James Arthur(1885-1965)
1906 | Edna Rider(1888-1975)
Roy Giles(1887-1967)
1907 | Nettie K Swisher(-)
| Ruth Warner(-)
Mary(1889-1952)
| Robert Gordon(-1965)
George Alex(1892-1966)
1914 | Florence Davis(1896-1984)
Virgil Henry(1895-1961)
1924 | Edith Evans(1906-1970)

James Oscar Sisson was born November 8, 1856 in Gallia County, OH; [he is listed as "Oscar" in the 1900 census]. He was a farmer. On February 4, 1879 in Gallia County, he married Elizabeth "Betty" Mulford, daughter of John and Nancy (Rife) Mulford. Elizabeth was born October (or November) 5, 1861. James and Elizabeth had eight children, all born in Cheshire Twp, Gallia County, OH:

Walter Delton, born October 16, 1879 is discussed on page 627.

John Franklin, born September 12, 1881 is discussed on page 628.

Grace B. was born February 20, 1884. On July 27, 1901 she married Earl Fife. Grace and Earl had a child who died in infancy. Earl died October 12, 1904. On January 25, 1906 Grace married second John Kimber. They had no issue. John died September 27, 1942. Grace died April 1, 1976 in Marion, OH.

James Arthur, born December 26, 1885 is discussed on page 629.

Roy Giles, born September 24, 1887 is discussed on page 630.

Mary was born December 20, 1889. She married Robert Gordon. Mary and Robert had three children. Mary died March 1, 1952 in Marion. Robert died November 6, 1965.

George Alex, born March 25, 1892 is discussed on page 631.

Virgil Henry, born September 29, 1895 is discussed on page 632.

Elizabeth died February 9, 1896. James married second November 18, 1907 Mahalia Mulford. James died December 9, 1942 in Marion; Mahalia died January 14, 1949.

References: Bible records and death certificates; (372); (504) 1900.

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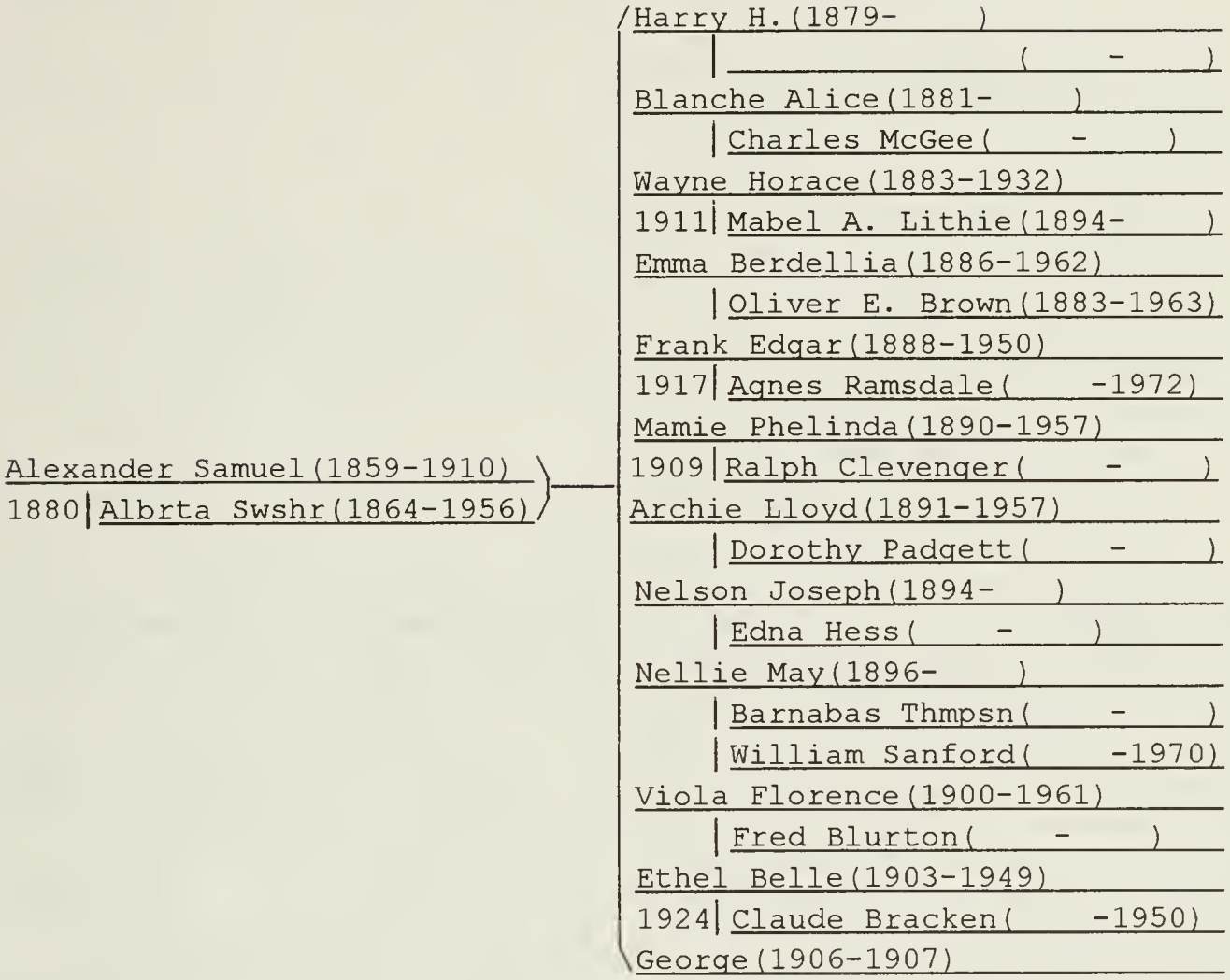
Alexander Samuel [8]

Richard [1], George [2], Thomas [3], Giles [4], John [5], Giles [6], John [7] page 300



Alexander Samuel Sisson was born April 17, 1859 in Cheshire, Gallia County, OH. He was a farmer and had a sod house in Kansas. In 1880 he married Alberta Almeda Swisher, daughter of Joseph and Phelinda (Roush) Swisher. Alberta was born May 26, 1864 in Cheshire. In 1884 the family moved to Sodville Twp, Ford County, KS. Alexander and Alberta had twelve children, the first three born in Cheshire, the rest in Ford County, KS:

Harry H. was born June 2, 1879. He married "a French woman with four children". The family moved to Canada before 1918. Harry joined the French army after World War I. Harry and his wife had no children of their own. He died after 1963.

Blanche Alice was born October 23, 1881. She married Charles McGee (or Magee) of Texas. They moved to Kingsdown, KS, then to Shepherd, TX, then to California. Blanche and Charles had eight children: William "Billy"; Alice, married Eldon Thomas Hues; Pat; probably all born in Kansas; and others probably born in Texas: George; Eugene; Leonard; Flossie, married Mr. Spikes; and Alma, married E. L. Burton. Blanche died after 1962.

Wayne Horace, born August 21, 1883 is discussed on page 634.

Emma Berdellia was born July 11, 1886. She married Oliver Edward Brown. Oliver was born March 23, 1883 in Dade County, MO. Emma and Oliver had five children: Irene Adelia, January 19, 1907 in Buklin, KS, married Mr. Wagner; Cecil Edward, March 15, 1908 to October 16, 1970 married first Ms. Howell; Donald Eugene, March 2, 1913 to 1971, married Ms. Stephenson; Desmond Keith, June 6, 1917 married Ms. Crane; and Roland Dean, January 8, 1924 married Ms. Orhaletree. Emma died in September, 1962; Oliver died in April, 1963; both in Bentonville, AR, and are buried in Rogers, AR.

Frank Edgar, born March 28, 1888 is discussed on page 634.

Mamie Phelinda was born February 10, 1890. On February 17, 1909 she married Ralph Stone Clevenger. Mamie and Ralph had six or seven children: Virgil Millard; Samuel Wayne, married Laura Hornish; Melvin Eugene, March 4, 1914 married Maxine Drake; Aubine Greta, May 10, 1917 married Fay Edward Drake; Gwendolyn; and Ralph Eldon, July 2, 1930 married Joanne Chrismas; and perhaps Elizabeth, who may have died young. Mamie died December 18, 1957 in Buklin. Ralph died in the 1960's in Kingsdown.

Archie Lloyd, born December 26, 1891 is discussed on page 635.

Nelson Joseph, born April 23, 1894 is discussed on page 636.

Nellie May was born January 21, 1896 in Kingsdown. She married first Barnabas Thompson, son of Benjamin Thompson. Nellie and Barnabas had three children: Gerald, who moved to New Mexico and/or California; Frank; Max, who moved to California; and Mace, his twin, who moved to Sacramento, CA. Nellie married second William Sanford, who died in 1970/1, in Florence, CO.

Viola Florence "Doll" was born July 31, 1900 in Kingsdown. She married Fred Blurton of Buklin. They had no children. Viola died October 11, 1961 and is buried in Buklin.

Ethel Belle was born March 8, 1903 in Kingsdown. In 1924/5 in Buklin she married Claude Bracken of Demopolis, AL. Ethel and Claude had a son: Claude, Jr. born in Demopolis. Ethel died June 2, 1949 in Cleo Springs, OK. Claude died circa 1950, in Demopolis.

George was born in 1906 and died July 28, 1907 in Kingsdown. He was buried in Kingsdown and was later moved to Buklin Cemetery.

Alexander died March 3, 1910 in Kingsdown. He was buried in Kingsdown and later moved to Buklin Cemetery. Alberta died December 10, 1956 in Florence, CO.

Reference: (505).

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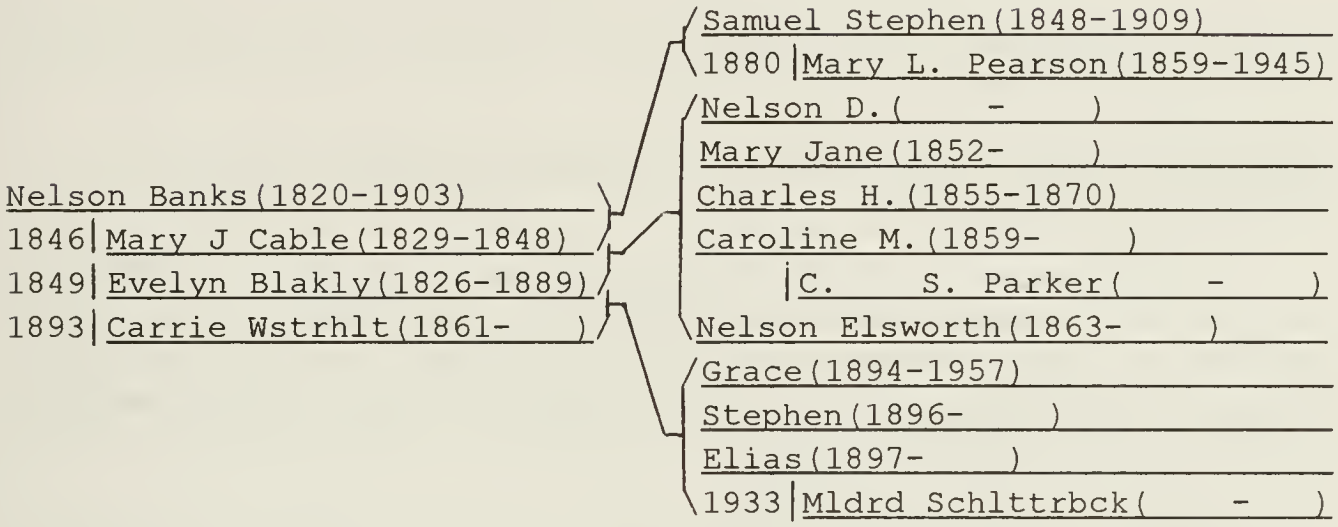
Nelson Banks [8]

Richard [1], George [2], Thomas [3], Giles [4], John [5], Wilson Crandall [6], Stephen [7] page 302



Nelson Banks Sisson was born July 17, 1820 in Gallia County, OH. He was a physician from Louisville Medical College and assistant surgeon for the 92nd Regiment from Ohio, 1862-1864. He was a presidential elector from the 11th Congressional District of Ohio in 1880, a Republican. On October 30, 1846 in Louisville, KY, he married Mary Jane Cable (or Cabell?). Mary was born August 13, 1829. The family lived in Porter, Pine Grove post office, OH. Nelson and Mary had one son:

Samuel Stephen, born April 24, 1848 in Porter is discussed on page 636.

Mary died April 28, 1848. Nelson married second on July 4, 1849 Evelyn Luceria Blakely. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Hiram R. Howe in Gallia County. Evelyn was born in 1826 in Pennsylvania. Nelson and Evelyn had five children:

Nelson D. was born about 1850.

Mary Jane was born April 19, 1852. She died an infant.

Charles H. was born December 18, 1855 and died October 18, 1870.

Caroline M. was born August 24, 1859. She married C. S. Parker, an M.D.

Nelson Elsworth was born February 2, 1863.

The 1850 census lists Nelson as owning 400 acres. Evelyn died in 1889. Nelson married third in 1893 (also reported 1890) Carrie Westerholt. Carrie was born in September, 1861 in Ohio. Nelson and Carrie had three children, all born in Ohio:

Grace was born in February, 1894 and died in 1957.

Stephen was born in 1896. He was living in Porter, OH, in 1954.

Elias was born in October, 1897. In 1933 he married Mildred Schlotterbeck. Elias and Mildred had three children: Richard; Mary; and Charles.

Nelson died July 29, 1903 in Gallia County.

References: (234) Vol. 2, p.167; (373) 1850; (506) 1900.

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William Henry Harrison [8]

Richard [1], George [2], Thomas [3], Giles [4], John [5], Wilson Crandall [6], Stephen [7] page 302

William H. Harrison (1840-1876)
1871 | Sarah A. Grant (-)
> Genevieve (1872-)

William Henry Harrison Sisson was born September 25, 1840 in OH. He was a first lieutenant in the 4th West Virginia Volunteer Infantry in 1861. He was treasurer of the Gallia County, OH, Clerk Court of Common Pleas. In 1871 in Eddyville, IA, he married Sarah A. Grant. William and Sarah had a daughter:

Genevieve was born April 1, 1872.

William died December 24, 1876.

We have no additional references.

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Benjamin W. [8]

Richard [1], George [2], Thomas [3], Giles [4], John [5], Wilson Crandall [6], Stephen [7] page 302

Benjamin W. (1847-1928)
1870 | Mary Rowley (1852-1917)
> Nellie M. (1870-1947)
> 1896 | Augustus Schell (-)
> Abby M. (1873-1963)
> Henry R. (1876-)
> Joseph W. (1879-1946)
> 1908 | Nellie Reynolds (-)
> Idella (1882-1896)
> Bessie B. (-1963)
> 1910 | Jesse H. Arnold (-)
> Frances M. (-1962)
> 1917 | Henry L. Flemer (-)

Benjamin W. Sisson was born July 20, 1847 in Ohio. He was in the 173rd Regiment Ohio Volunteer Infantry. He served one year and was crippled (Pension Dept, Washington, D.C.). On November 20, 1870 he married Mary Rowley. Mary was born circa 1852. Benjamin and Mary had seven children, probably all born in Ohio:

Nellie M. was born November 27, 1870. In 1896 she married Augustus Pearl Schell. Nellie died in November, 1847.

Abby (or Abbie) M. was born in December, 1873 and died April 22, 1963.

Henry R. was born May 13, 1876.

Joseph W. was born in June, 1879. In June of 1908 he married Nellie G. Reynolds. Joseph died in January, 1946.

Idella was born May 18, 1882 and died in 1896.

Bessie B. was born about 1884. She changed her name to Besse. In November, 1910 she married Jesse Hoyt Arnold. Besse died March 17, 1963.

Frances M. was born about 1886. On September 15, 1917 she married Henry Lewis Flemer. Frances died December 19, 1962.

Mary died September 1, 1917; Benjamin died March 8, 1928, both in Washington, D.C.

Reference: (506) Porter, 1880 Vol. 23, p.1.

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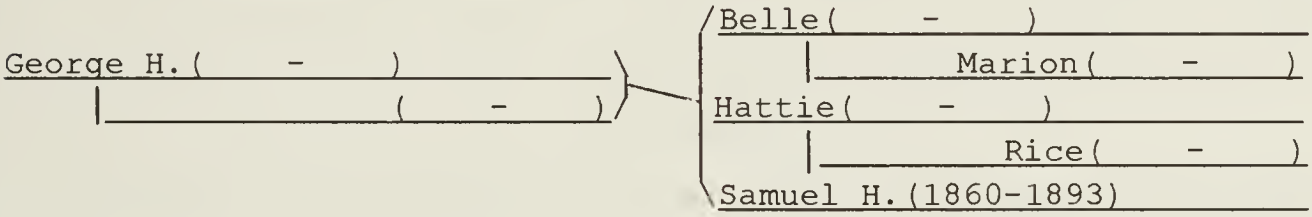
George H. [8]

Richard [1], George [2], Thomas [3], Giles [4], John [5], Aaron [6], Samuel [7] page 304



George H. Sisson was born about 1829. We do not know his wife's name. They had three children:

Belle was born about 1855. She married Mr. Marion.

Hattie was born about 1857. She married Mr. Rice.

Samuel H. was born in 1860. This may be the Samuel H. Sisson of Beaver Falls, PA, who married May 2, 1882 in Sharon, PA, Minnie G. Prindle of Sharon. They were married by Rev. John T. Griffiths. He died August 24, 1893 and is buried in the Lockport Cemetery Washington, Erie County, PA, according to Probate File #31346.

George and son Samuel are mentioned in Grandfather Samuel's will.

We have no additional references.

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George Henry [8]

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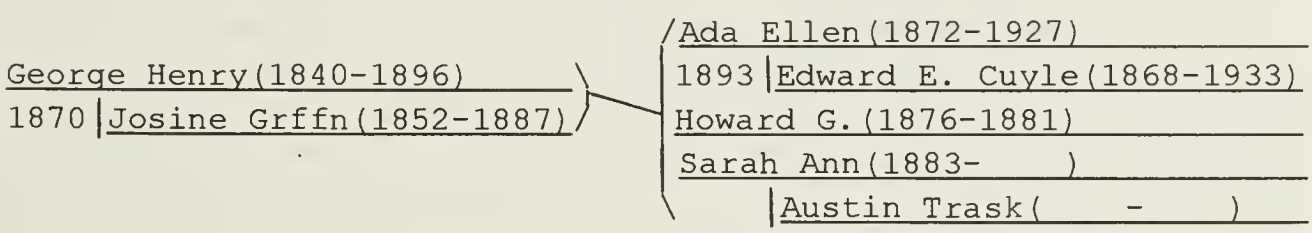

George Henry Sisson was born January 27, 1840 in Otsego County, NY. He was a farmer. On November 15, 1870 he married

Josephine Sarah Griffin. Josephine was born May 10, 1852. George and Josephine had three children:

Ada Ellen was born July 21, 1872. On November 1, 1893 she married Edwin Eugene Cuyle. Edwin was born February 9, 1868. Ada and Edwin had three children: Owen, 1895, not married; Josephine Lucia, 1904, married Berton S. Sisson, son of Henry A. Sisson, see page 638; and Erma Mary, 1906, married Horace Sowles. Edwin died March 3, 1933; Ada died May 13, 1947.

Howard G. was born August 19, 1876 in Springfield, NY. He died September 29, 1881 and is buried in the Sand Hill Cemetery, Unadilla, NY.

Sarah Ann was born November 21, 1883. She married Austin Trask. Austin was born June 27, ____. Sarah and Austin had three children: Howard Elisha, October 1, 1901, married Rhea Boyd; Albert, September 29, 1906; and Claudine, May 9, 1912, married Ivis Soules.

Josephine died January 24, 1887; George died December 5, 1896. Both are buried in Sand Hill Cemetery.

References: (236) 1855; (507) 1880.

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Edwin [8]

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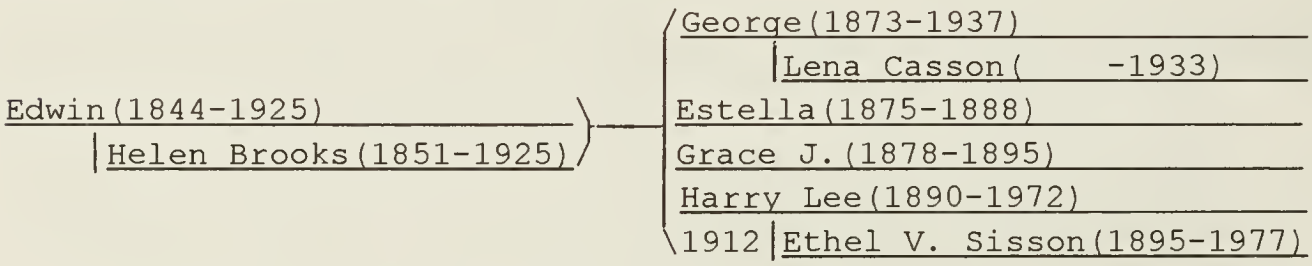

Edwin (or Edward) Sisson was born August 21, 1844 in Otsego County, NY; a twin to Edgar. He was a farmer. He married Helen A. Brooks. Helen was born circa 1851. Edwin and Helen had four children, all born in New York:

George was born circa 1873 in Springfield, NY. He married Lena Casson. Lena died April 9, 1933; George died June 18, 1937.

Estella (or Stella) was born May 2, 1875. She died March 18, 1888 and is buried in Sand Hill Cemetery. Ref: (379) p.351.

Grace J. was born circa 1878. She died January 16, 1895 and is also buried in Sand Hill Cemetery, see reference above.

Harry Lee, born November 15, 1890 is discussed on page 637.

Helen died September 10, 1925; Edwin died November 2, 1925.

References: (199) p.600; (236) 1855; (507) 1880.

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Nelson G. [8]

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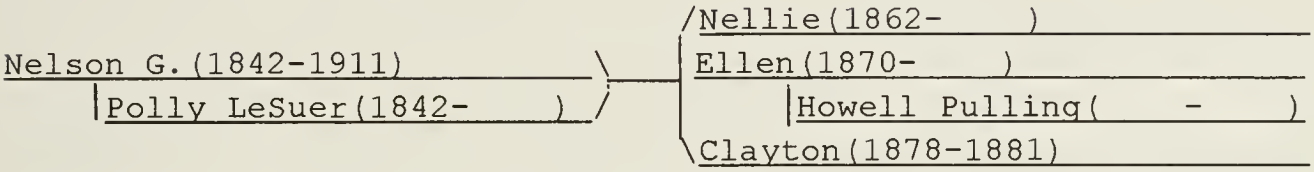

Nelson G. Sisson was born December 9, 1842 (or 43) in Erie, Pennsylvania. He married Polly A. LeSuer. Polly was born circa 1842 in New York. The family lived in New York, Edinboro, PA, and Washington Twp, Erie County, PA. Nelson was a farmer. He and Polly had three children, the first two born in New York, the third in Pennsylvania:

Nellie was born circa 1862. She is not listed in the 1870 census.

Ellen was born circa 1870. She married Howell Pulling. They had one son and one daughter and lived in Washington Twp.

Clayton was born circa 1878. He died January 30, 1881 and is buried in the McLane Baptist Cemetery, Washington Twp.

Nelson died October 17, 1911 according to Probate File #31344; executor Charles P. Harris.

References: (376) 1850; (488) 1870 & 1880.

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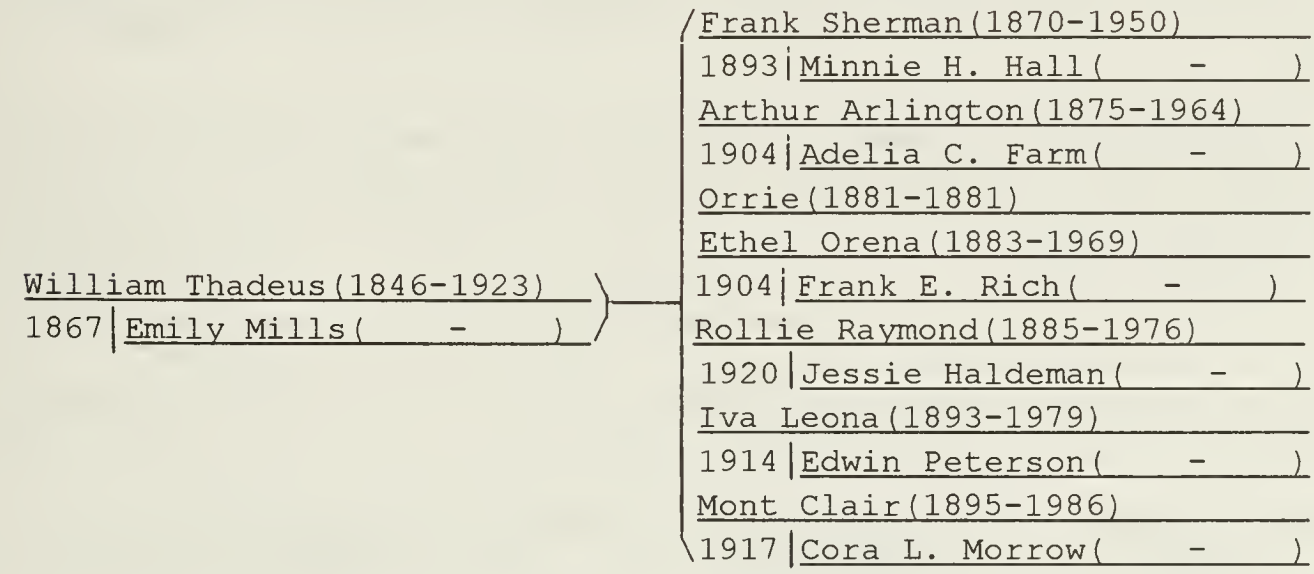
William Thadeus [8]

Richard [1], George [2], Thomas [3], Giles [4], John [5], Aaron [6], Putnam [7] page 306



William Thadeus Sisson was born May 6, 1846 in Franklin Twp, Erie County, PA. On September 10, 1867 in Franklin Twp. he married Emily Louise Mills, daughter of Thadeus and Orena (Seward) Mills. William served in the Navy during the Civil War; he received a pension due to lung illness. William and Emily had seven children:

Frank Sherman was born July 22, 1870 in Franklin Twp. On March 1, 1893 in Fairmont, Martin County, MN, he married Minnie Hayden Hall. Frank and Minnie had two children: Ralph; and Merle. Frank died February 16, 1950 in Martin County; both are buried in Oakwood Cemetery there.

Arthur Arlington was born June 7, 1875 in Franklin Twp. On March 15, 1904 in East Chain, Martin County, MN, he married Adelia Carolina Farm. Arthur and Adelia had three children: Viola; Edna; and Victor. Arthur died October 19, 1964 in Fairmont. Both he and Adelia are buried in East Chain Cemetery.

Orrie was born and died April 15, 1881 in East Chain.

Ethel Orena was born December 13, 1883 in East Chain. On June 1, 1904 in Martin she married Frank Ellsworth Rich. Ethel and Frank had three children: Orville L.; Raymond; and Frank C. Ethel died January 7, 1969 in Martin and is buried in Oakwood Cemetery.

Rollie Raymond was born March 12, 1885 in Martin. On January 7, 1920 in Blue Earth, MN, he married Jessie Lenora Haldeman. Rollie and Jessie had seven children: Kenneth Romayne; Elaine Frances; Howard William; Ronald Clyde; Naomi Jean; Maxine Ann; and Phylis Arlene. Jessie died in August, 1972; Rollie died December 24, 1976 in Ironton, MN. Both are buried in Fairview Cemetery, Fairmont, MN.

Iva Leona was born June 14, 1893 in Fairmont. On October 28, 1914 in Fairmont she married Edwin William Peterson, son of John and Agusta (Anderson) Peterson. Iva and Edwin had five children: Marlin Edwin; Mildred Leone; Clair Leroy; Kenneth Norman; and LaVonne Joyce, married Carl Schroeder. Edwin died in August, 1953; Iva died September 6, 1979 in Waseca, MN. Both are buried in Woodville Cemetery, Waseca.

Mont Clair was born July 5, 1895 in East Chain. On February 26, 1917 in Fairmont he married Cora Lena Morrow. Mont and Cora had a daughter: Rose Virginia. Mont died April 2, 1986 in Los Angeles, CA. Both he and Cora are buried in Woodlawn Cemetery, Santa Monica, CA.

William died April 23, 1923 in Fairmont; Emily died in October, 1945. Both are buried in East Chain, MN.

Reference: (377).

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Abel Eugene [8]

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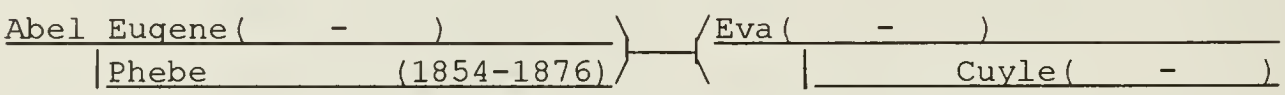

Abel Eugene Sisson was born about 1848. He married Phebe ( ). Phebe was born April 26, 1854. Abel and Phebe had a daughter:

Eva was born about 1872. She married Mr. Cuyle.

Phebe died August 17, 1876. She is buried in Button Cemetery. Abel, Eva and a Charles Button are mentioned in Theodore Sisson's will.

Reference: Theodore's will, Jackson Twp, Tioga County, PA, 1872.

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Witzel H. [8]

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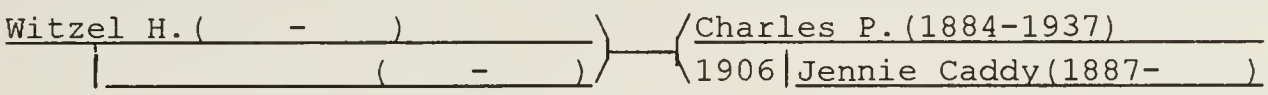

Witzel H. Sisson was born about 1850. We do not know his wife's name but she and Witzel had a son:

Charles P. was born September 2, 1884. On January 1, 1906 he married Jennie Caddy. Jennie was born January 3, 1887. Charles died December 4, 1937.

Witzel is mentioned in his father Theodore's will.

Reference: Theodore's will, Jackson Twp, Tioga County, PA, 1872.

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Putnam Curtis [8]

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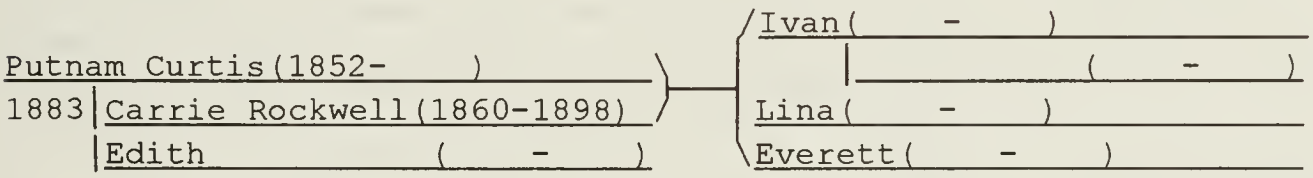

Putnam Curtis Sisson was born November 13, 1852 in Jackson, Tioga County, PA. He was a farmer and lumberman. He was member of the Disciples Church, IOOF, Grange, and a Republican. On May 22, 1883 he married Carrie E. Rockwell, daughter of Philander W. and Selina (Palmer) Rockwell of Tioga County. Carrie was born May 9, 1860. The family moved to Williamsport, PA, in 1889. Putnam and Carrie had three (or two) children:

Ivan was born about 1885. He married and had a daughter, but is reported to have died in early manhood. He is probably the Ivan R. (1885-1930) buried in the Methodist-Episcopal Cemetery, Jackson Twp, Tioga County, PA, with wife Laura (1890-1944).

Lina was born about 1887. She may have been Lina Everett but our records indicate Everett is a third child.

Everett may have been born about 1889.

Carrie died April 8, 1898. She is buried in Maple Ridge Cemetery in Jackson Twp. After Carrie's death Putnam married Edith ( ). Putnam is named in his father Theodore's will.

References: Theodore's will, Jackson Twp, Tioga County, PA, 1872; (508).

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Francis Marion [8]

Richard [1], George [2], Thomas [3], Giles [4], John [5], Aaron [6], Alanson [7] page 309

Francis Marion (1842-1921)
1866 | Laura Styles (1846-1926)

- William Harvey (1867-1932)
  - 1890 | Nellie Burnside (1869-1930)
- Benjamin F. (1868-1923)
  - 1889 | Myrtle Youmans (1871-1949)
- Cora M. (Connelly) (1882-1950)
  - | Frank S. Davy (1876-)

Francis Marion Sisson was born July 26, 1842/3 in Unadilla, Otsego County, NY. He was educated at Gilbertsville Academy. He was a G.A.R. veteran of Company G, 152nd New York Volunteer Infantry, serving from September 6, 1862 to July 13, 1865. Francis was wounded in the right ankle in November, 1864 at a skirmish at Reem's Station. He was discharged a corporal. He was a Democrat, Baptist, postmaster at Wells Bridge for 20 years and the Sand Hill town auditor. From 1891 he was a partner in the firm Sisson and Joyce, undertakers and furniture dealers. On September 20, 1866 in Unadilla, he married Laura A. Styles. Laura was born January 20, 1846 (or 45) in Wayne County, PA. Francis and Laura had two children in Unadilla and adopted a third:

William Harvey, born July 9, 1867 is discussed on page 637.

Benjamin F., born December 11, 1868 is discussed on page 638.

Cora M. (or S.) born June 21, 1882 was the daughter of Francis's sister Cora M. and her husband LeRoy B. Connelly, see page 309. Francis and Laura adopted her when her mother died a month after her birth. Cora married Frank S. Davy. Frank was born October 19, 1876. They lived in Unadilla and had no issue. Cora died in 1950.

Francis died September 8, 1921 and is buried in Sand Hill Cemetery, Otsego County, NY. Laura died March 16, 1926.

References: (104) p.17; (378); (380) pp.124-5.

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William Wallace [8]

Richard [1], George [2], Thomas [3], Giles [4], John [5], Aaron [6], Alanson [7] page 309

William Wallace (1846-1935)
1867 | Phebe Sherwood (1849-1906)
| Lena Lingee (-)

- Charles W. (1870-1951)
  - 1895 | Nellie French (1877-1906)
  - | Edith Young (-1921)
  - | Mary Young (-)

William Wallace Sisson was born September 10, 1846 in Unadilla, Otsego County, NY. He was a farmer and a member of the Baptist Church. He married first on September 23, 1867 Phebe L. Sherwood, daughter of Nathaniel and Abigail (Clark) Sherwood. Phebe

was born May 22, 1849. They lived in Wellsbridge. William and Phebe had a son born in McLane, PA:

Charles W. was born June 7, 1870. He was employed in a creamery. He married first on March 6, 1895 Nellie M. French, daughter of Dr. M. D. and Charlotte (Beardsley) French. Nellie was born November 4, 1877. She died February 12, 1906. Charles married second Edith Young, who died March 20, 1921. He married third Edith's sister Mary. Charles died March 27, 1951.

Phebe died July 3, 1906. William married second Lena Lingee. William died July 11, 1935 and is buried with Phebe in Sand Hill Cemetery, Otsego County, NY.

We have no additional references.

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Samuel Mason [8]

Richard [1], George [2], Thomas [3], Giles [4], John [5], Aaron [6], Alanson [7] page 309

Samuel Mason (1849-1934)
1870 | Sarah Sarle (1848-1915)

- Henry Albert (1871-1940)
  1892 | Cora A. Smith (1871-1933)
- Archer A. (1873-1955)
  1893 | Anna L. Dixson (1876-1939)
- Bert T. (1878-1900)

Samuel Mason Sisson was born May 22, 1849. He was a farmer and town assessor of Wellsbridge, Otsego County, NY, in 1899. On September 15, 1870 in Pittsfield, NY, he married Sarah R. Sarle, daughter of Henry and Sarah (Lewis) Sarle. Sarah was born September 6, 1848. Samuel and Sarah had three sons, probably all born in Unadilla, Otsego County, NY:

Henry Albert, born July 21, 1871 is discussed on page 638.

Archer A., born March 13, 1873 is discussed on page 639.

Bert T. was born October 14, 1878. He died unmarried March 6, 1900. He is buried in Sand Hill Cemetery near his parents.

Sarah died April 27, 1915; Samuel died August 29, 1934. They are buried in Sand Hill Cemetery near Unadilla.

References: (379) p.350; (507) 1880; (509).

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Elbert Alanson [8]

Richard [1], George [2], Thomas [3], Giles [4], John [5], Aaron [6], Alanson [7] page 309

Elbert Alanson (1851-1915)
1873 | Emily J. York (1855-1930)

- Frederick James (1879-1949)
  1912 | Grace McCormck (1886-1958)

Elbert Alanson Sisson was born December 17, 1851. On January 5, 1873 he married Emily J. York(e), daughter of Henry W. and Elizabeth (Robbins) York. Emily was born January 9, 1855. Elbert and Emily had a son:

Frederick James, born March 31 (or 13), 1879 in Wellsbridge, Otsego County, NY, is discussed on page 640.

Elbert died January 2, 1915. Emily died December 7, 1930. They are buried in Sand Hill Cemetery near Unadilla, NY. Their tombstone is marked with a Y on top of an S.

Reference: (104) p.13.

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William Henry [8]

Richard [1], George [2], Thomas [3], Giles [4], John [5], Wright [6], Ephraditus [7] page 310

William Henry(1845-)
1870 | Phebe Ann Doty(1840-)

- Fred Charles(1871-)
- Harry Lemuel(1878-)
- Gordon Gilbert(1880-)
- Byron E.(1883-)
- Myron E.(1883-)

William Henry Sisson was born October 10, 1845 in Unadilla, Otsego County, NY. On June 27, 1870 in Smithfield, Fayette County, PA, he married Phebe Ann Doty, daughter of John and Hannah (Swan) Doty. Phebe was born July 1, 1840 in Smithfield. William and Phebe had five sons, the first three born in Athens, Bradford County, PA, and the last two born in East Smithfield:

Fred Charles was born November 12, 1871.
Harry Lemuel was born April 21, 1878.
Gordon Gilbert was born May 24, 1880.
Byron E. and Myron E., twins, were born September 7, 1883.

Reference: (510) p.241/9.

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Levi Whitlock [8]

Richard [1], George [2], Thomas [3], Giles [4], John [5], Simeon [6], Elisha [7] page 311

Levi Whitlock(1838-1895)
| Emily Hutton(1837-1907)

- Esther(1860-1919)
  1882 | Josiah McNally(-)
- Permilia(1862-)
- Melzor E.(1866-1955)
- Laura(1868-)
- Clara(1868-)
- Julia E.(1870-1893)
- William L.(1874-)
- Robert Fulton(1877-1951)
  | Adah L. Decker(1879-1956)
- Emily(1879-1897)
  | Ed Whitam(-)
- Levi Whitlock, Jr.(1882-1968)
  1902 | Anna M. Grieve(1881-1971)

Levi Whitlock Sisson was born January 16, 1838 (or 36). He served as a Union soldier in the Civil War. Levi married Emily Hutton of Ohio. Emily was born July 22, 1837. Levi and Emily moved from Meigs County, OH, to Minnesota. They had ten children:

Esther was born November 30, 1860. On December 31, 1882 she married Josiah McNally. Esther died August 6, 1919.

Permilia was born November 22, 1862.

Melzor (or Melzar) E. was born September 24, 1866. He died unmarried October 15, 1955.

Laura and Clara, twins, were born August 30, 1868.

Julia E. was born February 21, 1870 and died November 25, 1893.

William L. was born in November, 1874.

Robert Fulton, born December 10, 1877 is discussed on page 641.

Emily was born December 22, 1879. She married Ed Whitam. Emily died June 2, 1897.

Levi Whitlock, Jr., born March 24, 1822 in Armour, SD, is discussed on page 641.

Levi died April 6, 1895; Emily died May 5, 1907.

We have no additional references.

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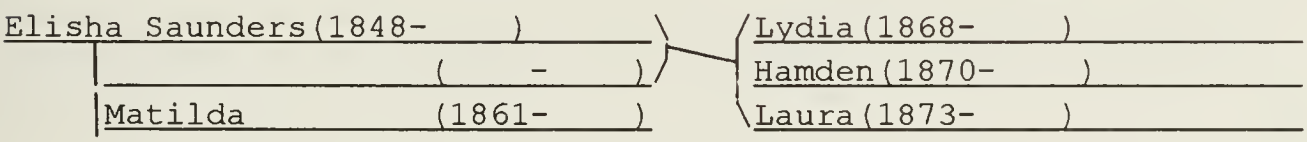
Elisha Saunders [8]

Richard [1], George [2], Thomas [3], Giles [4], John [5], Simeon [6], Elisha [7] page 311



Elisha Saunders Sisson was born circa 1848 in Ohio. He was also known as Saunders. Elisha served with the Union forces in the Civil War. He was married but we do not know the name of his wife. The family moved from Meigs County, OH, to Minnesota. Elisha and his wife had three children, all born in Minnesota:

Lydia was born circa 1868.

Hamden was born circa 1870.

Laura was born circa 1873.

There was a Matilda, age 19, born in Iowa, mentioned in the 1880 census. This is possibly a second wife.

Reference: (382) 1880 p.9.

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John McKinistry [8]

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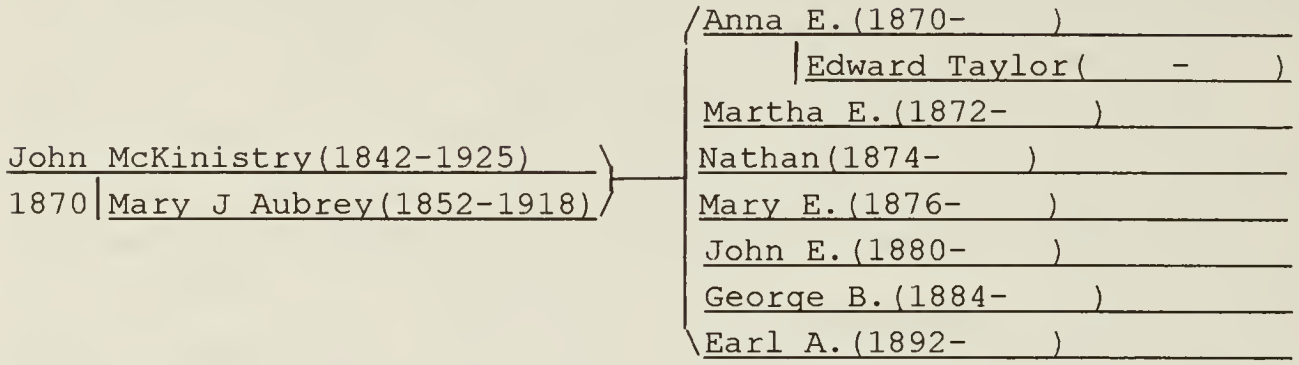

John McKinistry Sisson was born July 3, 1842 in Ohio. He was a Republican and a farmer. He served in Company A, 53rd Regiment, Ohio Volunteer Infantry from 1861-1865. On January 1, 1870 he married Mary Jane Aubrey, daughter of Joseph and Martha ( ) Aubrey. Mary was born in 1852. They lived in Iowa and Middleport, Meigs County, OH. John and Mary had seven children, the first four born in Iowa and the last three in Ohio:

Anna E. was born October 16, 1870. She married Edward Taylor.
Martha E. was born March 16, 1872.
Nathan was born September 17, 1874.
Mary E. was born October 19, 1876.
John E. was born April 10, 1880 in Rutland, Meigs County, OH.
George B. was born March 26, 1884.
Earl A. was born April 3, 1892.

Mary died May 17, 1918. We have a report that she is buried "in the Sisson Cemetery on the hill in _____ ". John died April 3, 1925.

Reference: (511) 1880 vol. 45, p.35.

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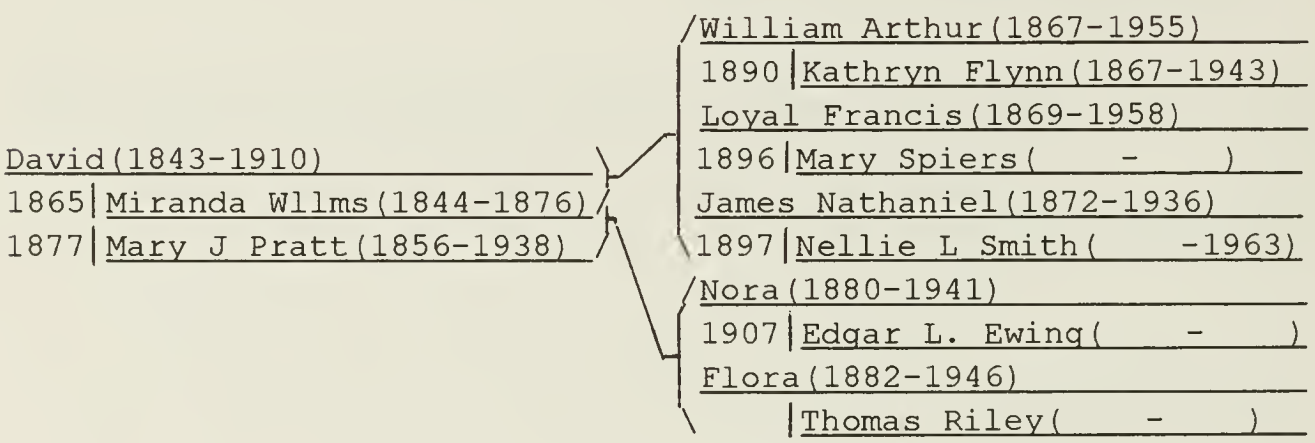
David [8]

Richard [1], George [2], Thomas [3], Giles [4], John [5], Simeon [6], Nathaniel Potter[7] page 312



David Sisson was born November 26, 1843 in Columbia, Meigs County, Ohio. He was a physician, a member of the Disciples Church and A.M.A., secretary-treasurer of Meigs County Medical Society and Health Officer. He was a corporal in Company A, 2nd Regular West Virginia Cavalry from 1861 to 1865. He married first on April 26, 1865 Miranda Downing Williams, daughter of Benjamin Williams. Miranda was born January 17, 1844 in Ohio. In 1866 they moved to Wray, CO, and later returned to Ohio. David and Miranda had three sons, all born in Ohio:

William Arthur, born January 14, 1867 in Meigs County is discussed on page 642.

Loyal Francis (incorrectly called Lloyd), born September 30, 1869 in Rutland is discussed on page 643.

James Nathaniel, born July 22, 1872 in Alfred is discussed on page 643. He was raised by his maiden aunt, Mary E. Williams.

Miranda died December 6, 1876 and is buried in the Hill Cemetery, Middleport, OH. David married second August 20, 1877 Mary Jane Pratt, daughter of James C. and Elizabeth (Gilpin) Pratt. Mary was born October 13, 1856 in Ohio. David and Mary had two daughters, both born in Middleport:

Nora was born February 13, 1880. On October 30, 1907 in Middleport, she married Edgar Louis Ewing. Nora and Edgar had two daughters: Mary Edna, September 14, 1908, married Mr. Ranier; and Helen, August 20, 1910, married Mr. McMillan. Nora died May 29, 1941.

Flora was born June 2, 1882. She married Thomas Riley. Flora and Thomas had five children: Margaret, November 14, 1904, married Mr. Kloes; Mary Kathryn, September 11, 1908, married first Mr. Ellinger and second Mr. Edwards; Flora Agnes, July 12 to July 14, 1910; Thomas, Jr., December 19, 1913; and William, December 17, 1923, who was not married in 1957. Flora died in February, 1946 and is buried in Hill Cemetery.

David died November 16, 1910; Mary died in January, 1938. They are both buried in Hill Cemetery.

References: (385) 1880 vol. 45, p.17; (511) 1880 vol. 45, p.38.

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Nathaniel [8]

Richard [1], George [2], Thomas [3], Giles [4], John [5], Simeon [6], Nathaniel Potter[7] page 312

Nathaniel (1845-1939)
1874 | Mary S. Hughes (1852-1909)

Nathaniel Paul (1875-)
Donna (-)
| L. M. Erk (-)

Nathaniel Sisson was born May 25, 1845 in Meigs County, OH. He fought in the Civil War under Sheridan and as a bugler sounded the last hostile charge of the War at Appomattox. He was a farm hand, teacher, cabinet maker, road and bridge commissioner, member of the Sequeick Post #21, GAR, a Free Mason, and real estate dealer

with N. Sisson and Son (later Sisson Loan and Title Company) in Maryville, Nodoway County, MO. He moved to Maryville August 9, 1866. On October 14, 1874 in Lexington, MO, he married Mary Susan Hughes (or Houghes), daughter of George E. and Anna (Groves) Hughes. Mary was born in 1852 in Lexington. Nathaniel and Mary had two children, both born in Maryville:

Nathaniel Paul was born in 1875. He was a captain of Company E, 4th Missouri Reg, in the Spanish-American War. He was a partner in his father's firm dealing in real estate and land abstracts.

Donna was born about 1877. She was a member of the DAR. She married L. M. Erk.

Mary died July 24, 1909. Nathaniel died September 17, 1939.

References: Nathaniel's biography; (35).

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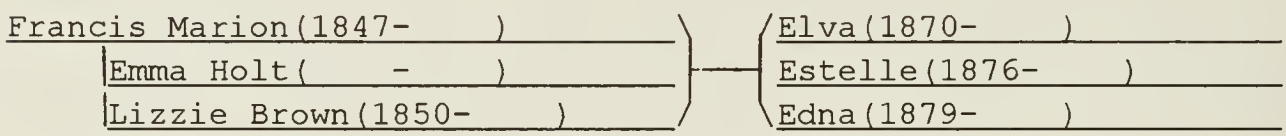
Francis Marion [8]

Richard [1], George [2], Thomas [3], Giles [4], John [5], Simeon [6], Nathaniel Potter[7] page 312



Francis Marion Sisson was born November 7, 1847 in Columbia, OH. He married first Emma Holt and second Lizzie Brown. Lizzie was born circa 1850 in Ohio. Francis had three daughters:

Elva was born circa 1870 in Iowa.

Estelle was born circa 1876 in Ohio.

Edna was born circa 1879 in Ohio.

The family lived in Yuma County, CO. In the 1880 census there was also in the household a Mary Ann Davis, age 54 with sons James, 18 and George, 17, all born in Ohio.

Reference: (512) 1880 Vol. 23, p.25.

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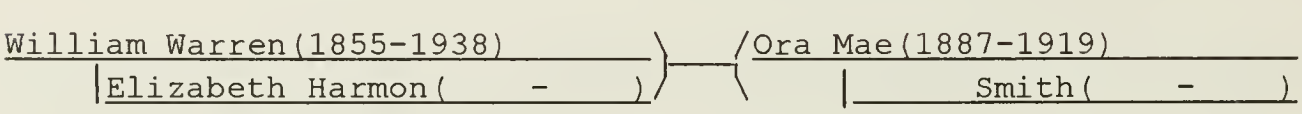
William Warren [8]

Richard [1], George [2], Thomas [3], Giles [4], John [5], Simeon [6], William [7] page 313



William Warren Sisson was born in 1855 in Ohio. He married Elizabeth Harmon. He is possibly the William who married Elizabeth Hempstead according to the Genealogical Society of Mayflower Descendants. William and Elizabeth had a daughter:

Ora Mae was born in 1887. She married Mr. Smith. Ora died in 1919 and is buried in School Lot Cemetery in Carpenter, OH.

William died in 1938. He is also buried in School Lot Cemetery.

We have no additional references.

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David Miles [8]

Richard [1], George [2], Thomas [3], Giles [4], John [5], Simeon [6], William [7] page 313

David Miles(1858-1929)
1879 | Mrtha Thrkmrtn(1858-1929)

- Eldon Thomas(1880-1921)
  - 1905 | Lillie V. Mark(1880-1960)
- Jessie William(1884-1966)
  - 1910 | Bessie Boggess(1885-1966)
- Mary Blanche(1886-)
  - 1910 | Guy Gorby(-)

David Miles Sisson was born November 23, 1858 in Ohio. On September 17, 1879 he married Martha Patty Throckmorton. Martha was born in 1858. David and Martha had three children:

Eldon Thomas, born July 19, 1880 is discussed on page 644.

Jessie William, born March 16, 1884 is discussed on page 644.

Mary Blanche was born December 29, 1886. On January 15, 1910 she married Guy Gorby.

Martha died January 13 and David died August 21, 1929. They are both buried in School Lot Cemetery in Carpenter, OH.

We have no additional references.

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Charles Franklin [8]

Richard [1], George [2], Thomas [3], Giles [4], John [5], Simeon [6], Simeon Lewis [7] page 314

Charles Franklin(1863-1939)
Emma Borham(1865-1943)

- Clyde(1881-1929)
  - Edith Graber(1881-1949)
- Lewis(-1933)
- Leo B.(1895-1963)
  - Gladys Hamilton(1905-1952)

Charles Franklin Sisson was born in 1863 in Ohio. He married Emma Borham. Emma was born in 1865. Charles and Emma had three sons:

Clyde was born in 1881. He married Edith Graber. Edith was born in 1881. Clyde died in 1929; Edith died in 1949.

Lewis was born about 1885. He was a private first class in the 43rd Company Transportation Corp. Lewis died April 11, 1933.

Leo B., born in 1895 is discussed on page 645.

Charles died in 1939; Emma died in 1943.

We have no additional references.

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William Benjamin [8]

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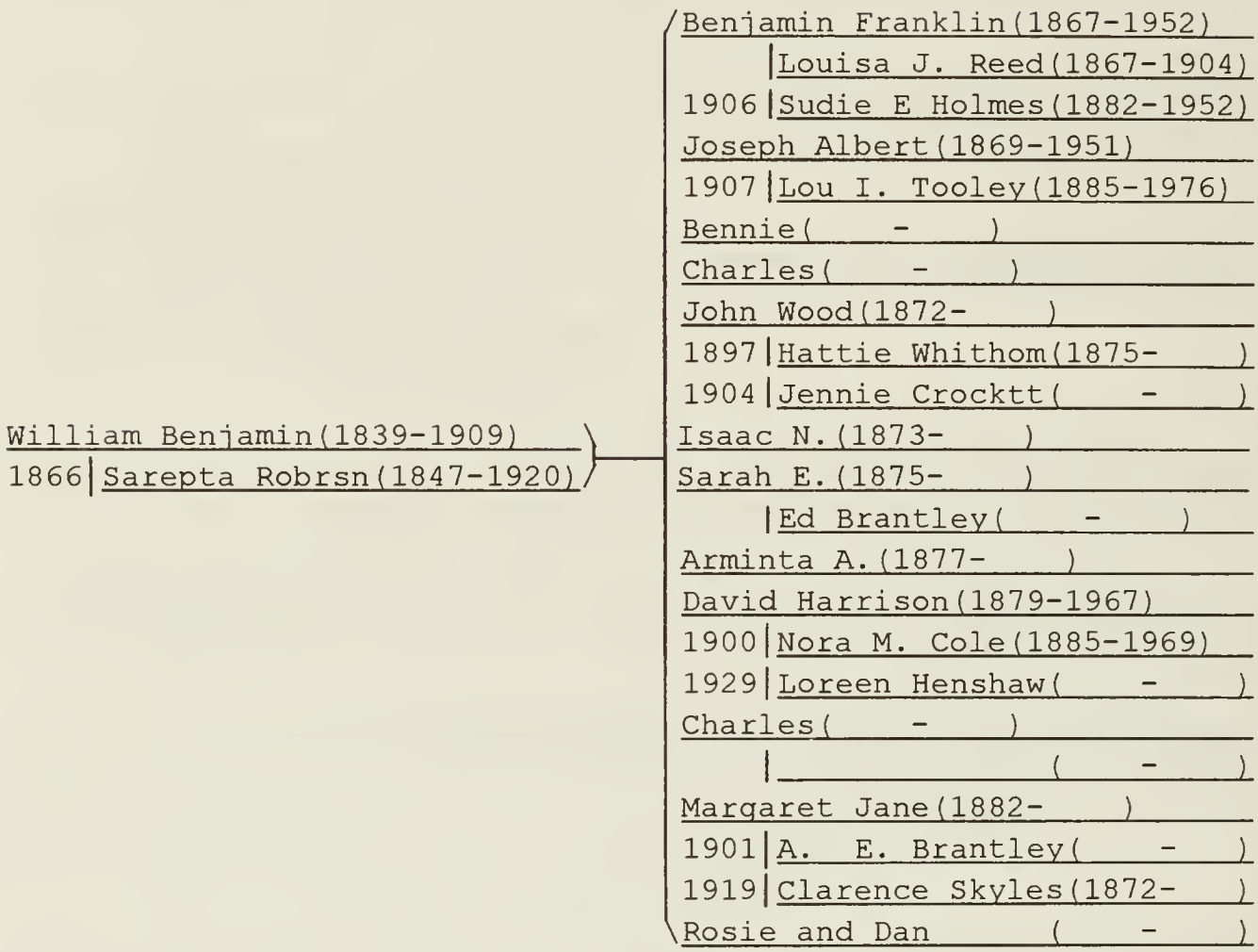

William Benjamin Sisson was born in December, 1839 in Mt. Pleasant, Switzerland County, IN. He was a private to 2nd Lt. in the Civil War, in Co. E, 38th Reg. Ind. Vol, 1861-1865. He was wounded and drew a pension. He was also a teacher and farmer. At some time he moved to Pocahontas, AR. On February 25, 1866 in Grantsburg, Crawford County, IN, he married Sarepta (or Sarefeta) Alice Roberson, daughter of George William and Sarah (Kintner) Roberson. Sarepta was born in 1847 in Grantsburg. William and Sarepta owned 80 acres in Randolph County, AR. They had thirteen children, all born in Indiana:

Benjamin Franklin, born in 1867 in Grantsburg is discussed on page 646.

Joseph Albert, born September 4, 1869 in Leavensworth, IN, is discussed on page 648.

Bennie was born about 1870.

Charles was born about 1871.

John Wood, born circa 1872 is discussed on page 649.

Isaac N. "Ike" was born circa 1873. He was not married.

Sarah E. "Sally" was born circa 1875. She married Ed Brantley. Sarah and Ed had five children: Monie; Annie; Floyd; Tincey; and Elnora.

Arminta A. was born circa 1877; she died young.

David Harrison, born January 31, 1879 in Decker, IN, is discussed on page 650.

Charles was born about 1881. We do not know his wife's name. She and Charles had three children: Sallie, about 1905; Rosy, about 1907; and Dan, about 1910.

Margaret Jane "Maggie" was born in 1882 in Indiana. She married first on September 15, 1901 A. E. Brantley in Randolph County. A. E. was born about 1876. She married second December 6, 1919 Clarence Skyles (or Skiles), also in Randolph County. Clarence was born about 1872. Maggie had twelve children.

Rosie and Dan probably did not survive beyond childhood.

Arminta, Rosie and Dan all died after arriving in Arkansas. Property tax records for Randolph County, AR, show William in Denum Twp. in 1890; the 1920 directory shows Sarepta in Bristow Twp. William died in 1909; Sarepta died in 1920. Both died in Randolph County and are buried in Sanders Cemetery (she in an unmarked grave).

References: (151) pp.194-5 [lists William with two wives. Seven children by the first wife (Sarah?): Henry, 1867; George, 1869; Joshua, 1871; Andrew, 1873; Hannah, 1875; David H., 1877, married Nora Mae Cole, had a family in Pocahontas, AR; and Taylor, 1879. Five children by the second wife: Sam, 1885; Emmanuel; Alice; Lewis, 1891; and Billie]; (369) 1870 p.53; (387); (513); (514) 1880 p.18.

[NOTE] One of these two Williams lived near Richwoods, AR, and died February 20, 1909 in Randolph County, AR.

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Joshua Stanley [8]

Richard [1], George [2], Thomas [3], Giles [4], John [5], Benjamin [6], John Crandall [7] page 316

Joshua Stanley(1846-1919)
1870 | Mary Banks(1853-1872)
1885 | Flora E Farnum(1866-1917)

- Edna Blanche(1886-1930)
- Edgar Basil(1888-1964)
  - | Mary (-)
- Rolland Stanley(1889-)
  - 1907 | Inez Smith(-)
  - | Lizzie (-)
- Ruth Golden(1892-)
  - 1910 | David Harder(-)
- Allen Floyd(1894-)
  - 1911 | Lura Boswell(1894-)
- Hazel Fern(1896-)
  - | Jacob Scholtes(-)
- Lester Dale(1898-)
  - | (-)
- Roger Albert(1901-1973)

Joshua Stanley Sisson was born January 8, 1846 in Switzerland County, IN. He was in the Civil War, Co. H, 13th Ind. Calv., Army of the Cumberland, from October 6, 1863 to fall, 1864. He lost the sight in his right eye and partially his left from measles during the war. Joshua attended Marengo Academy, Oakland City, Crawford County, IN; the State Normal School, Terre Haute, IN; and Mt. Carmel Seminary in Illinois. He was a teacher from 1867 to 1893 in Knox, Crawford and Gibson Counties. He was a member of the IOOF, Lodge 20, and was a Methodist-Episcopal. From 1892 to 1905 he farmed 82½ acres, 2½ miles northeast of Princeton, IN. On August 4, 1870 in Knox County, he married Mary Banks. Mary was born circa 1853. The newlyweds are listed September 9, 1870 census in the household of Peter Banks age 56, perhaps her father. Mary died January 13, 1872.

In the 1880 census Joshua is listed as a teacher with Joseph Strange and others in his household. He was widowed and living next door to his father. On October 14, 1885 Joshua married second Flora Elvina Farnum, daughter of George L. and Alvina (Stuart) Farnum. Flora was born October 12, 1866 in Bloomville, IN. Joshua and Flora had eight children:

Edna Blanche was born July 14, 1886 in Princeton, IN. She died October 29, 1930 in Van Nuys, CA. She was not married.

Edgar Basil was born March 26, 1888. He married Mary ( ) and died in 1964 in Charlotte, NC.

Rolland Stanley, born December 1, 1889 is discussed on page 650.

Ruth Golden was born January 23, 1892. In 1910 she married David Harder. They lived in Princeton and had two children: Edgar; and Ruth Marie. They later moved to California.

Allen Floyd, born April 1, 1894 is discussed on page 651.

Hazel Fern was born January 5, 1896. She married Jacob Scholtes; they lived in California.

Lester Dale was born September 24, 1898. He married and lived in Illinois.

Roger Albert was born February 11, 1901. He died in 1973 in Oklahoma.

Flora died March 4, 1917 and is buried in Carpenter Burying Ground, Hoosick, NY. Joshua died October 9, 1919 in Princeton and is buried there.

References: (246); (389) 1870, 1880 & 1890.

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Zachary Taylor [8]

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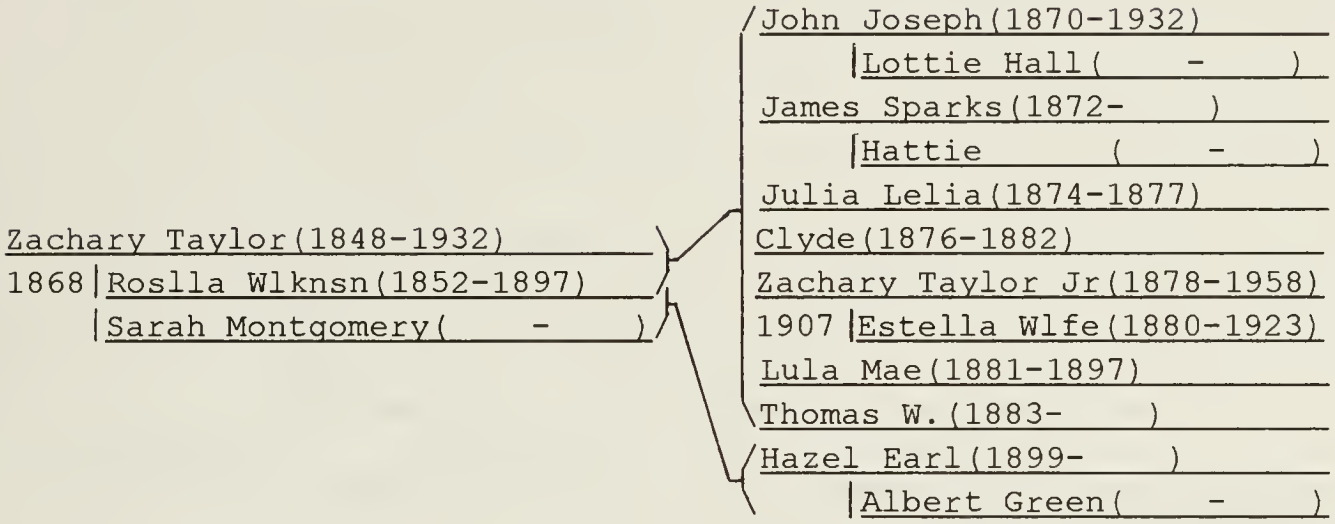

Zachary Taylor Sisson was born March 8, 1848 in Switzerland County, IN. He was a private during the Civil War February 11, 1864 to July 15, 1865, Co. E, 38th Reg. Ind. Vol. He was a shoemaker, farmer, and bricklayer. On November 8, 1868 he married Rosilla Wilkinson. Rosilla was born August 17, 1852 in Friendsville, Wabash County, IL. Zachary and Rosilla had seven children:

John Joseph was born August 18, 1870 in Gibson County, IN. He lived in Mounds, OK, and married Lottie Hall. They had a daughter, Mable, and two sons. He died in 1932 in Mounds.

James Sparks was born September 15, 1872 in Wabash County, IL. He married Hattie ( ). He died in Jacksonville, FL.

Julia Lelia was born October 21, 1874 and died August 10, 1877.

Clyde was born June 15, 1876 in Milan County, TX. He died April 21, 1882.

Zachary Taylor, Jr., born September 1, 1878 in Cameron, TX,is discussed on page 651.

Lula Mae was born October 15, 1881 in Cameron and died November 25, 1897.

Thomas W. was born August 30, 1883 in Cameron. He lived in West Palm Beach, FL.

Rosilla died February 5, 1897 in Cameron. Zachary married second Mrs. Sarah Irene (Middleton) Montgomery. Zachary and Sarah had a daughter:

Hazel Earl was born March 2, 1899 in Georgetown, TX. She married Albert A. Green of San Antonio, TX. In 1980 they were living in San Antonio.

Zachary died April 21, 1932 in San Antonio. He is buried in the Mission Burial Park there.

Reference: (573).

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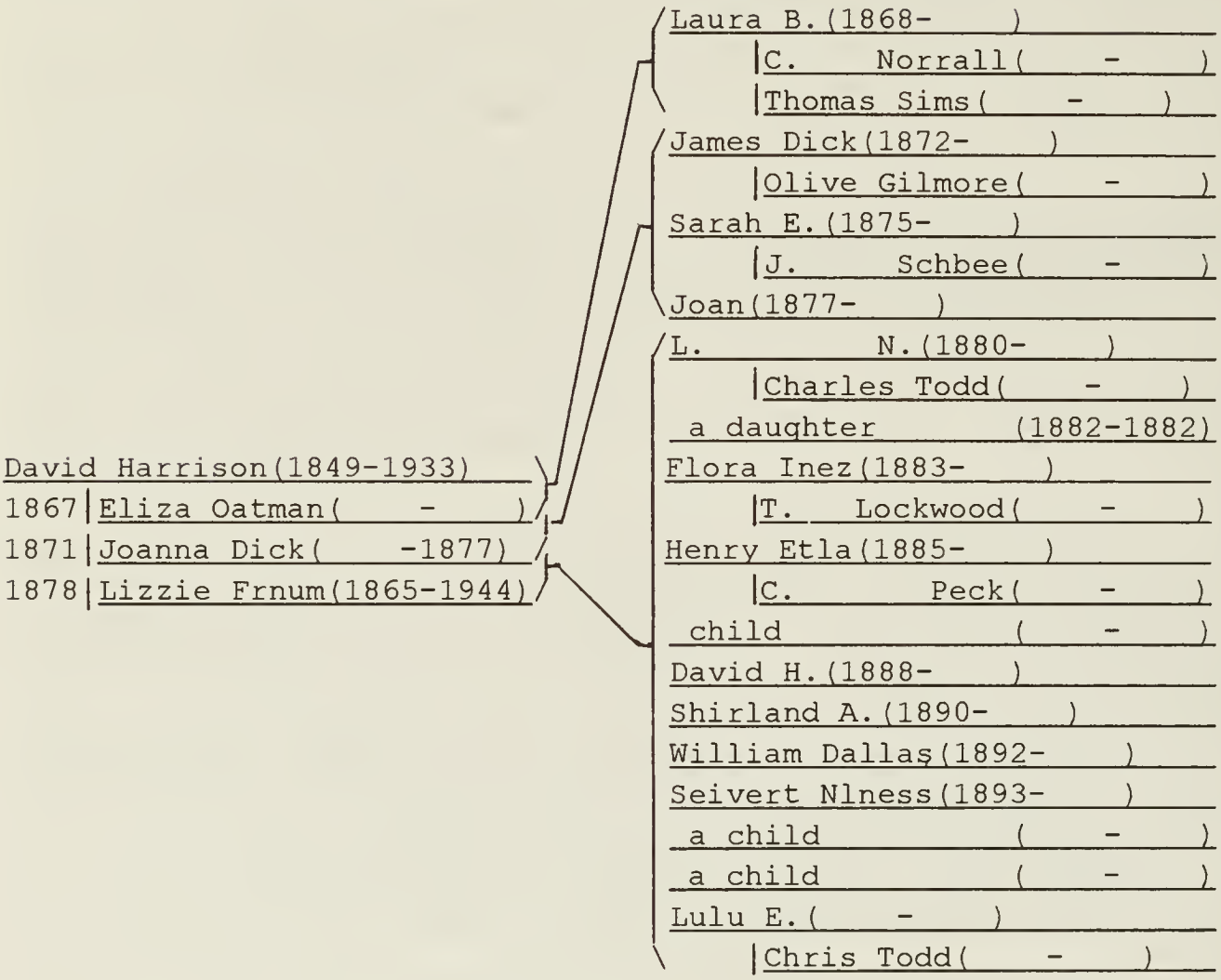
David Harrison [8]

Richard [1], George [2], Thomas [3], Giles [4], John [5], Benjamin [6], John Crandall [7] page 316



David Harrison (or Henry?) Sisson was born May 29, 1849 in Indiana. He enlisted at age 15 and served six months in the Civil War, Co. E., 146th Reg. Ind. Vol. He was a teacher and mail carrier in Deckard Station, IN. On November 28, 1867 he married Eliza Oatman. David and Eliza had a daughter:

Laura B. was born August 25, 1868. She married first C. C. Norrall and second Thomas Sims. They lived in Vincennes, IN.

David and Eliza were divorced in April or May, 1871. She married second Perry Oak. David married second September 9, 1871 Joanna Dick. David and Joanna had three children:

James Dick was born December 17, 1872. He married Olive Gilmore. James and Olive had a son James, Jr. who also had a son James, III.

Sarah "Sally" E. was born January 8, 1875 in Indiana. She married J. J. Schbee.

Joan was born February 20, 1877. She died young.

Joanna died March 10, 1877. David married third March 29, 1878, Lizzie A. Farnum. Lizzie was born in 1865. David and Lizzie had twelve children:

L. N. was born in May, 1880. She married Charles E. Todd.

A girl was born May 22 and died May 23, 1882.

Flora Inez was born May 20, 1883. She married T. C. Lockwood.

Henry Etla was born February 16, 1885. He married C. W. Peck.

A child; we have no information.

David H. was born July 21, 1888. He may be the soldier named David Sisson who is buried in Vincennes.

Shirland A., a son, was born January 23, 1890.

William Dallas was born February 8, 1892.

Seivert Nlness [sic?] was born April 22, 1893. Seivert had a son: Raymond, the father of Timothy Sisson, Cincinnati, OH.

Two children; we have no information.

Lulu E. was born about 1898. She married Chris Todd.

David died August 2, 1933; Lizzie died in 1944.

References: (391) Vol. 8, p.86 & Vol. 9, p.445; (501) 1880 p.9.

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Andrew Cleveland [8]

Richard [1], George [2], Thomas [3], Giles [4], John [5], Benjamin [6], John Crandall [7] page 316

Andrew Cleveland(1857-1937)
1882 Martha Brinr(1858-)

- Logan Blaine(1882-)
  - Edna Crabtree(-)
- Bessie June(-)
- Raymond Sylvester(1887-)
  - 1909 Blanche D Jones(1889-)
- Robert Newton(1889-)
  - Lydia Melton(-)
- Mabel Dotie(1891-)
  - Edward Harrngtn(-)
- Winfield Earl(1893-)
  - Jessie Eddy(-)
- Hope Lydda(1896-)
  - Girthel Mason(-)
- Mattie Dale(1899-)
  - Horace M Powell(-)

Andrew Cleveland Sisson was born April 16, 1857 in Switzerland County, Indiana. He was a teacher and a druggist with his brother Winfield and a merchant. On March 8, 1882 in Knox County he married Martha (Harrall) Briner. Martha was born in January, 1858 in Indiana. The family lived in Hazelton, Gibson County and Deckard Station, IN. Andrew and Martha had eight children, all born in Indiana:

Logan Blaine, born in December, 1882 is discussed on page 652.

Bessie June was born about 1885 and died in infancy.

Raymond Sylvester, born February 27, 1887 in Hazelton is discussed on page 652.

Robert Newton was born in December, 1889 in Indiana. He married Lydia Melton. Robert and Lydia had a daughter: Roberta Joan was born about 1915, she lived in Martinsville, IN.

Mabel Dotie was born in July, 1891. She married Edward Harrington. They lived in Hazelton. Mabel and Edward had three children all born in Hazelton: Martha Etta, married Anthony Serviente; Ed Harroll; and Dotie Jane. Mabel died after October, 1965.

Winfield Earl was born in September, 1893. He married Jessie Eddy. They lived in Indianapolis, probably no issue.

Hope Lydda was born in May, 1896. She married Girthel Mason. Hope and Girthel had a son: Harry Earl. Girthel died in Hazelton before 1940.

Mattie Dale was born in August, 1899. She married Dr. Horace Mann Powell. They lived in Indianapolis. Mattie and Horace had two sons: Horace, Jr; and Robin Dale.

A second wife, Paris Beiman has been reported. Andrew died November 18, 1937.

Reference: (387).

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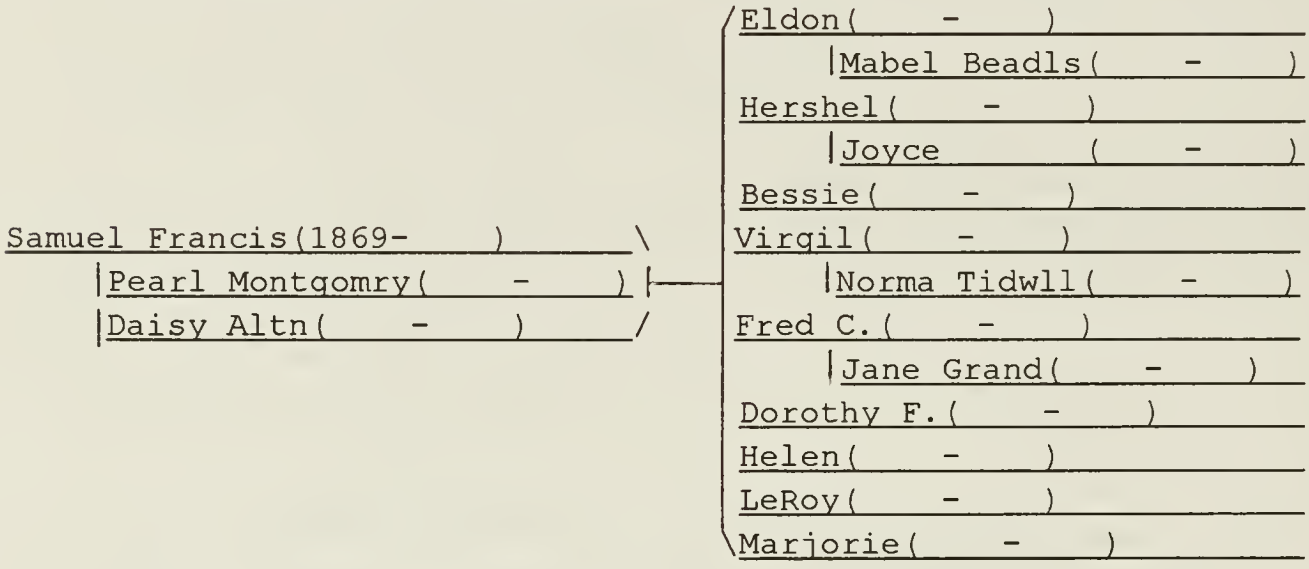
Samuel Francis [8]

Richard [1], George [2], Thomas [3], Giles [4], John [5], Benjamin [6], John Crandall [7] page 316



Samuel Francis Sisson was born in 1869 in Indiana. He married first Pearl Montgomery and second Daisy Alton. The family lived in Princeton, IN, where he was a mail carrier on Route #6. Samuel and his wives had nine children:

Eldon may have been born about 1895. He married Mabel Beadles. They had a daughter and a son in Princeton.

Hershel may have been born about 1897. He married Joyce ( ). They lived in Princeton and had no children.

Bessie may have been born about 1900. She was single and lived in Washington, D.C.

Virgil may have been born about 1903. He married Norma Tidwell. Virgil and Norma had three sons who lived in Patuka, IN, and Greenville, MO.

Fred C. may have been born about 1906. He married Jane Grand and was in the U.S. Navy in Berkeley, CA.

Dorothy F. may have been born about 1909.

Helen may have been born about 1912.

LeRoy may have been born about 1915.

Marjorie may have been born about 1918.

Reference: (387).

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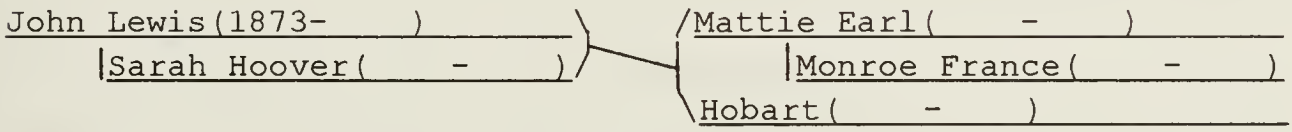
John Lewis [8]

Richard [1], George [2], Thomas [3], Giles [4], John [5], Benjamin [6], John Crandall [7] page 316



John Lewis Sisson was born in 1873. He married Sarah "Sallie" Hoover and lived in Union, IN, as a farmer and carpenter. John and Sallie had two children:

Mattie Earl may have been born about 1896. She married Monroe France. They had four daughters.

Hobart may have been born about 1900 and died in his youth.

Reference: (387).

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Edward Emmanuel [8]

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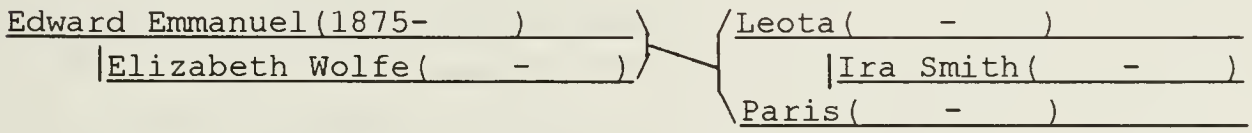

Edward Emmanuel Sisson was born in 1875. He married Elizabeth "Lizzie" Wolfe. He was a farmer and carpenter in Hazelton, IN. Edward and Lizzie had two children:

Leota may have been born about 1900. She married Ira Smith. They lived in Bruceville, IN.

Paris may have been born about 1905. Paris was single and lived in Hazelton.

Reference: (387).

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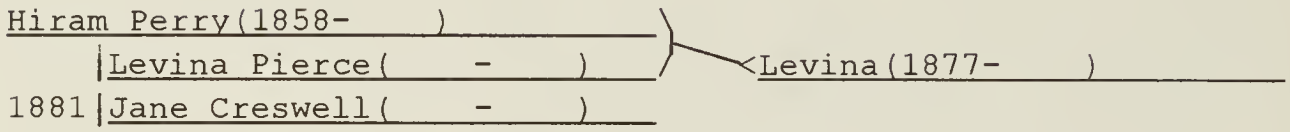
Hiram Perry [8]

Richard [1], George [2], Thomas [3], Giles [4], John [5], Benjamin [6], Eli [7] page 318



Hiram Perry Sisson was born November 16, 1858 in Kentucky. Hiram married first Levina Pierce. Hiram and Levina had a daughter born in Indiana:

Levina was born in 1877.

Apparently mother Levina died before 1880. Hiram's mother was living with him in the 1880 census (Knox County, IN?). Hiram married second September 19, 1881 Jane Creswell.

We have no additional references.

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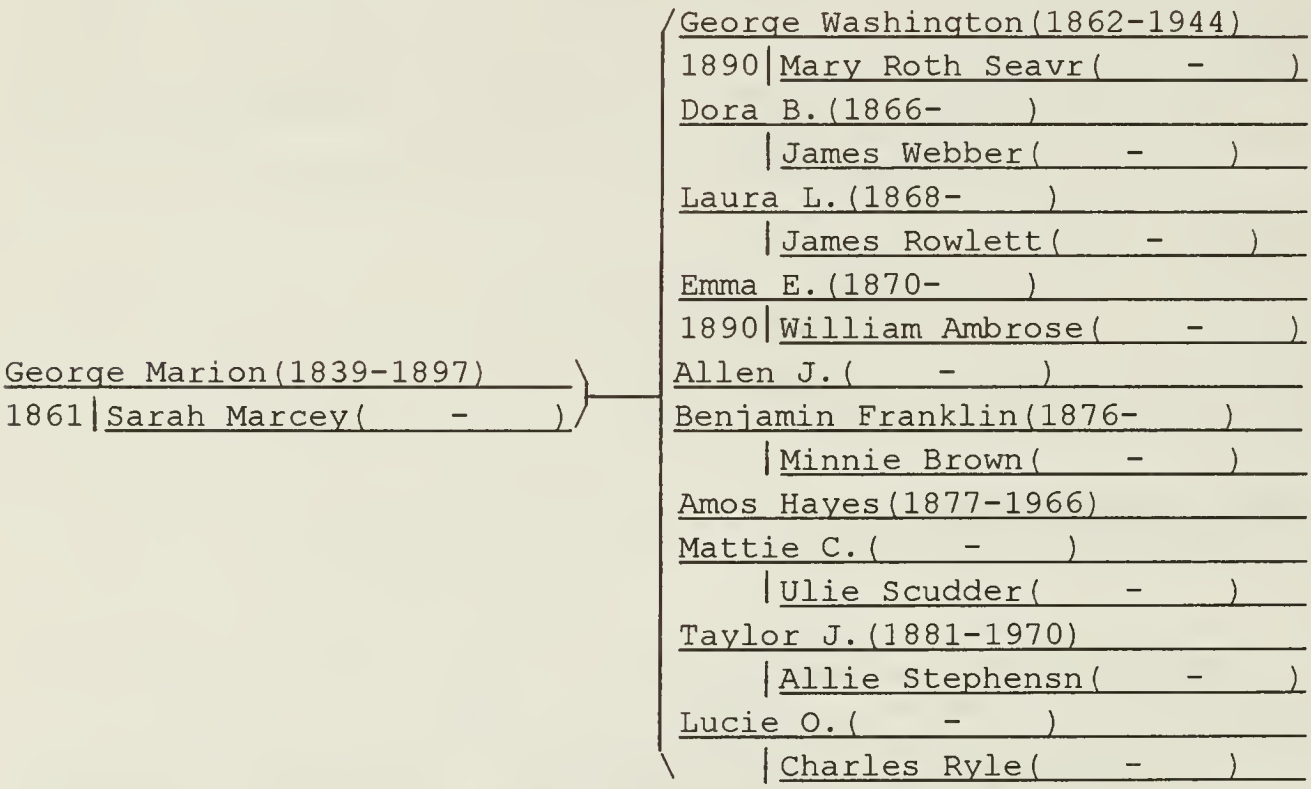
George Marion [8]

Richard [1], George [2], Thomas [3], Giles [4], John [5], James C. [6], Henry B. [7] page 320



George Marion Sisson was born April 3, 1839 in Switzerland County, IN. He was a Republican. On February 26, 1861 he married Sarah "Sallie" A. Marcey of Ohio County, IN. He enlisted (Union) August 16, 1862 as a private, Co. B, 7th KY Cavalry. He was promoted thru the ranks to Captain. After the war he returned to farming on 31 acres. George and Sallie had ten children:

George Washington, born February 22, 1862 in Warsaw, KY, is discussed on page 653.

Dora B. was born in 1866. She married James Webber. Dora and Jim had three children: George; Ellis; and Opal. They lived in Vallejo, CA.

Laura L. was born in 1868. She married James Rowlett. Laura and Jim had four children: Clarence Ray, married Donnie ( ); Joe, married Mandy ( ); Florence; and Cecil. They lived in Hesler, Owen County, KY.

Emma E. was born in 1870. On September 7, 1890 in Gallatin County, she married William B. Ambrose. They owned an insurance company in Warsaw called "Fire, Wind and Lightning". Emma and Will had three daughters: Ola; Pearl; and Eunice.

Allen J. may have been born about 1872.

Benjamin Franklin was born May 17, 1876 in Gallatin County, KY. He married Minnie Brown. Benjamin and Minnie had four children: William; Pearl; Frances; and Edgar.

Amos Hayes was born March 22, 1877 in Gallatin County. He was a bachelor who lived at the home place on Sugar Creek with his brother Allen and sister Lucie and her family. Amos died in January, 1966 in Gallatin County.

Mattie C. may have been born about 1879. She married Ulie Scudder. Mattie and Ulie had a son: Everett.

Taylor J. was born April 18, 1881 in Gallatin County. He married Allie Stephenson. Taylor died in September, 1970.

Lucie O. may have been born about 1882. She married Charles Ryle. Lucie and Charles had two children: Katie, married Whit Gross; and Roy.

George died June 8, 1897 in Gallatin County, KY. He was an invalid with chronic rheumatism for fourteen years before his death. He is buried in Paint Lick Cemetery.

References: Obituary of George Marion; (251); (515).

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Christopher Columbus [8]

Richard [1], George [2], Thomas [3], Giles [4], John [5], James C. [6], Henry B. [7] page 320

Christopher Columbus(1844-)
1861 Augustine Webber(-) < Blanche(1867-)

Christopher Columbus Sisson was born circa 1844. He was a Confederate sympathizer serving as a private. On October 19, 1861 he married Augustine Webber. Christopher and Augustine had a daughter:

Blanche was born circa 1867.

References: Family data from grandniece Clare A. Sisson; (251); (516) 1880;

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William Henry [8]

Richard [1], George [2], Thomas [3], William [4], Nathan [5], Elisha [6], William [7] page 321

William Henry(1815-1859)
1847 Harriet Arne(1825-1902)

- Mary Ella(1848-1852)
- William Gale(1852-1923)
  1875 Harriet A Dewey(1852-1920)
- Frank Munroe(1855-1904)
  1881 Emma L. Leach(1860-1930)
- Cynthia Adelaide(1857-1928)
  Thomas Stevens(1856-1893)
- Mary Elizabeth(1859-1940)
  1897 Frederick Hzltn(-)

William Henry Sisson was born March 18, 1815 in Scipio, NY. He was christened about 1823 at the Presbyterian Church in Lyons, Wayne County, NY. He was a merchant and druggist in Lyons. He was a Colonel in the militia and a Mason. On June 22, 1847 in Auburn, Cayuga County, NY, he married Harriet Arne, daughter of Dr. David, Jr. and Mary "Polly" (Munro) Arne. Harriet was born October 29, 1825 in Auburn. William and Harriet had five children, all born in Lyons:

Mary Ella "Ella" was born May 21, 1848. She has been reported as christened June 10, 1854 [51?], but her gravestone in the Sisson lot, Rural Cemetery, Lyons, indicates that she died May 28, 1852. She is not listed in the family Bible.

William Gale, born April 19, 1852 is discussed on page 654.

Frank Munroe, born June 27, 1855 is discussed on page 655.

Cynthia Adelaide "Addie" was born September 3, 1857. She married Thomas Jefferson Stevens. He was born June 15, 1856. Cynthia and Thomas had two children: Harriet, June 7, 1881 married Lee Oscar Hughes; Thomas Jefferson, Jr., January 24, 1884 to October, 1918. Thomas died December 28, 1893; Addie died in March, 1928.

Mary Elizabeth "Lily" was born November 3, 1859. On June 2, 1897 in Elbridge, Onondaga County, NY, she married Frederick J. Hazeltine. Lily and Frederick had a son: Fredrick Sylvester, January 23, 1900 married 1) Doris Whitman and 2) Virginia I. Wilcox, with whom he had three daughters. Lily died in 1940 in Elbridge.

On July 1, 1849 Harriet joined the Lyons Presbyterian Church where the last four children were all christened October 5, 1860. William died March 20, 1859 in Lyons. Harriet married second Mr. Hill after 1870. She died December 27, 1902 in Elbridge, NY. Both William and Harriet are buried in Rural Cemetery, Lyons, near (east of) his brother Drury.

References: (35); (195) Vol. 84, p.138; (253); (393) 1850 p.454 & 1860 p.1044; (394); (471) 1870 p.134.

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George Elisha [8]

Richard [1], George [2], Thomas [3], William [4], Nathan [5], Elisha [6], William [7] page 321

George Elisha(1820-1884)
1844 Louisa Parke(1819-1882)

- Frances Elizabeth(1845-1849)
- Caroline(1849-)
  1871 Isaac N. Lewis(-)
- Harriet A.(1855-1911)
  1883 Francis Tanner(-)

George Elisha Sisson was born April 2, 1820 in Lyons, Wayne County, NY. He was a farmer. On October 16, 1844 in Lyons he married Louisa Parke. Louisa was born February 2, 1819. George and Louisa had three daughters:

Frances Elizabeth was born October 8, 1845 and died May 12, 1849. She is buried in Old Lyons Cemetery, east of her father.

Caroline was born October 23, 1849. On August 1, 1871 she married Isaac Newton Lewis. Caroline and Isaac had three children: Maud Louisa, August 4, 1872, married Harold Eddrett, no issue; William Sisson, July 13, 1873; Janet M. "Maggie", April 8, 1876, married Frank Smith and had one son and one daughter.

Harriet A. was born February 1, 1855. On June 20, 1883 she married Francis Augustus Tanner. They had no issue. Harriet died March 19, 1911 in Lyons and is buried in Lyons Cemetery.

The 1850 census shows two others in the house: Albertino Parke, age 22, and George Steward, age 16, farmers. Louisa died April 14, 1882; George died March 25, 1884. Both are buried in Old Lyons Cemetery west of his father.

References: Cemetery records; (35); (195) Vol. 84, p.138; (253); (393) 1850; (517).

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John Russel [8]

Richard [1], George [2], Thomas [3], William [4], Nathan [5], Augustus [6], Telotes [7] page 322

John Russel(1815-1896)
1843 Lucy G. Clarke(1825-1881)
1882 Mary B. Pelton(-)

- Julia(1846-)
- Laura(1849-)
- Alice W.(1852-)
- Edwin(1856-)
- Nellie May(1860-1933)
  1880 Orrin Kinney(1853-1912)
- Minnis M.(1862-)
- Seenora(1867-)
- a child

John Russel Sisson was born May 22, 1815 in Wilbraham, Hampden County, MA. On February 1, 1843 in Louisa, IA, he married Lucy G. Clarke, daughter of A. and Laura ( ) Clarke. Lucy was born circa 1825 in Illinois. John and Lucy had eight children:

Julia was born circa 1846 in Ohio.
Laura was born circa 1849 in Iowa.
Alice W. was born circa 1852 in Iowa.
Edwin was born circa 1856 in Iowa.
Nellie May was born March 18, 1860 in Sprinville, LaCrosse County, WI. On April 21, 1880 in Brush Creek, Fairbault County, MN, she married Orrin Kinney, son of Sanford and Louisa Tabor (Mounton) Kinney. Orrin was born August 14, 1853 in Patten, Canada. Nellie and Orrin had four children: George Vernon, April 19, 1881 to October 1, 1955, married Ethel Helen Nichols; Oren Leslie "Jack", March 12, 1883 in Minnesota to January 2, 1928 in Montana, married Rose Cutress [these are the grandparents of Kathryn (Kinney) Lowe]; Howard Elmer, July 22, 1887 in Minnesota to July, 1943, married Anna Johnson; and Harold Russel, August 11, 1895 in Minnesota, to March 25, 1941 married Ada Dorothea Olson. Orrin died March 12, 1912; Nellie died March 22, 1933 in Red Wing, Goodhue County, MN.
Minnis M. was born about 1862 in Wisconsin.
Seenora was born about 1867 in Minnesota.
An unnamed child died an infant.

Lucy died in 1881. John married second Mary B. Pelton in 1882. John died in 1896.

References: Marriage certificate; Death certificates; (518); (519).

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Francis O. [8]

Richard [1], George [2], Thomas [3], William [4], Nathan [5], Augustus [6], Telotes [7] page 322

Francis O.(1820-) + Lilphia L. Raice(-) — Eliza(-); Grandville(-)

Francis O. Sisson was born May 11, 1820. He married Lilphia Lyman Raice of Sauk County, WI. They lived in Prairie, Du Sac County, and West Point, WI. Francis may have joined Wisconsin Volunteers from Wyota, September 4, 1861 to June 6, 1865. Francis and Lilphia probably had two children, both born in West Point:
Eliza was born about 1843.
Grandville was born about 1845.

Reference: (520) 1850.

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Frederick A. [8]

Richard [1], George [2], Thomas [3], William [4], Nathan [5], Augustus [6], Telotes [7] page 322

Frederick A.(1831-) 1856 Eliz. Lyman(-) — May F.(-); 1886 Chas S Albertsn(-); Frederick(1869-); Minnie E.(1875-)

Frederick A. Sisson was born April 6, 1831. In 1856 he married Elizabeth Lyman. Elizabeth was born about 1839 in Canada. The family lived in Medina (or Modena), WI. Frederick and Elizabeth had three children, all born in Medina:

May F. was born about 1865. On February 3, 1886 she married Charles S. Albertson.

Frederick was born in December, 1869.

Minnie E. was born in 1875.

References: (35); (521); (522).

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William Henry [8]

Richard [1], George [2], Thomas [3], William [4], Nathan [5], Nathan, Jr. [6], Gardiner [7] page 324

William Henry(1850-1881) ⟩ 1872 Delia Thurston(-) ⟩—⟨ William H Gardiner(1879-) ⟨ 1903 Johanna Nagel(1884-)

William Henry Sisson was born September 4, 1850 in Massachusetts. On August 17, 1872 in Janesville, Rock County, WI, he married Delia Thurston. Delia was born in Michigan. William and Delia had a son:

William Henry Gardiner, born in 1879 is discussed on page 656.

The family was living in LaCrosse, WI, in 1880. William died September 4, 1881 and is buried in Hope, ID. Delia is buried in LaCrosse.

Reference: Family data from daughter-in-law Johanna (Nagel) Sisson.

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Elias Hewett [8]

Richard [1], George [2], Thomas [3], William [4], William, Jr. [5], Gilbert [6], Charles Grandison [7] page 327

Elias Hewett(-) ⟩ Adelia S. Cox(-) ⟩—⟨ Elias(-) ⟨ Charles Hewett(-)

Elias Hewett Sisson was born about 1845. He married Adelia "Delia" S. Cox (or Coy). Elias and Adelia had two sons:

Elias was born about 1868.

Charles Hewett was born about 1870 and lived in Tenafly, NJ.

We have no additional references.

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Charles Franklin [8]

Richard [1], George [2], Thomas [3], William [4], William, Jr. [5], Gilbert [6], Benjamin Franklin [7] page 328

Charles Franklin(1846-) ⟩ Annie Cary(-) ⟩—< Charles F., Jr.(1877-)

Charles Franklin Sisson was born July 24, 1846. In 1850 his family was living in Chenango, Broome County, NY. He married Annie Cary. Charles and Annie had a son:

Charles Franklin, Jr. was born February 18, 1877 in Binghamton, NY. He has been reported as having two sons: Edward Carlton and William Worth [these are the names of his uncles].

We have no additional references.

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Jedediah [8]

Richard [1], George [2], Thomas [3], William [4], Benejah [5], Jedediah [6], Andes [7] page 329

Jedediah(1821-) \
Mary A. Atwood(-) /---{ Flora Odell(1848-)
1874 | Tillotson(-)

Jedediah Sisson was born January 3, 1821. He married Mary Ann Atwood. Jedediah and Mary had a daughter:

Flora Odell was born April 13, 1848. On November 13, 1874 she married Mr. Tillotson. They had a daughter: Eva, June 9, 1879.

We have no additional references.

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James Harvey [8]

Richard [1], George [2], Thomas [3], William [4], Benejah [5], Jedediah [6], Herman [7] page 330

James Harvey(1819-1902) \
1836 | Lmtta VnVorhs(1820-1906) /---{
- William Marsh(1837-1913)
- 1859 | Ellen Burgess(1839-1894)
- 1894 | Nettie Hosmer(-)
- Lucy Ann(1839-)
- 1857 | Robert A Pough(-)
- Henry Howard(1841-1892)
- Florence Augusta(1843-)
- | Burgess(-)
- Ellen Selina(1846-1941)
- | Norman Sumner(-)
- 1881 | Sylvestr Dolttl(-)
- Mary Elizabeth(1850-1931)
- 1866 | William Meach(-)
- Frances Josephine(1859-1898)
- | DeWitt Ludngtn(-)
- Fred Martel(1863-1938)
- 1881 | Clara E. Deal(1860-1934)

James Harvey Sisson was born November 28, 1819 in Lowell, Middlesex County, MA. His mother died in childbirth and he was raised by his grandparents. He is probably the James Harvey who

homesteaded in what is now downtown Cleveland. The family was living in Cuyahaga County, OH, in 1850. On December 7, 1836 James married Lametta Van Voorhees, daughter of Abraham and Eleanor (Thorp) Van Voorhees. Lametta was born November 9, 1820 in Euclid, Cuyahaga County, OH. James and Lametta had eight children, the first seven in Springfield, OH, the last in Fon Du Lac, Dodge County, WI:

William Marsh, born October 24, 1837 is discussed on page 657.

Lucy Ann was born November 16, 1839. On April 8, 1857 she married Robert A. Pough. He was a business manager for Spreckles Sugar. Lucy crossed the isthmus of Panama before the canal was dug. Lucy and Robert had a son who took over his father's job.

Henry Howard was born September 4, 1841, and died August 7, 1892.

Florence Augusta was born July 16, 1843. She married Mr. Burgess.

Ellen Selina "Lena" was born November 14, 1846. She married first Norman Sumner. Ellen and Norman had a child: Lee. Ellen married second in 1881 Sylvester Doolittle. Ellen and Sylvester had a son: "Cordy" L. Ellen died September 4, 1941.

Mary Elizabeth was born March 24, 1850. On September 9, 1866 she married William Meach. Mary died October 31, 1931.

Frances "Frankie" Josephine was born November 16, 1859. She married DeWitt Ludington. Frances died June 4, 1898.

Fred Martel, born April 4, 1863 is discussed on page 658.

James died February 10, 1902; Lametta died March 12, 1906. Both died in Tacoma, Pierce County, WA.

References: Data given to Viviam Sumner Nogle; Records of C.L. Doolittle; Records of Ralph Sisson; (523).

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Edwin Reed [8]

Richard [1], George [2], Thomas [3], William [4], Benejah [5], Jedediah [6], John [7] page 330

Edwin Reed(1833-1896)) (Harvey Albert(1865-)
1864 Sarah M Russell(1842-1896)) (Anna Willams(-)

Edwin Reed Sisson was born January 13, 1833 in Pittsfield, Berksshire County, MA. On February 3, 1864 he married Sarah Maria Russell, daughter of Harvey and Lucy Maria (Tucker) Russell. Sarah was born June 10, 1842 in Pittsfield. Edwin and Sarah had a son:

Harvey Albert was born April 14, 1865. He married Anna Williams. Harvey and Anna had a daughter: Lucy Leoraine was born April 3, 1893.

Both Edwin and Sarah died February 2, 1896.

Reference: (524) p.27.

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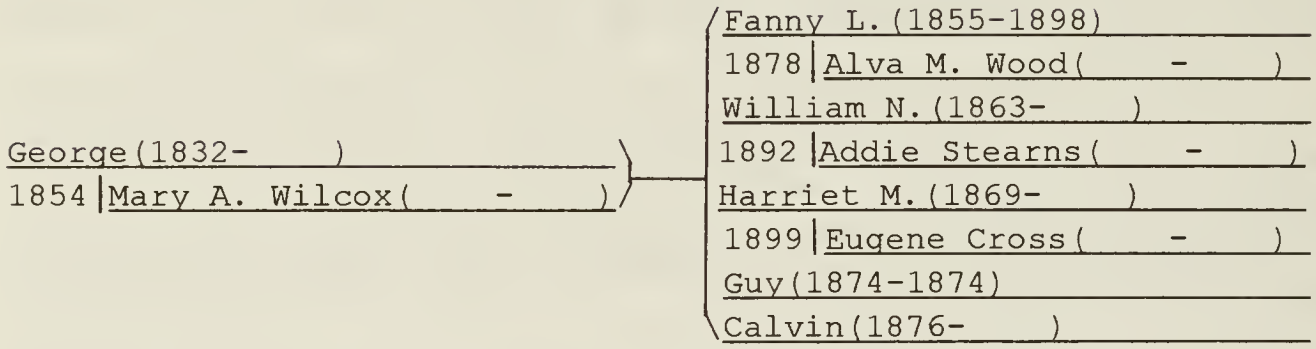
George [8]

Richard [1], George [2], Thomas [3], William [4], Benejah [5], Jedediah [6], William [7] page 331



George Sisson was born March 28, 1832. On April 20, 1854 he married Mary Ann Wilcox. George and Mary had five children:

Fanny L. was born October 15, 1855. On January 1, 1878/9 she married Alva M. Wood. Fanny and Alva had four children. Fanny died November 25, 1898.

William N. was born August 21, 1863. On October 3, 1892 he married Addie Stearns. William and Addie had two daughters: Clara L. was born April 14, 1893; and Helen M. was born June 19, 1896.

Harriet M. was born January 8, 1869. On November 24, 1899 she married Eugene Cross.

Guy was born February 24 and died September 11, 1874.

Calvin was born August 1, 1876. He was not married.

We have no additional references.

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Henry Dwight [8]

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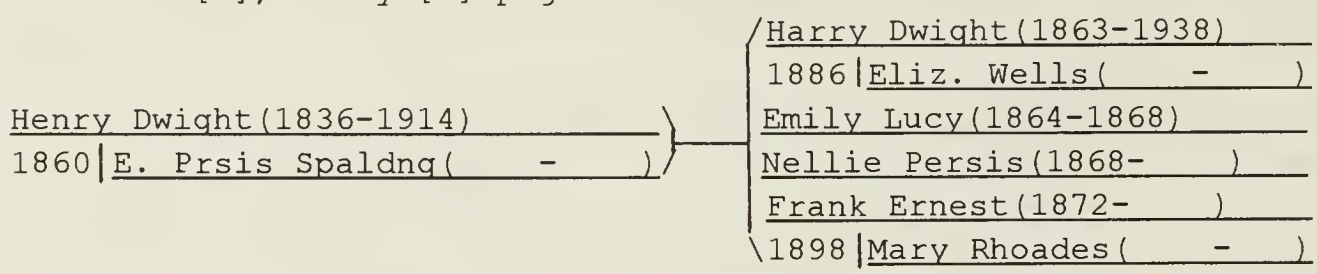

Henry Dwight Sisson was born December 8, 1836. He was a Captain in the 49th MA; member of the Massachusetts Legislature, 1871-1895; town clerk; New Marlboro County commissioner; and lumber dealer. On May 1, 1860 he married E. Persis Spaulding. Dwight and Persis had four children:

Harry Dwight, born January 9, 1863 is discussed on page 659.

Emily Lucy was born August 27, 1864 and died January 12, 1868.

Nellie Persis was born June 22, 1868.

Frank Ernest, born June 14, 1872 is discussed on page 660.

Henry died in 1914.

Reference: (398).

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William M. [8]

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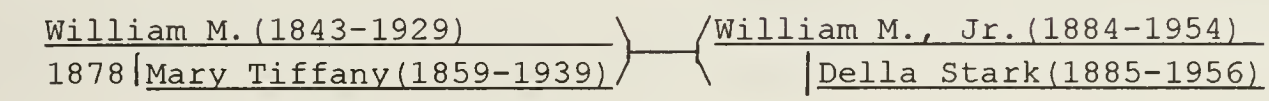

William M. Sisson was born December 29, 1843. On November 28, 1878 he married Mary Tiffany. Mary was born in 1859. William and Mary had a son:

William M., Jr., born February 15, 1884 is discussed on page 661.

William died April 23, 1929 in East Haddam, CT. Mary died in 1939.

References: (39) Vol. 2, pp.252-8; (412); (525) Vol. 3, p.224?

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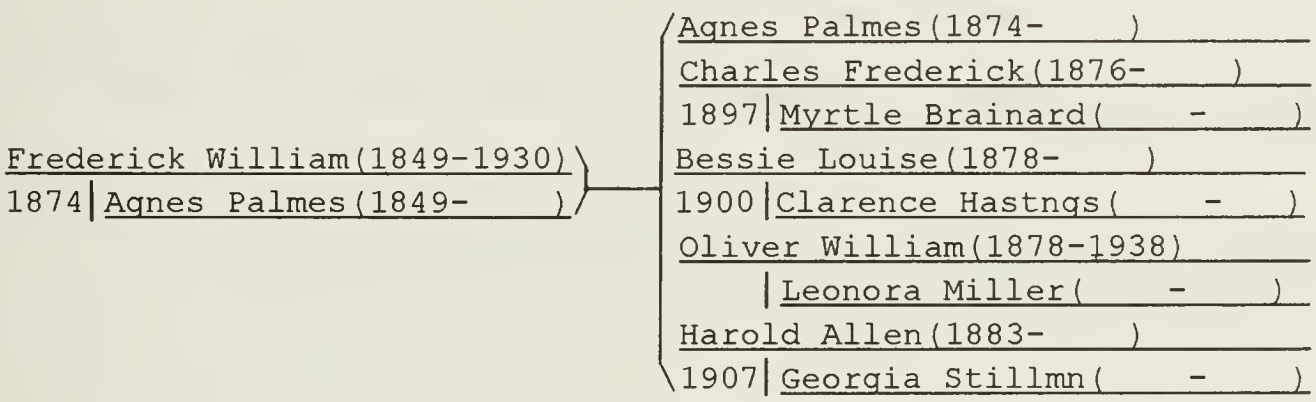
Frederick William [8]

Richard [1], George [2], Thomas [3], William [4], Jonathan [5], Jonathan, Jr. [6], Charles Frederick [7] page 332



Frederick William Sisson was born November 26, 1849 in East Haddam, CT. He worked in the Bi(e)tt Factory in Essex. He was Republican and Baptist. On April 26, 1874 in Moodus he married Agnes Grimes Palmes, daughter of Oliver and Eliza Jane (Clark) Palmes. [Palmes is a prominent English family dating to Manfred Palmes in 1226.] Agnes was born October 7, 1849 in East Haddam. They lived at the family homestead "The Hemlocks" in Moodus. Frederick and Agnes had five children:

Agnes Palmes was born November 16, 1874.

Charles Frederick was born October 29, 1876. On April 7, 1897 he married Myrtle Brainard. Charles and Myrtle had a daughter: Hazel E. was born about 1898.

Bessie Louise was born September 7, 1878. She married Clarence Sheldon Hastings in 1900.

Oliver William, born September 7, 1878, a twin to Bessie is discussed on page 661.

Harold Allen, born July 15, 1883 is discussed on page 661.

Frederick died November 6, 1930 in Moodus.

References: (39) Vol. 2, pp.252-8; (129) Vol. XXXIII; (402) 1880.

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Frederick Henry [8]

Richard [1], George [2], Thomas [3], William [4], Thomas [5], Daniel Lee [6], Albert Lee [7] page 336

Frederick Henry (1859-)
1894 | Helen C. Howard (1859-)

- Helen Ruth (1895-)
- Edna (1897-)

Frederick Henry Sisson was born November 26, 1859 in Hartford, CT? He was a commercial man (165 Duane Street, New York). On July 1, 1894 he married Helen Catherine Howard of Bridgehampton, Long Island, NY. Helen was born October 5, 1859. The family lived in Brooklyn. Frederick and Helen had two daughters in Brooklyn:

Helen Ruth was born October 31, 1895.

Edna was born July 28, 1897.

We have no additional references.

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William S. [8]

Richard [1], George [2], Thomas [3], Thomas Freeman [4], John [5], Sion [6], John [7] page 338

William S. (1819-1888)
1839 | Maria Burdck (1817-1856)
| Kate () Snow(-)

- George B. (1841-1844)
- John Edward (1843-1893)
- William B. (1844-1902)
  1866 | Henrietta Hldrdg (1845-)
- Daniel B. (1847-1849)

William S. Sisson was born in 1819, probably in Stonington, CT. He was an officer in the "Dorr War". On December 17, 1839 in Westerly, RI, he married Maria A. Burdick. They were married by Elder Daniel Coon. Maria was born September 11, 1817. William and Maria had four sons:

George B. was born circa 1841. He died June 3, 1844 age 3.

John Edward was born April 29, 1843 in Westerly. He died in 1893 in New Haven, CT, with no issue.

William B., born August 13, 1844 is discussed on page 662.

Daniel B. was born circa 1847. He died August 3, 1849 age 2.

Maria died December 27, 1856. William married second Kate Snow, a widow? of Worcester & Askland [?]. William died August 3, 1888.

References: (7) 5:60; (14) Vol. 9, p.221.

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John Hazard [8]

Richard [1], George [2], Thomas [3], Thomas Freeman [4], John [5], Sion [6], John [7] page 338

John Hazard(1824-1913)
1841 | Lucy H. Babcock(1822-)
- Lucy A.(1850-)
- Frances Ellen(1852-1854)
- Sarah F.(1854-)

John Hazard Sisson was born March 27, 1824 in Rhode Island. On December 26, 1841 he married Lucy H. Babcock, daughter of Mulford and Nancy (Minor) Babcock. Lucy was born in 1822. She joined the First Baptist Church Westerly May 14, 1836. John joined August 4, 1838. Lucy was "dismissed" August 25, 1858. John was "excluded" July 20, 1871. John and Lucy had three daughters:

Lucy A. was born December 20, 1850.

Frances Ellen was born July 15, 1852 and died August 20, 1854.

Sarah F. was born November 20, 1854.

John died March 21, 1913 in North Kingston.

References: (7) 11:232; (14) Vol. 9, p.221.

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Alonzo C. [8]

Richard [1], George [2], Thomas [3], Thomas Freeman [4], John [5], Sion [6], George [7] page 339

Alonzo C.(1826-1885)
| Patience Alln(1825-1905)
- Harriet E.(1849-)
  | James W. Hoard(-)
- I. Almira(1851-)
- Charles C.(1853-)
- Alice(1854-)
  1873 | Milo B. Greene(-)
- Nettie(1859-)

Alonzo C. Sisson was born circa 1826 in Rhode Island. He was a carpenter. He married Patience Allen, daughter of George Allen. Patience was born circa 1825 in New York. Alonzo and Patience had five children, all born in Alfred, Allegany County, NY:

Harriet E. was born circa 1849. She married James W. Hoard, son of James C. and Eliza A. (Walker) Hoard. James is the brother to Rachel, who married John F. Sisson, Alonzo's brother below. He served in Co. I, 189th Reg. NY Volunteers, 1864-1865. He owned a stage line and livery stable in Alfred. Harriet and James had two children: Fred S; and A. Maude, who died before 1895.

I. Almira was born circa 1851.

Charles C. was born circa 1853.

Alice was born circa 1854. On January 1, 1873 in Alfred, she married Milo B. Greene.

Nettie was born in 1859.

Alonzo died August 29, 1885; Patience died in 1905.

References: (263) pp.650-1; (526) 1850 & 1855.

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Joseph M. [8]

Richard [1], George [2], Thomas [3], Thomas Freeman [4], John [5], Sion [6], George [7] page 339

Joseph M.(1830-1873)
1852 Mary J Allen(1835-1910)

- Elmer E.(1853-1904)
  1882 Addie B Thurstn(1860-)
- Ella O.(1855-)
- Cora Belle(1860-)
- Cola Leon(1862-1924)
  1885 Alice M. Brown(1864-1955)

Joseph M. Sisson was born circa 1830 in Alfred, Allegany County, NY. In 1852 he married Mary Jane Allen. Mary was born circa 1835 in Alfred. Joseph and Mary had four children, all born in Alfred:

Elmer E., born circa 1853 is discussed on page 663.
Ella O. was born in 1855.
Cora Belle was born circa 1860.
Cola Leon, born July 30, 1862 is discussed on page 663.

Joseph died in August, 1873 in Almond, Allegany County, NY. Mary died June 18, 1910.

References: Hagadorn House at Almond, NY. [?]; (263) p.576; (526) 1855.

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John F. [8]

Richard [1], George [2], Thomas [3], Thomas Freeman [4], John [5], Sion [6], George [7] page 339

John F.(1834-1909)
1865 Rachel Hoard(-)

- Ira F.(1865-1940)
  Mae Osborn(1869-1950)
- J. Leon(-)
  Ella Potter(-)
- Leora E.(-)
  Ezra P Hamilton(-)
- Elnora H.(-)
- H. Lena(-)

John F. Sisson was born in 1834 in New York. In 1865 he married Rachel Hoard, daughter of James C. and Eliza A. (Walker) Hoard of Alfred, Allegany County, NY. Rachel is the sister of James who married Harriet Sisson, daughter of Alonzo above. John and Rachel had five children, all born in Alfred:

Ira F. was born September 26, 1865. He married Mae Osborn, daughter of George J. and Marcia M. (Hincher) Osborn. Mae was born

December 28, 1869. Ira died October 31, 1940; Mae died December 14, 1950.

J. Leon was born about 1867. He married Ella Potter; she was also born in Alfred.

Leora E. was born about 1869. She married Ezra P. Hamilton. Ezra was born in Alfred and married first Ella Potter [same as above?].

Elnora H. was born about 1872.

H. Lena was born about 1875.

John died April 14, 1909.

Reference: (263) pp.576, 651.

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Rodman Place [8]

Richard [1], George [2], Thomas [3], Thomas Freeman [4], John [5], Sion [6], Asa [7] page 340

Rodman Place(1837-)
Carrie Trwlligr(-)
Charles W.(-)
Nellie G.(-)
N Frank Allen(-)

Rodman Place Sisson was born June 30, 1837 in NY. He married Carrie Terwilliger, daughter of Cyrus Terwilliger. The family lived in Almond, Allegany County, NY. Rodman and Carrie had two children, both born in New York:

Charles W. was born about 1860.

Nellie G. was born about 1863. She married N. Frank Allen.

Rodman and son-in-law N. Frank Allen were in the clothing business at 120 Main Street Hornellsville, now Hornell, Steuben County, NY.

References: (263) p.568; (526) 1850; (527) p.236.

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Jacob Alonzo [8]

Richard [1], George [2], Thomas [3], Peleg [4], Peleg, Jr. [5], Timothy [6], Timothy, Jr. [7] page 341

Jacob Alonzo(1832-1899)
1852 Mary A Norton(1837-1906)
Alice(1854-)
Clements(-)
Franklin(1856-1908)
Flora Wilbur(1861-1932)
John Henry(1869-1922)
1887 Grace Lincoln(1872-1922)

Jacob Alonzo Sisson was born in 1832 in South Glens Falls, NY. He was a carpenter and farmer. On December 28, 1852 in Chestertown, NY, he married Mary A. Norton, daughter of Myron Norton. Mary was born January 27, 1837 in North Creek, NY. At some time the family

lived in Morgan, Saratoga County, NY. Jacob and Mary had three children, all born in New York:

Alice was born in 1854. She married Mr. Clements.

Franklin was born in 1856. He married Flora Wilbur who was born in 1861. Franklin died in 1908, Flora died in 1932; both are buried in West Glens Falls Cemetery.

John Henry, born July 22, 1869 in Moreau is discussed on page 664.

Jacob died April 2, 1899. Mary died December 11, 1906. Both died in West Glens Falls and are buried in the cemetery there.

Reference: (35).

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Benjamin Franklin [8]

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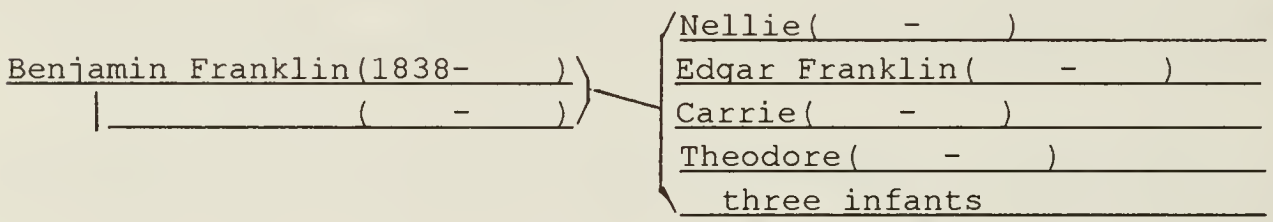

Benjamin Franklin Sisson was born circa 1838 in Saratoga County, NY. He was a machinist and farmer. We have no record of his wife's name, but a Benjamin and Julia F. Sisson sold land in Saratoga County in 1871. Benjamin was living in South Glens Falls in that year. Benjamin and his wife had seven children:

Nellie may have been born about 1870.

Edgar Franklin may have been born about 1872.

Carrie may have been born about 1874.

Theodore may have been born about 1876.

There were also three children who died as infants.

References: (35); (407) 1850.

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Edgar P. [8]

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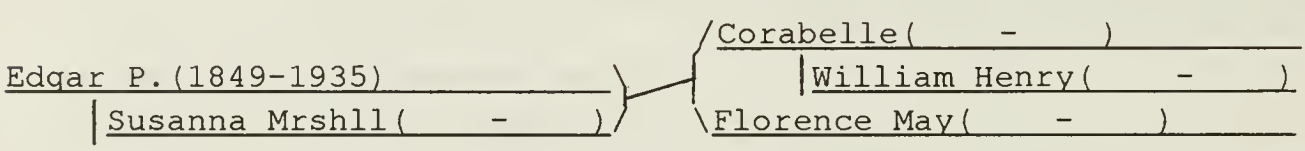

Edgar P. Sisson was born in February, 1849 in South Glens Falls, Warren County, NY. He was later known as "Edward P." Edgar married Susanna Marshall. Edgar and Susanna had two daughters:

Corabelle was born about 1875. She married William Jacob Henry. Corabelle and William had a son: William Earl, who married Eleanor Rita Regnor. [These are the parents of Lois (Henry) Carey.]

Florence May was born about 1875. She had no children.

Edgar died in Ft. Edward, NY, in 1935.

References: (407) 1850; (528).

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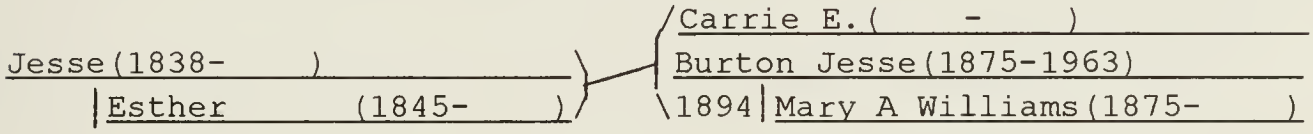
Jesse [8]

Richard [1], George [2], Thomas [3], Peleg [4], Peleg, Jr. [5], Timothy [6], Alonzo [7] page 341



Jesse Sisson was born in 1838 in New York. He married Esther ( ). Esther was born in 1845 in New York. Jesse and Esther had two children:

Carrie E. was born about 1873.

Burton Jesse, born June 25, 1875 is discussed on page 664.

References: Family records of Ernest Overton, g.grandson of Burton Jesse; (529) 1870.

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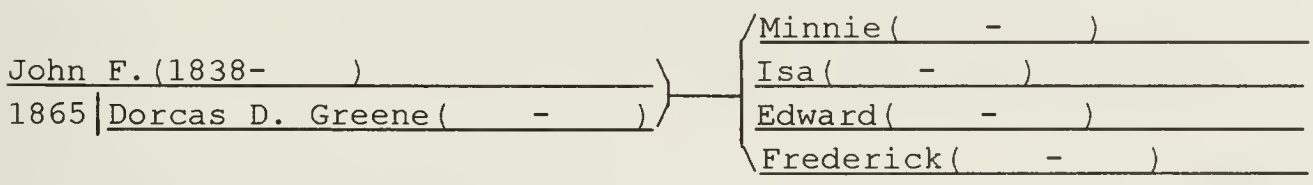
John F. [8]

Richard [1], George [2], Thomas [3], Peleg [4], Peleg, Jr. [5], Joshua [6], Joshua Franklin [7] page 342



John F. Sisson was born in 1838 in Westerly, RI. On December 23, 1865 in East Greenwich he married Dorcas Diana Greene. John and Dorcas had four children:

Minnie was born about 1850.

Isa was born about 1852.

Edward was born about 1854.

Frederick was born about 1856.

We have no additional references.

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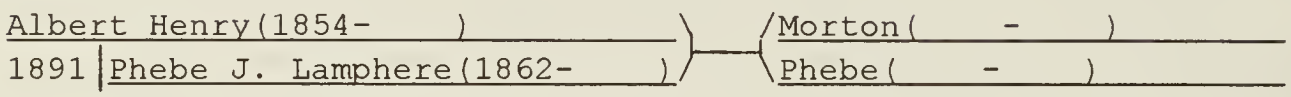
Albert Henry [8]

Richard [1], George [2], Thomas [3], Peleg [4], Peleg, Jr. [5], Joshua [6], Joshua Franklin [7] page 342



Albert Henry Sisson was born in 1854 in Stonington, CT. He was a crossing tender at West Kingston, RI. On November 2, 1891 in East Greenwich he married Phebe J. Lamphere. They were married in the Methodist Episcopal Church by Rev. J. E. Hawkins. Phebe was born in 1862 in North Stonington. Albert and Phebe had two children:

Morton was born about 1894.
Phebe was born about 1896.

Reference: (7) 11:475.

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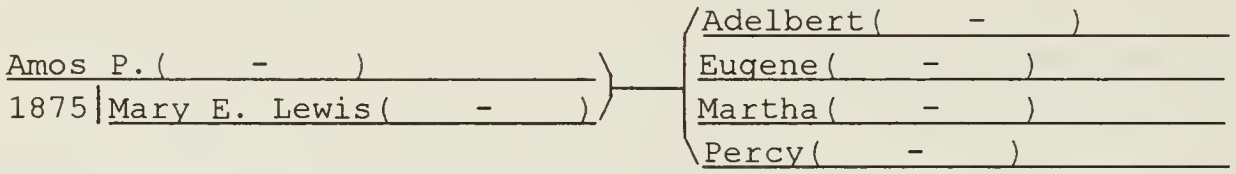
Amos P. [8]

Richard [1], George [2], Thomas [3], Peleg [4], Peleg, Jr. [5], Joshua [6], Albert [7] page 343



Amos P. Sisson was born about 1850. On September 11, 1875 in Westerly, RI, he married Mary E. Lewis. They were married in Grace Church there. Amos and Mary had four children:

Adelbert was born about 1876.
Eugene was born about 1878.
Martha was born about 1880.
Percy was born about 1882.

Reference: (7) 11:172.

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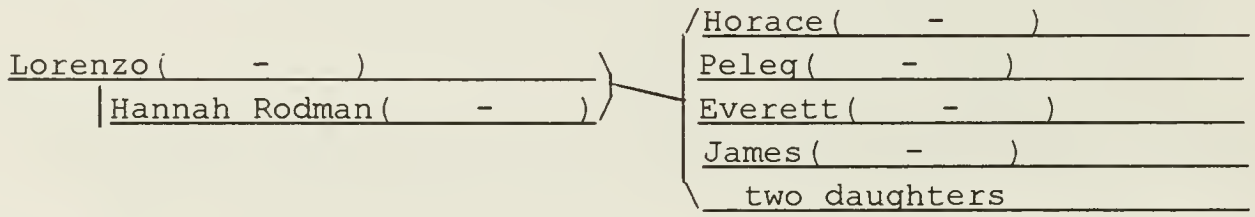
Lorenzo [8]

Richard [1], George [2], Thomas [3], Peleg [4], Peleg, Jr. [5], Joshua [6], Albert [7] page 343



Lorenzo Sisson was born about 1857. An earlier son by this name died young. Lorenzo married Hannah Rodman. Lorenzo and Hannah had six children:

Horace was born about 1880.
Peleg was born about 1882.
Everett was born about 1884.
James was born about 1886.
Two daughters died young.

We have no additional references.

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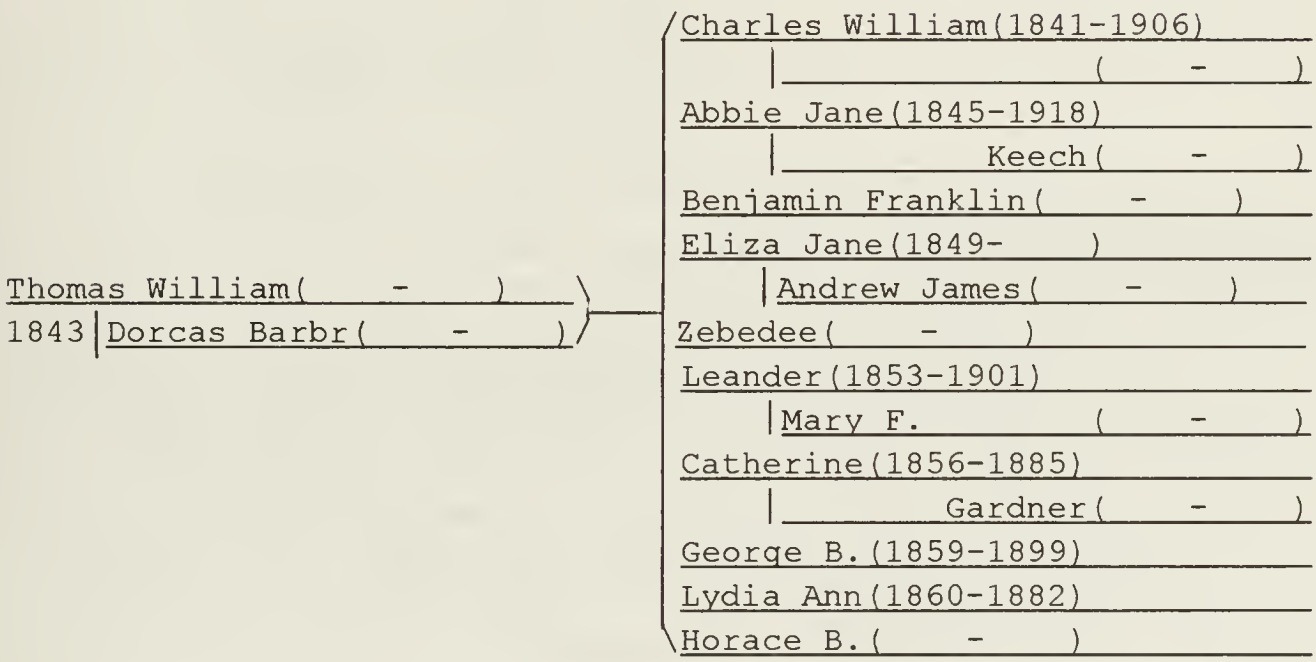
Thomas William [8]

Richard [1], George [2], Thomas [3], Peleg [4], Peleg, Jr. [5], Gilbert [6], Ichabod Babcock [7] page 344



Thomas William Sisson was born about 1822 in Westerly, RI. On December 3, 1843 in Westerly he married Dorcas Barber, daughter of Benjamin P. and Hannah (Merritt) Barber. They were married by Jedediah W. Knight, Justice. Thomas and Dorcas had ten children, all born in Westerly:

Charles William was born in 1841. He died married, November 14, 1906 in South Kingston.

Abbie Jane was born July 4, 1845. She married Mr. Keech. Abbie died a widow March 18, 1918 in East Greenwich.

Benjamin Franklin was born about 1848. He lived in Rhode Island and was not married.

Eliza Jane was born in 1849. She married Andrew James.

Zebedee was born about 1852 and died young in Rhode Island.

Leander was born July 2/7, 1853 in Westerly, RI. He married Mary F. ( ). Leander and Mary had a son: Leander, Jr., about 1880. Leander died married, December 27, 1901 in East Greenwich.

Catherine was born in 1856 (or 1852). She married Mr. Gardner. Catherine died married August 30, 1885 in East Greenwich.

George was born in 1859. He died unmarried February 3, 1899 in Hopkinton.

Lydia Ann (or E.) was born in 1860. She died unmarried September 25, 1882 in East Greenwich.

Horace B. was born about 1862.

References: (7) 5:60; (14) Vol. 2, p.148 & Vol. 9, p.219-22.

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George Maxon [8]

Richard [1], George [2], Thomas [3], Peleg [4], Peleg, Jr. [5], Gilbert [6], Ichabod Babcock [7] page 344

George Maxon(1823-1897)
1843 Susan Hall(1826-)

- George Henry(1845-1916)
  - Alice Holdridge(-)
- John William(1847-1918)
  - 1872 Anna Mria Smith(1854-1894)
  - 1898 Harriet E Childs(-)
- Frances(-)
- Elisha Frank(1849-1899)
  - 1892 Annie Nichols(1850-)
- Mary Frances(-)
  - 1870 Samuel Holdridg(-)
- Ezra Nelson(1855-1920)
  - 1899 Alvira ( ) Hill(-)
- Malvina M.(-)
  - Vn Rensalr Bakr(-)
- Horace Edward(1859-1916)
- Emma Jane(1861-)
  - James McArthur(-)
- Hezekiah(-)

George Maxson Sisson was born November 18, 1823 in Westerly, RI. On May 28, 1843 in Westerly he married Susan (or Susannah) Hall, daughter of Hezekiah and June (Smith) Hall. They were married by Jedediah W. Knight, Justice. Susan was born March 24, 1826. George and Susan had ten children, probably all born in Westerly:

George Henry was born January 2, 1845. He married Alice Holdridge. George died married December 8, 1916 in Westerly where he is buried.

John William, born July 27, 1847 is discussed on page 665.

Frances was born about 1849 and died young.

Elisha Frank was born in 1849. On March 12, 1892 he married Annie Nichols, daughter of William Smith and Mary (Royal) Nichols. They were married in Christ Church, Westerly. Annie was born in Connecticut circa 1850. Elisha died married December 9, 1899 in Westerly.

Mary Frances was born about 1853. On February 19, 1870 she married Samuel J. Holdridge.

Ezra Nelson was born in 1855. On August 23, 1899 he married Alvira C. Hill, a widow. He died married, September 22, 1920 in Westerly.

Malvina M. was born about 1857. She married Van Rensalaer Baker.

Horace Edward was born in June, 1859. He died unmarried October 28, 1916 in Westerly.

Emma Jane was born June 9, 1861. She was baptized in Christ Church, Westerly on March 4, 1883. She married James W. McArthur.

Hezekiah was born about 1863. He died an infant.

George died, a widower, April 29, 1897 in Westerly. He was buried May 2 in Christ Church, Westerly.

References: (7) 5:60 & 11:41, 81, 142; (14) Vol. 2, p.148 & Vol. 9, pp.220,1; (416).

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Benjamin Franklin [8]

Richard [1], George [2], Thomas [3], Peleg [4], Peleg, Jr. [5], Gilbert [6], Ichabod Babcock [7] page 344

Benjamin Franklin(1825-1910)
1850 Cynthia Culvr(1831-1876)
Rose Bradley(-)

Martha Jane(1851-1891)
1874 Amos Northup(1849-1887)
1891 Verano W. Hart(-)
Nathan Franklin(1852-)
1882 Jennie M Simms(-)
Harriet Annie(1856-1933)
1875 John P. Hall(1823-1896)
1897 Thomas Fisher(-)
1904 Jared Crandall(-)
James Burrill(1859-1931)
1900 Katherina Lamb(-)
Jessie (-)

Benjamin Franklin Sisson was born September 30, 1825 in Westerly, Washington County, RI. On June 2, 1850 he married Cynthia A. Culver, daughter of Andrew (or Abram) and Desire (Burdick) Culver of Stonington. They were married in Westerly by Rev. John Taylor. Cynthia was a sister to Eliza, wife of Ichabod below. Cynthia was born in 1831. Benjamin and Cynthia had four children, probably all born in Westerly:

Martha Jane was born April 2, 1851. On November 17, 1874 she married Amos G. Northup of Tolland, CT. Amos was born June 26, 1849. Martha and Amos had four children: Jesse, September 22, 1875; Louis, August 7, 1878; Albert, September 29, 1882; and Irving Randolph, April 4, 1885 to March 2, 1887. Amos died December 26, 1887/8 in Denver, CO. Martha married second February 10, 1891 Verano W. Hart. Martha died May 15, 1891.

Nathan Franklin, born October 5, 1852 is discussed on page 666.

Harriet Annie was born February 15, 1856. On February 1, 1875 she married (Capt.) John Pendelton Hall, son of Capt. Lyman and Abigail (Wilcox) Hall, as his second wife. John was born in 1823. Harriet and John had two children: Lyman, November 24, 1875, married Miss Gray; and William Percy, October 29, 1882. John died June 24,

1896. Harriet married second on October 25, 1897 Thomas Fisher. They were divorced November 24, 1902. Harriet married third January 5, 1904 Jared Jesse Crandall of Burdett, NY. Harriet died a widow September 5, 1933 in Westerly.

James Burrill was born December 25, 1859/60. On June 25, 1900 he married first Katherina A. Lamb, a widow. He married second Jessie ( ). James died a widower June 22, 1931 in Cranston.

Cynthia died March 17, 1876. On May 8, 1883 Benjamin married second Rose (Kenyon) Bradley, daughter of Benjamin and Hannah ( ) Kenyon. Benjamin died a widower July 2, 1910 in Westerly where he is buried.

References: (7) 5:60; (14) Vol. 9, pp.219-23.

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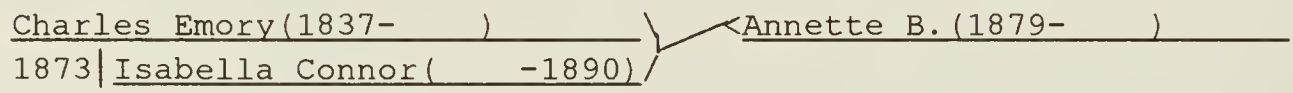
Charles Emory [8]

Richard [1], George [2], Thomas [3], Peleg [4], Peleg, Jr. [5], Gilbert [6], Ichabod Babcock [7] page 344



Charles Emory Sisson was born in 1837 in Westerly, RI. On February 6, 1873 he married Isabella Connor, daughter of Richard and Elizabeth ( ) Connor. She joined the First Baptist Church, Westerly March 31, 1866 by letter from Third Church, North Stonington. She transferred by letter to South Church, Hartford, March 24, 1882. Charles and Isabel had a daughter:

Annette B. was born April 8, 1879.

Isabel died in 1890.

References: (7) 11:232; (14) Vol. 9, p.219.

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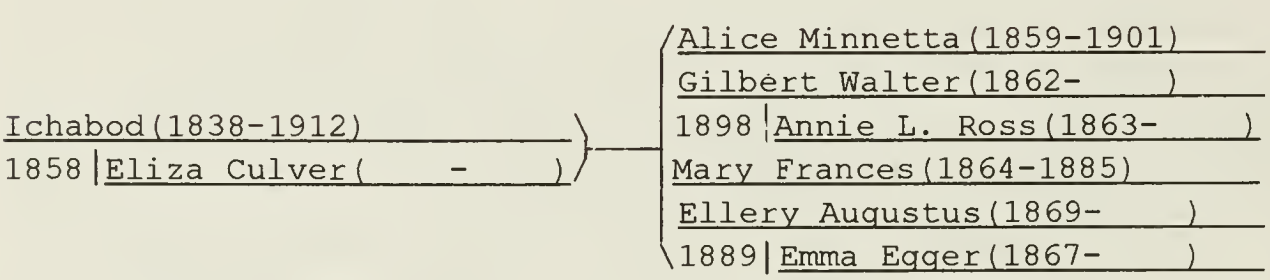
Ichabod [8]

Richard [1], George [2], Thomas [3], Peleg [4], Peleg, Jr. [5], Gilbert [6], Ichabod Babcock [7] page 344



Ichabod Sisson was born November 26, 1838 in Westerly, Washington County, RI. On September 7, 1858 in Stonington, CT, he married Eliza E. Culver, daughter of Andrew and Desire (Burdick) or Meribah ( ) Culver. Eliza was a sister of Cynthia A., wife of Benjamin above. Ichabod and Eliza had four children:

Alice Minnetta was born May 24, 1859 and died July 11, 1901.

Gilbert Walter was born January 13, 1862 in Westerly. On January 13, 1898 in Grace Church Westerly, he married Annie L. Ross, daughter of William D. and Frances A. (Hall) Ross. Annie was born March 23, 1863.

Mary Frances was born February 18, 1864 and died January 29, 1885.

Ellery Augustus, born June 7, 1869 is discussed on page 666.

Ichabod died married September 8, 1912 in Westerly where he is buried.

References: (7) 11:173; (14) Vol. 2, p.148 & Vol. 9, p.221.

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Francis Marshall [8]

Richard [1], George [2], Thomas [3], Peleg [4], Peleg, Jr. [5], Gilbert [6], John Bixby [7] page 346

Francis Marshall (1851-1895)
1875 | Ellen Mullen (-1895)

- James G. (1880-)
  - 1907 | Mary H. Stevens (1885-)
- Isabella (-)
  - | Carl Clements (-)
- Ida (-)
  - | Louis Fisette (-)
- Nora (-)
  - | Leslie Mann (1879-1939)
  - | Harold V. Brown (-)
- John (-)
- Frank (-)

Francis "Frank" Marshall Sisson was born in 1851. On October 1, 1875 in Providence, RI, he married Ellen Mullen, daughter of Patrick and Mary ( ) Mullen. She was born in Ireland. Frank and Ellen had six children:

James G. was born in 1880 in North Stonington, CT. On July 29, 1907 in Boston, MA,he married Mary H. Stevens, daughter of Frank E. and Julia E. (Lucy) Stevens. Mary was born in 1885 in Woodstock, ME.

Isabella may have been born about 1882. She married Carl Clements.

Ida may have been born about 1885. She married Louis Fisette.

Nora may have been born about 1887. She married first on August 12, 1903/5 in Spencer, MA, Leslie Mann, son of Henry M. and Ella F. (Kendall) Mann. Leslie was born in 1879 and died February 24, 1939. Nora married second Harold V. Brown.

John may have been born about 1890.

Frank may have been born about 1892.

Both Frank and Ellen died in 1895 in North Stonington and are buried there. George A. Pendleton was appointed administrator of their estates on March 21, 1895.

References: (11) Vol. III, p.69; (410).

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Walter [8]

Richard [1], George [2], Thomas [3], Peleg [4], Peleg, Jr. [5], Lodowick [6], Peleg Ellory [7] page 347

Walter(-1928)
Clara Davis(-)

- Irene Mabel(1875-)
  - 1893 Eben Bracktt Jr(1875-)
- Ellen Florence(1880-)
  - 1902 Frank B. Farmer(1870-)
- Walter Herbert(1882-)
  - 1910 Annie L. Belyea(1885-)
- Ethel Chase(1882-)
  - 1915 Charles Bryant(1883-)

Walter Sisson was born about 1850. This is probably the Walter who was born in Boston or Charlestown, was a shoemaker and married Clara J. Davis. Walter and Clara had four children, all born in Lynn:

Irene Mabel was born April 6, 1875. On July 2, 1893 in Lynn she married Eben T. Brackett, Jr., son of Eben T. and Emily D. ( ) Brackett. Eben was 18 at the time, a clerk. Note: her name is given as Jennie M. in the marriage records.

Ellen Florence was born March 26, 1880. On August 3, 1902 in Lynn she married Frank B. Farmer, son of James A. and Annie R. (Magoon) Farmer. Frank was a saleman and 32 at the time, born in North Andover, MA.

Walter Herbert was born July 13, 1882. On June 14, 1910 in Coldstream, New Brunswick he married Annie L. Belyea, daughter of Nevers and Hannah L. (Everett) Belyea. Annie was 25 at the time, born in Coldstream.

Ethel Chase was born July 13, 1882, a twin to Walter. On June 30, 1915 in Lynn she married Charles E. Bryant, son of Henry and Sarah A. (Keith) Bryant. Charles was a carpenter and 32 at the time, born in Brooklyn, NY.

Walter died July 18, 1928.

References: (11) Vol. IV, pp.51-2; (288).

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William Alfred [8]

Richard [1], George [2], Thomas [3], Peleg [4], Peleg, Jr. [5], Peleg, III [6], Peleg Denison [7] page 348

William Alfred(1854-1922)
Sophia Kilkenny(-)

- Edgar William(1884-1945)
  - Lina Hoxie(-)

William Alfred Sisson was born in 1854. He married Sophia Kilkenny. William and Sophia had a son:

Edgar William, born February 17, 1884 is discussed on page 666.

William died November 27, 1922.

Reference: (412).

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Artemas F. [8]

Richard [1], George [2], Thomas [3], Peleg [4], Peleg, Jr. [5], Peleg, III [6], Dudley F. [7] page 348

Artemas F.(1854-1886) ⟩ <Charles W.(1882-1883)
Lucretia H. Quimby(1853-1889) ⟩

Artemas F. Sisson was born in June, 1854. He married Lucretia H. Quimby. Lucretia was born in 1853. A Lucy H. Sisson joined the First Baptist Church, Westerly May 4, 1877 by letter from Palermo, NY. Artemas and Lucretia had a son:

Charles W. was born April 15, 1882 and died May 5, 1883.

Artemas joined the Pawcatuck Congregational Church by profession of faith July 2, 1871. He died October 23, 1886; Lucretia died September 18, 1889; [both?] buried in River Bend Cemetery Westerly, Washington County, RI.

References: (7) 11:232, 367.

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Frank Albert [8]

Richard [1], George [2], John [3], Constant [4], Gideon [5], Leonard [6], Dyer P. [7] page 350

Frank Albert(1861-1936) ⟩ ⟨Rose Hannah(1891-)
1890 Chloe Daisy Bennett(1871-1937) ⟩ Chloe Marian(1898-)
Myra Edith(1899-)

Frank Albert Sisson was born February 18, 1861. He was a merchant. On September 17, 1890 he married Chloe Daisy Bennett. Chloe was born September 4, 1871 in White Creek, Washington County, NY. Frank and Chloe had three daughters, all born in White Creek:

Rose Hannah was born June 22, 1891.
Chloe Marian was born August 23, 1898.
Myra Edith was born October 21, 1899.

Frank died in 1936; Chloe died in 1937; both are buried in the Rosewood Cemetery in White Creek.

Reference: (137) p.271.

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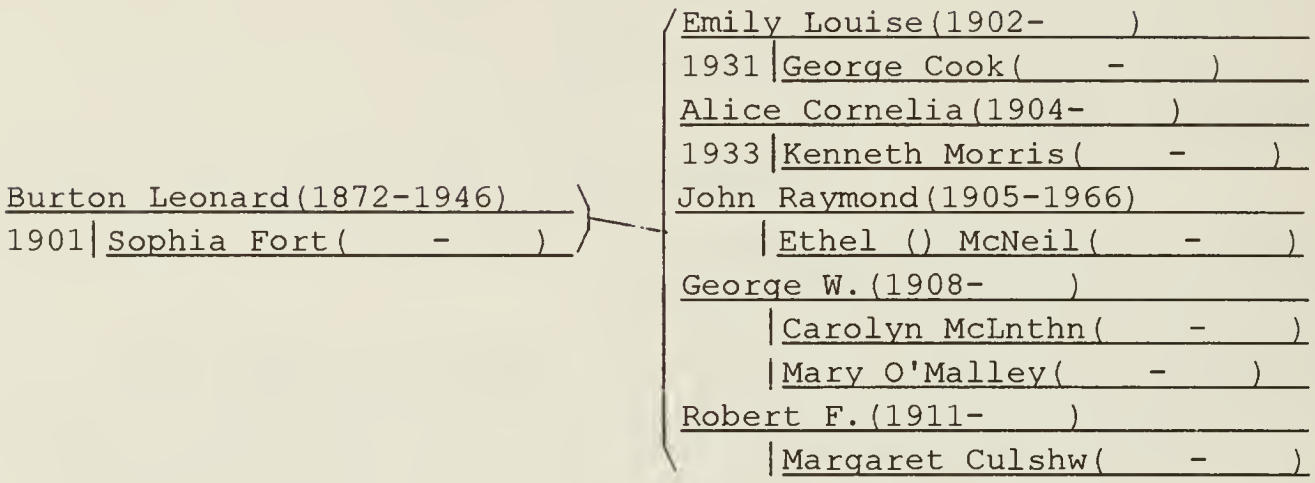
Burton Leonard [8]

Richard [1], George [2], John [3], Constant [4], Gideon [5], Leonard [6], William B. [7] page 351



Burton Leonard Sisson was born August 2, 1872. He was a farmer and schoolteacher. In December, 1901 he married Sophia "Fida" Fort, daughter of J. Warren Fort. Sophia was also a schoolteacher. Burton and Sophia had five children, all born in Easton, NY:

Emily Louise was born in October, 1902. In 1931 she married George Cook. She was a graduate dietician; he was an undertaker. They lived in Flushing, Long Island, NY. Emily and George had two children: George; and Alice.

Alice Cornelia was born in 1904. In 1933 she married Kenneth Morris. She was a graduate of Albany Teachers College; he was a water company executive. They lived in Sayville, Long Island, NY. Alice and Kenneth had two children: Peter; and Jeffery.

John Raymond, born in 1905 is discussed on page 667.

George W., born in 1908 is discussed on page 667.

Robert F. was born in 1911. He was a college graduate. In New Zealand he married Margaret Culshaw. Robert and Margaret had four children: Michael, 1941; Elizabeth Ann, 1943; Margaret Lynn, 1944; and Jenefer Jane, 1946.

Burton died in 1946.

Reference: Family Records, I.V.H., Gill.

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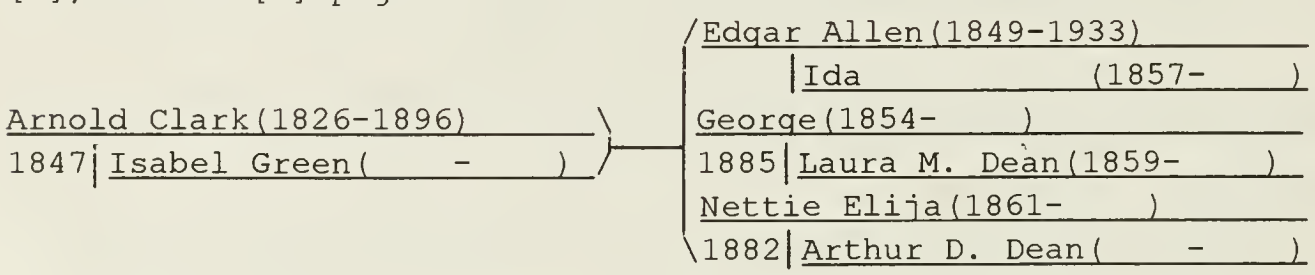
Arnold Clark [8]

Richard [1], George [2], James [3], Barnet [4], Rodman [5], George [6], Rodman [7] page 355



Arnold Clark Sisson was born October 8, 1826 in Hampton, CT. At Battey Town (later Abington) his teacher was his sister Esther. He was a farmer, a member of the Pennsylvania State Board of Agriculture, and member of the First Baptist Church in Factoryville, PA. On November 25, 1847 he married Isabel Capwell Green, daughter of William Green, son of Benjamin Green. Arnold and Isabel had three children:

Edgar Allen, born October 27, 1849 is discussed on page 668.

George, born February 1, 1854 is discussed on page 668.

Nettie Elija (or Eliza) was born May 27, 1861. On May 11, 1882 she married Arthur D. Dean. Arthur was a lawyer in Scranton, PA. Nettie and Arthur had four children: Carol Sisson, March 26, 1883; Russell Hermans, May 19, 1885; James Davis, July 22, 1887; and Miriam Isabel, October 1, 1893.

Arnold died February 10, 1896 in Abington.

Reference: (6) p.9.

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Clark [8]

Richard [1], George [2], James [3], Barnet [4], Rodman [5], Barnet [6], John S. [7] page 357

Clark(1858-1904) — 1880 Sarah Anna Brown(-)

- Neva Maud(1881-)
- Cora Edna(1885-)
- Mildred Anita(1896-)

Clark Sisson was born March 11, 1858 in Exeter, RI. He was a market man. In 1880 he married Sarah Anna Brown, daughter of Joseph H. and Elizabeth Potter (Bates) Brown. Clark and Sarah had three daughters:

Neva Maud was born in 1881.

Cora Edna was born in 1885.

Mildred Anita was born in 1896.

Clark died June 2, 1904 (OR September 27, 1940, married), in Washington City or Cranston, RI.

Reference: (14) Vol. 9, p.220.

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Rufus [8]

Richard [1], George [2], James [3], Joseph [4], John [5], John, Jr. [6], Bennett [7] page 359

Rufus(1823-) — Rubina (-)

- Silas(-)
- Alvah(1870-)
- Willie(1875-)

Rufus Sisson was born June 15, 1823 in New York. He married Rubina ( ). Rufus and Rubina had three sons:

Silas was born about 1868. He lived in Sheboygan County, WI, in 1880.

Alvah was born circa 1870. He was living in Sheboygan County in 1880.

Willie E. was born circa 1875. He was also in Sheboygan County in 1880. He was a fireman, living with Rubina L., widow of Rufus Sisson, in 1906.

Rufus was listed as age 58 in the Lima Twp, 1880 census. [There was also a Rufus listed in Warren County, IL, age 56, in 1880.]

References: Everett, WA, City Directory, 1906; (531) 1880.

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David Wing [8]

Richard [1], George [2], James [3], Joseph [4], John [5], John, Jr. [6], Bennett [7] page 359

David Wing (1824-1885) — 1849 — Eliza Douglss (1831-1914)
Ezra Bennett (-) — 1885 — Anna Kallenberg (-)

David Wing Sisson was born October 23, 1824 in Albany, Albany County, NY. On October 31, 1849 in Pennfield, NY, he married Eliza Douglass, daughter of Ezra and Abiah (Lucas) Douglass. Eliza was born in 1831. David and Eliza had a son:

Ezra Bennett, born about 1855 is discussed on page 669.

David died April 27, 1885 in Sheboygan Falls, WI; Eliza died in 1914.

References: (27) Vol. 3, p.437; (50) p.1857; (532) 1850.

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James F. [8]

Richard [1], George [2], James [3], Joseph [4], John [5], John, Jr. [6], Bennett [7] page 359

James F. (1828-1900) — 1860 — Mary E. (-)
Lydia (-) — Dehave (-)

James F. Sisson was born January 1, 1828 in Albany, Albany County, NY. On December 13, 1860 he married Mary E ( ). He enlisted September 26, 1864 at Manitowoc, WI, in Co. K, 27th Wisconsin Infantry. He was discharged July 14, 1865. James and Mary had two children:

Lydia was born about 1862.

Dehave was born about 1864.

The family moved from Wisconsin to O'Brien County, IA, after 1865. They were living in O'Brien County in 1884. James died July 9, 1900 in Sanborn, IA. His body was moved to Reeding, MN, for burial.

Reference: (533).

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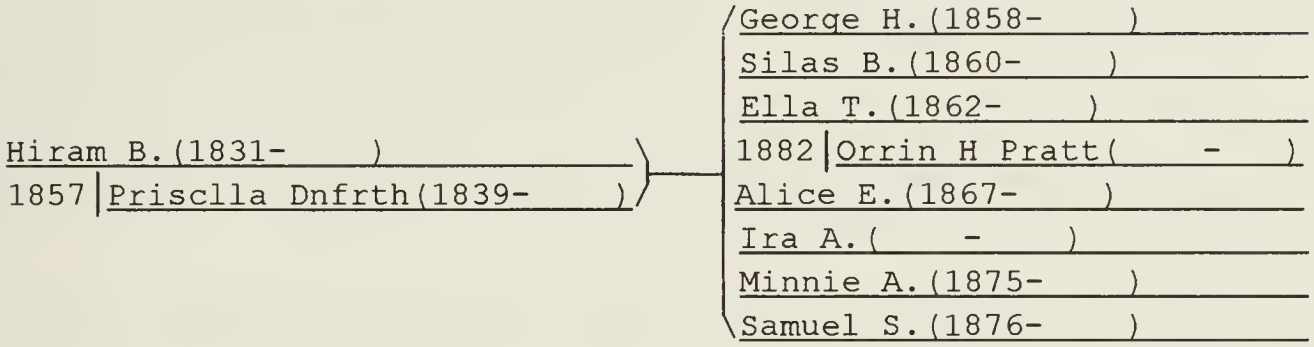
Hiram B. [8]

Richard [1], George [2], James [3], Joseph [4], John [5], John, Jr. [6], Bennett [7] page 359



Hiram B. Sisson was born September 12, 1831 in Broom, Albany County, NY. On November 4, 1857 he married Priscilla P. Danforth of Berkshire, Franklin County, VT. Priscilla was born May 10, 1839. The family lived in Meene, WI. Hiram may have joined the Wisconsin Volunteers from Two Rivers, WI, from September 26, 1864 to July 14, 1865. Hiram and Priscilla had seven children:

George H. was born March 10, 1858.

Silas B. was born September 30, 1860.

Ella T. was born June 21, 1862. On February 19, 1882 she married Orrin H. Pratt.

Alice E. was born June 18, 1867.

Ira A. was born about 1871.

Minnie A. was born June 24, 1875.

Samuel S. was born September 20, 1876.

We have no additional references.

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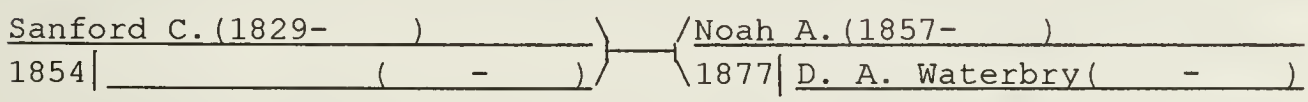
Sanford C. [8]

Richard [1], George [2], James [3], Joseph [4], John [5], John, Jr. [6], Easton [7] page 360



Sanford C. Sisson was born June 12, 1829 in New York. He was a student in Renssalaerville, Albany County, NY, in 1850. He married on January 5, 1854. We do not know his wife's name. She and Sanford had a son:

Noah A., born July 15, 1857 is discussed on page 669.

We have no additional references.

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Harvey [8]

Richard [1], George [2], James [3], Joseph [4], John [5], Job [6], Daniel [7] page 361

Harvey(-) ⎫ ⎧ Charles Harvey(1856-1930)
Lodenna (1816-1893) ⎭ ⎩ 1879 | Sarah Manasmith(1851-1925)

Harvey Sisson was born about 1820 in New York. He married Lodenna ( ). Lodenna was born April 15, 1816 in New York. Harvey and Lodenna had a son:

Charles Harvey, born March 28, 1856 in New York is discussed on page 669.

Lodenna died September 15, 1893 in Shellsburg, Benton County, IA, and is buried there. Harvey died in Benton County after 1900.

References: (418) 1840; (419); (534) 1900; (535) lists "Lydia".

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William Henry [8]

Richard [1], George [2], James [3], Joseph [4], Joseph, Jr. [5], Barnabas [6], Jabez [7] page 362

Charles Sumner(1857-1899)
1877 | Cornelia Lawton(1857-)
Alfred Greene(-)
William Henry(1832-) ⎫ ⎧ 1883 | Hannah C. Hall(-)
Abby Bennett(-) ⎭ ⎩ Henrietta(-)
Jennie(-)
Winfield Scott(-)
| Laura Peckham(-)

William Henry Sisson was born January 8, 1832 in Portsmouth, RI. He was a farmer and married Abby Bennett of Tiverton, RI. William and Abby had five children, probably all born in Portsmouth:

Charles Sumner (or Summer), born March 30, 1857 is discussed on page 670.

Alfred Greene was born about 1859. In 1883 he married Hannah C. Hall, daughter of Robert Dennis and Mary A. (Cook) Hall. They owned the farm "Bull Lot". They were also hotel keepers and farmers. Alfred was elected to both houses of the Rhode Island State Assembly. They moved to Bristol Ferry [RI?] after 1850. Ref: (205).

Henrietta was born about 1861 and died young.

Jennie was born about 1863 and died young.

Winfield (or Winfred) Scott was born about 1865. He married Laura Peckham, daughter of Abraham T. Peckham of Newport, RI. They moved from Portsmouth to Newport.

Both William and Abby are buried in St. Mary's Cemetery, Portsmouth, RI.

References: (7) 4:98; (536).

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Abner Jones [8]

Richard [1], George [2], James [3], Joseph [4], Joseph, Jr. [5], Barnabas [6], Jabez [7] page 362

Abner Jones(1837-1868) ⟩—⟨ George Taylor(1868-1926)
1865 | Ann Eliz. Bowler(1839-1906) ⟩ ⟨ 1889 | Ann English(1867-1944)

Abner Jones Sisson was born January 7, 1837 in Portsmouth, RI. He was living in Tiverton when he married on April 19 (or 9), 1865 Ann Elizabeth Bowler. They were married in the State Street Methodist Episcopal Church Bristol, RI. Ann was born July 12, 1839 in Bristol. Abner and Ann had a son who was an only child:

George Taylor, born February 8, 1868 in Bristol is discussed on page 671.

The family lived in Tiverton. Abner died May 15, 1868 in Portsmouth; Ann died in November, 1906.

References: (7) 4:98 & 8:574; (537).

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Jonathan Anthony [8]

Richard [1], George [2], James [3], Joseph [4], Joseph, Jr. [5], Barnabas [6], Edmond Sanford [7] page 362

Ellsworth(1862-)
1883 | Susan S. Clark(-)
Grace Abby(1864-)
Jonathan Anthony(1833-1904) ⟩ 1891 | Henry Hill Lee(-)
1857 | Jane Davey(-) ⟩ | Lester V Bailey(-)
Annie Eliz. Perry(1874-)
1900 | Everett T Jones(-)

Jonathan Anthony Sisson was born October 26, 1833 in Portsmouth, RI. He was a farmer, politician, and butcher. He was in both branches of the Rhode Island State Assembly. He was a member of the IOOF. On October 14, 1857 in Portsmouth, he married Jane Harvey Davey, daughter of John and Grace (Holman) Davey. Jane was born February 23, 1838 in Cornwall, England. Jonathan and Jane had three children, all born in Portsmouth:

Ellsworth, born January 28, 1862 is discussed on page 672.

Grace Abby was born October 1, 1864. She was a schoolteacher and married first October 1, 1891 Henry Hill Lee. She married second Lester V. Bailey. There was no issue from either marriage. At some time Grace lived in Worcester, MA. She died April 3, 1926.

Annie Elizabeth Perry was born October 8, 1874 (or 1878). She was a schoolteacher in Portsmouth and North Kingston, RI. On June 12, 1900 she married Everett T. Jones. Everett was born June 3, 1872. Annie and Everett had a son: Harold Church, September 1, 1901, married Laura Northern Smith. The family lived in Peachdale, RI. Everett died October 31, 1940; Annie died August 6, 1956 in St. Petersburg, FL.

Jonathan died December 9, 1904; Jane died February 11, 1908, both in Portsmouth. He is buried in Union Cemetery, Portsmouth.

Reference: (7) 4:98; (597).

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John Henry [8]

Richard [1], George [2], James [3], Joseph [4], Joseph, Jr. [5], Barnabas [6], Edmond Sanford [7] page 362

John Henry(1839-)
1861 Ella Marie Moore(1843-)

- Mary E.(1863-1863)
- Eugene E.(1864-)
- Willie(1868-1869)
- Flora(1872-1872)
- Bertha M.(1875-)
- Edward L.(-)
- Charles(-)
- Irvin(-)

John Henry Sisson was born February 14, 1839 in South Portsmouth, Newport County, RI. On November 21, 1861 he married Ella Marie Moore, daughter of Thomas and Sarah W. (Richards) Moore. Ella was born December 3, 1843 in Half Moon Valley, Center County, PA. John and Ella had eight children, the first two born in Pilot Grove, Lee County, IA, the rest born in Neeper, Clark County, MO:

Mary E. was born March 23 and died March 31, 1863.
Eugene E. was born August 5, 1864.
Willie was born March 23, 1868 and died March 31, 1869.
Flora was born May 8 and died September 20, 1872.
Bertha M. was born May 20, 1875.
Edward L. was born about 1877.
Charles was born about 1879.
Irvin was born about 1881.

Willie, Flora, Bertha and Edward are recorded with the surname Sesson.

References: (7) RI VR, Arnold, 4:98; (538) p.728.

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William Henry [8]

Richard [1], George [2], James [3], Joseph [4], James, [5], David [6], Robert Cornell [7] page 363

William Henry(1839-) — 1867 Mary V. Starr(1835-)
Everett Starr(1873-) — 1899 Ernstna Yorgrsn(1875-)

William Henry Sisson was born February 18, 1839 in Newport, Newport County, RI. On September 26, 1867 he married Mary Vincent Starr, daughter of Vine Avery and Sally (Sullivan) Starr. Mary was born December 10, 1835 in Jewett City, Greene County, NY. William and Mary had a son:

Everett Starr was born February 4, 1873 in Stonington, New London County, CT. On June 14, 1899 he married Ernestina Yorgerson, daughter of Daniel S. and Nethalie ( ) Yorgerson. Ernestina was born in 1875 in Hartford, CT.

We have no death dates; both William and Mary died in Westerly, Washington County, RI.

Reference: (539) p.107.

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William L. [8]

Richard [1], George [2], James [3], Joseph [4], James [5], Moses L. [6], William B. [7] page 365

William L.(1837-) — 1860 Sarah A Brown(1837-)
Louis Sherman(1873-) — 1902 Sarah Duckwrth(-)

William L. Sisson was born May 24, 1837 in Portsmouth, Newport County, RI. He was a farmer, Republican, representative of the General Assembly from 1880/2 to 1884, senator 1885-93, and on the board of directors for the First National Bank in Newport. On December 5, 1860 he married Sarah A. Brown, daughter of Leonard and Sarah (Wilcox) Brown. Sarah was born in 1837. She was a Baptist. William and Sarah lived in Middletown, RI, and had a son, probably an only child:

Louis "Louie" Sherman, born July 25, 1873 in Portsmouth is discussed on page 672.

Reference: (89) Vol. 1, p.540.

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George W. [8]

Richard [1], George [2], James [3], Joseph [4], Jabez [5], Sanford [6], Jabez [7] page 367

George W.(1845-) — 1875 Jane Adams(-)
John(1876-)
Minnie(1878-)
Libby(1880-)

George W. Sisson was born August 7, 1845. On June 14, 1875 he married Jane Adams. George and Jane had three children:

John was born in 1876.

Minnie was born in 1878.

Libby was born in 1880.

Reference: (422) 1850.

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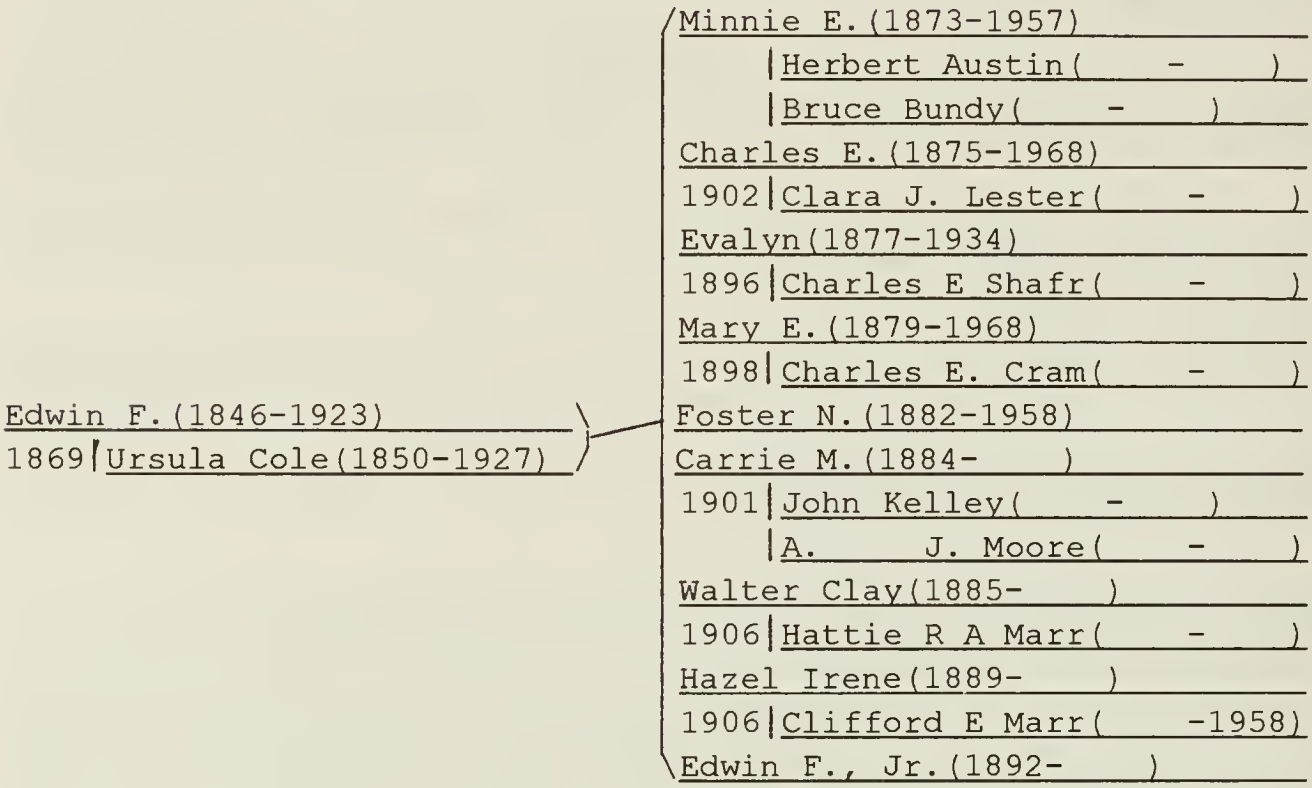
Edwin F. [8]

Richard [1], George [2], James [3], Joseph [4], Jabez [5], Sanford [6], Sanford, Jr. [7] page 368



Edwin F. Sisson was born May 3, 1846 in Huron County, Ohio. On May 2, 1869 he married Ursula Cole. Ursula was born August 22, 1850 in Hastings, MI. Edwin and Ursula had nine children, the last seven born in Tekamah, NE:

Minnie E. was born December 24, 1873 in Lansing, MI. She married first Herbert Austin, and second Bruce Bundy. Minnie died May 18, 1957 in Kadoka, SD.

Charles E. was born October 1, 1875 in Hastings, MI. On April 24, 1902 he married Clara Jane Lester. Charles died February 16, 1968 and is buried in Craig, NE.

Evalyn was born August 17, 1877. On March 9, 1896 she married Charles E. Shafer. Evalyn died October 6, 1934 in Tekamah.

Mary E. was born December 14, 1879. On May 4, 1898 she married Charles Edwin Cram. Mary died March 21, 1968 and is buried in Craig, NE.

Foster N. was born July 30, 1882. He was a trapper and not married. He died July 12, 1958 in Fairbanks, AK.

Carrie M. was born January 15, 1884. On March 5, 1901 she married John Kelley. She married second A. J. Moore. Carrie is buried in Blair, NE.

Walter Clay was born October 20, 1885. On October 11, 1906 he married Hattie Rose Anna Marr. Walter died after 1975.

Hazel Irene was born June 29, 1889. On December 25, 1906 she married Clifford Eugene Marr. Hazel and Clifford had six children. Clifford died December 21, 1958. Hazel died after 1974.

Edwin F., Jr. was born April 5, 1892. He was unmarried in 1930.

Edwin (Sr.) died June 11, 1923; Ursula died circa 1927. Both died in Tekamah.

We have no additional references.

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Eugene Hubbard [8]

Richard [1], George [2], James [3], Joseph [4], Jabez [5], Sanford [6], Sanford, Jr. [7] page 368

Eugene Hubbard(1849-1918)
Eva Rork(1858-)
1888 Emma C. Smith(1856-1941)

Winfield Eugene(1889-1951)
Hazel Fox(-)
a son(1894-1894)
Victor Hart(1899-)
1933 Merle L Carter(-)

Eugene Hubbard Sisson was born December 28, 1849 in Huron County, OH. He was a merchant, carpenter, and post office clerk. About 1875 he married first Eva Rork, daughter of Peter and Matilda (Rogers) Rork. Eva was born in 1858; she died without children about 1882 of "quick consumption" and is buried in the small cemetery at what used to be called Arizona, NE, by the Missouri River. Eugene married second March 6, 1888 in Barry County, MI, Emma Celia Smith, daughter of Sullivan and Eliza ( ) Smith. Emma was born July 5, 1856 in Dalton, MA. Eugene and Emma had three children:

Winfield Eugene, born December 17, 1889 is discussed on page 673.

A son was born in 1894, lived only a few hours.

Victor Hart, born May 9, 1899 is discussed on page 673.

Eugene died May 23, 1918 in Freeport, MI; Emma died October 31, 1941 in Grand Rapids, MI. They are both buried in Freeport.

Reference: Family records of Victor Hart Sisson; (278); (540) p.557.

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Foster Augustus [8]

Richard [1], George [2], James [3], Joseph [4], Jabez [5], Sanford [6], Sanford, Jr. [7] page 368

Foster Augustus (1852-1920) — 1875 — Asenath Lech (1855-1913)

- Claude Ellsworth (1876-1949) — Minnie Godfrey (-)
- Grace Elizabeth (1878-1880)
- Edwin Foster (1880-1950) — Katherine Wlkns (-)
- Sarah Mabel (1883-1954)
- Maude Asenath (1887-1970) — Ulysses C Manns (-)
- James Monroe (1892-) — 1913 — Irene Verkerke (-)
- Clare McKinley (1896-1956) — 1921 — Bess B. Fulcher (1893-)

Foster Augustus Sisson was born May 8, 1852 in Ohio. On March 10, 1875 he married Asenath Ann Leach, daughter of James Monroe and Sarah T. (Smith) Leach of Barry County, MI. Asenath was born January 25, 1855 in Michigan. Foster was a grocer in Freeport, MI, later operated a clothing store, then worked in a telephone office. Foster and Asenath had seven children:

Claude Ellsworth was born March 7, 1876 in Freeport. He married Minnie Godfrey. They had a son: Ferris; they were divorced. Claude died May 31, 1949 in California, PA.

Grace Elizabeth was born in 1878 in Freeport. She died July 30, 1880 in Freeport.

Edwin Foster was born July 1, 1880 in Freeport. He married Katherine Wilkins in Coal Center, PA. They had two sons. Edwin died May 25, 1950 in Coal Center.

Sarah Mabel was born March 26, 1883 in Irving, MI. She was not married and died November 10, 1954 in Hastings, MI.

Maude Asenath was born August 22, 1887 in Freeport. She was a school teacher. She married Ulysses Charles Manns. Maude died August 19, 1970.

James Monroe was born March 15, 1892 in Lake Odessa, MI. In May, 1913 he married Irene Verkerke. They had two children. James died in Sheffield, AL.

Clare McKinley, born September 21, 1896 in Freeport is discussed on page 674.

Asenath died October 1, 1913; Foster died May 29, 1920. Both died in Freeport.

Reference: Family records of William Fulcher Sisson.

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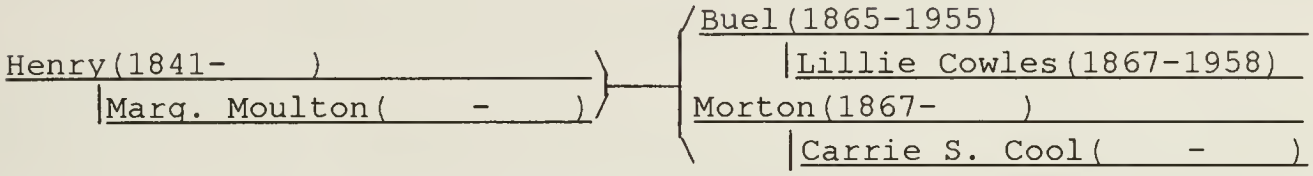
Henry [8]

Richard [1], George [2], James [3], Joseph [4], Jabez [5], Sanford [6], James L. [7] page 369



Henry Sisson was born in 1841 in Ohio. He married Margaret Moulton of Ohio. Henry and Margaret had two sons, both born in Barry County, MI:

Buel, born in 1865 is discussed on page 674.

Morton was born in 1867. He married Carrie Sara Cool.

References: Bible records; (278); (423); (424); (425); (427) p.321; (541); (542) 1880.

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Willis Nathaniel [8]

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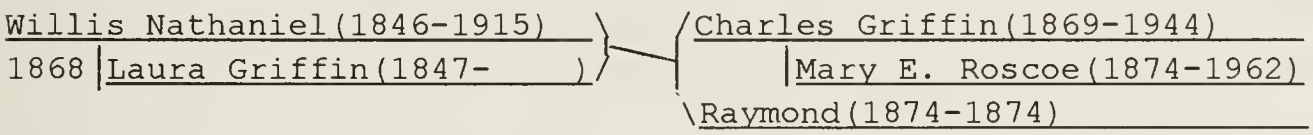

Willis Nathaniel Sisson was born March 25, 1846 in Ohio. He inherited his father's farm in Greenwich, Huron County, OH. On December 31, 1868 in Ripley, OH, he married Laura Griffin, daughter of Robert Griffin. Laura was born circa 1847 in Ohio. Willis and Laura had two sons:

Charles Griffin was born October 8, 1869 in Greenwich. He married Mary Evelyn Roscoe, daughter of Gilbert and Harriet (Brady) Roscoe. Mary was born September 20, 1874 in Greenwich. They had no children. Charles died March 24, 1944; Mary died March 21, 1962.

Raymond was born June 6 and died September 7, 1874.

Willis, Laura and Charles were living with her father Robert in 1880. Willis died January 20, 1915.

References: (543) 1870 p.8; (544) 1880 Vol. 35, p.19.

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Sanford H. [8]

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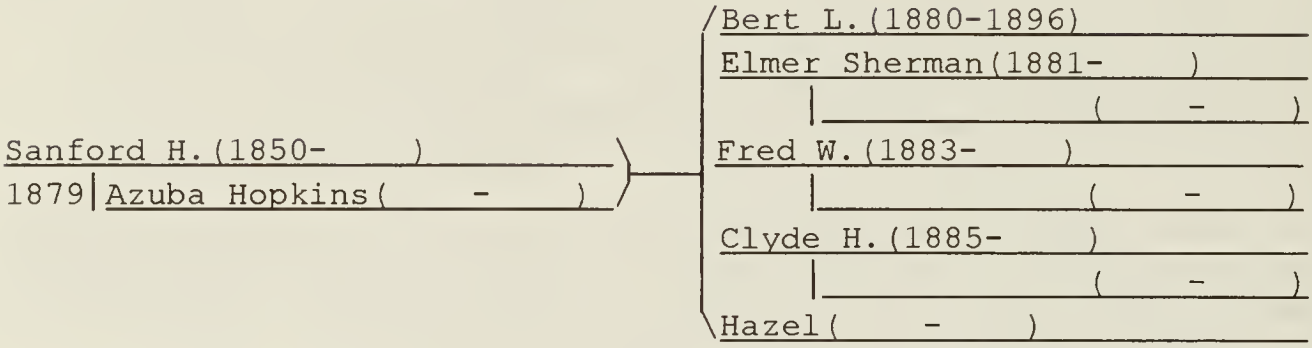

Sanford H. Sisson was born May 5, 1850. He was a farmer. On August 6, 1879 in Greenwich, Huron County, OH, he married Azuba A. Hopkins. Sanford and Azuba had five children, all born in Greenwich:

Bert L. was born July 26, 1880 and died in 1896.

Elmer Sherman was born December 11, 1881. We do not know his wife's name. She and Elmer had four children: Deeann; Ila; Robert; and Kenneth.

Fred W. was born July 18, 1883. We do not know his wife's name. She and Fred had a son: Donald.

Clyde H. was born July 23, 1885. We do not know his wife's name. She and Clyde had three children: Bettie; Robert; and Jean.

Hazel was born about 1887.

We have no additional references.

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Lucius Adelbert [8]

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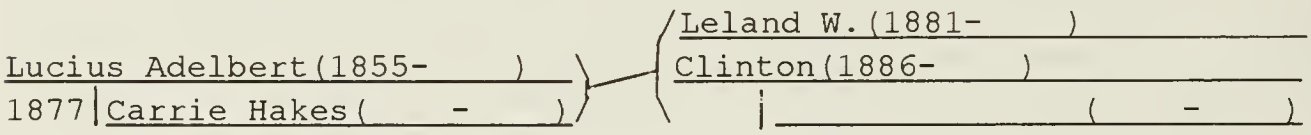

Lucius Adelbert Sisson was born June 3, 1855. On December 24, 1877 he married Carrie Hakes. They lived in Greenwich, Huron County, OH. Lucius and Carrie had two sons:

Leland W. was born January 6, 1881.

Clinton, born March 27, 1886 is discussed on page 675.

Reference: Clinton is reported as a daughter in Huron County, OH, records.

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Oscar L. [8]

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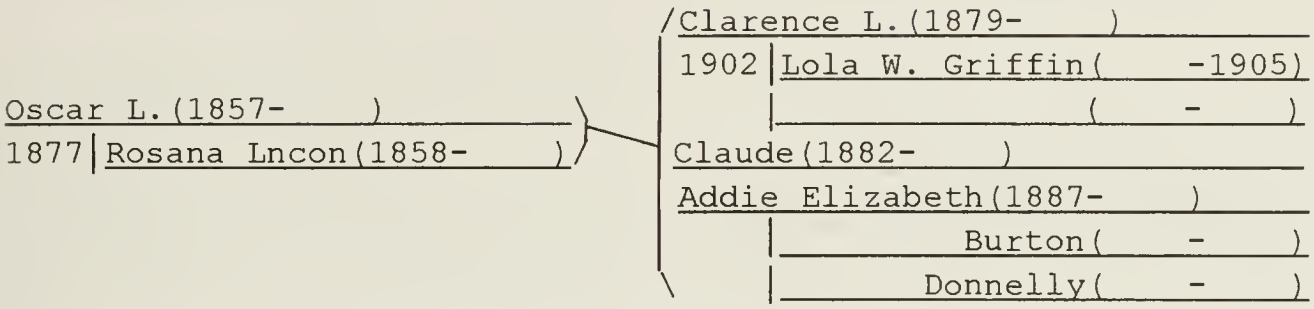

Oscar L. Sisson was born June 8, 1857 in Ohio. He was a farmer. On October 2, 1877 he married Rosanna Lincoln. Rosanna was born circa 1858 in Ohio. The family lived in Greenwich, Huron County, OH. Oscar and Rosanna had three children:

Clarence L., born October 10, 1879 in Ohio is discussed on page 675.

Claude was born June 1, 1882.

Addie Elizabeth was born January 9, 1887. She married first a Mr. Burton, and second a Mr. Donnelly.

Reference: (544) 1880.

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Frank [8]

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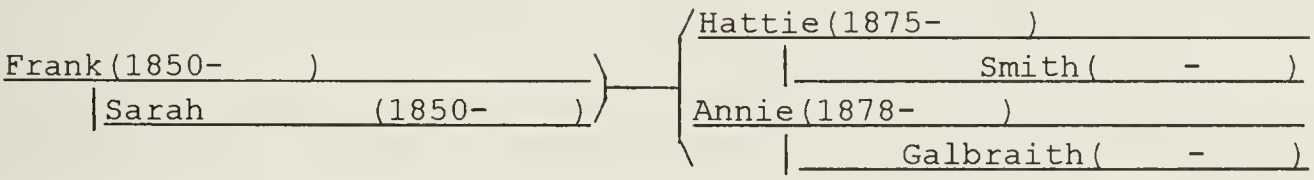

Frank Sisson was born in 1850 in Ohio. He married Sarah ( ). Sarah was born in 1850 in Ohio. They lived in Carlton, MI. Frank and Sarah had two daughters, both born in Michigan:

Hattie was born in 1875. She married Mr. Smith.

Annie was born in 1878. She married Mr. Galbraith.

Reference: (545) 1880.

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Hudson Lewis [8]

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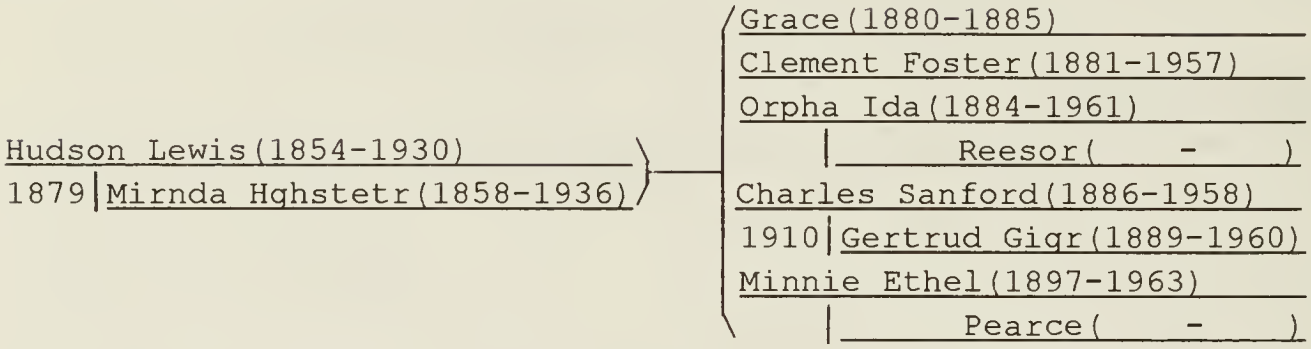

Hudson Lewis Sisson was born April 3, 1854 in Barry County, MI. On April 29, 1879 he married Miranda Houghstetter, daughter of David and Esther ( ) Houghstetter of Rutland Twp. Miranda was born April 29, 1858 in Barry County. Hudson was a farmer and they lived on a farm south of Foster's farm. Hudson and Miranda had five children:

Grace was born May 3, 1880 in Irving, Barry County, MI. She died May 7, 1885.

Clement Foster was born November 26, 1881 and died December 13, 1957.

Orpha Ida was born June 11, 1884. She married Mr. Reesor. She died April 11, 1961.

Charles Sanford, born May 24, 1886 in Barry County is discussed on page 676.

Minnie Ethel was born November 21, 1897. She married Mr. Pearce. She died December 5, 1963.

Miranda and Hudson celebrated their 50th anniversary in 1929. Hudson died June 10, 1930 in Barry County. Miranda died December 21, 1936 in Hastings, MI.

References: (428); (540) p.389; (546) 1880.

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Lewis F. [8]

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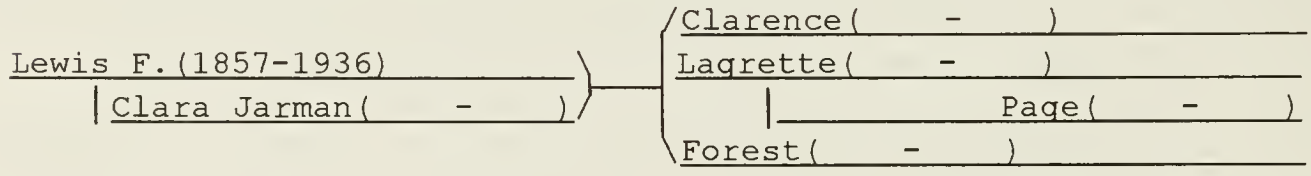

Lewis F. Sisson was born May 28, 1857 in Michigan. He married Clara Jarman. Lewis and Clara had three children:

Clarence was born about 1879.

Lagrette was born about 1882. She married Mr. Page.

Forest was born about 1884.

Lewis died in 1936.

We have no additional references.

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Arthur M. [9]

Richard [1], George [2], James [3], Joseph [4], Jabez [5], Joseph [6], Cyrus F. [7] page 373

Arthur M.(1845-1879) = 1874 (-)
- Genevieve(1875-)
- Alice Clementina(1877-1879)
- Marianna(1880-)

Arthur M. Sisson was born February 5, 1845. He married April 7, 1874. We do not know his wife's name. She and Arthur had three daughters:

Genevieve was born February 5, 1875.

Alice Clementina was born September 10, 1877 and died July 26, 1879.

Marianna was born February 20, 1880.

Arthur died December 30, 1879.

We have no additional references.

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Clarence Marion [8]

Richard [1], George [2], James [3], Joseph [4], Jabez [5], Joseph [6], Rufus K. [7] page 374

Clarence Marion(1857-1915) = 1888 Mary Richards(1868-1942)
- Otis Merlin(1889-1910)
- Arden Marion(1891-1894)
- Clarence Dean(1892-1973) = 1918 Winifred Bntz(-)
- Ethel Gladys(1893-1981) = 1910 Russell Rasch(-) = 1979 Paul Ummarle(-)
- Alice(1896-1896)
- Edith A.(1897-) = 1915 Ira Wilson(-)
- Harold K.(1899-1942) = 1919 Edna Swartz(-) = 1941 Marie Piatt(1908-1986)
- Burton T.(1903-) = 1924 Marg. Swartz(-) = 1936 Ethel Greenwd(-)
- Enid M.(1911-1933)

Clarence Marion Sisson was born March 26, 1857 in Galesburg, IL. He lived in Wamega, KS, in 1880. On January 26, 1888 in Wamega, he married Mary Catherine "Katie" Richards, daughter of

William and Abby (Hummel) Richards. Mary was born October 8, 1868 in Pennsylvania. Clarence and Mary had nine children:

Otis Merlin was born July 13, 1889 in St. George, Pottawatomie County, KS. Otis died November 16, 1910 and is buried in Palouse, WA.

Arden Marion was born in 1891 in St. George and died at age three November 18, 1894. Arden is buried in St. George.

Clarence Dean, born April 15, 1892 in St. George is discussed on page 677.

Ethel Gladys was born November 7, 1893 in St. George. She moved with the family to Palouse in 1901. In 1910 she married Russell Rasch; she married second in 1979 Paul Ummarle. Ethel died May 8, 1981 and is buried in Portland, OR.

Alice was born and died in 1896.

Edith A. was born January 29, 1897 in Kansas. On September 30, 1915 she married Ira Wilson. Edith and Ira had two children: Garth, who went to Canada; and Winifred, who was not married in 1982.

Harold K. was born August 28, 1899 in Hood River, Wasco County, OR. He married first circa 1919 Edna Swartz and second on December 27, 1941 Erma Marie Piatt. "Marie" was born September 18, 1908 in Nez Perce, ID. Harold died July 27, 1942; Marie died August 21, 1986; both are buried in the Normal Hill Cemetery, Lewiston, ID.

Burton T. was born October 15, 1903 in Palouse. He married first May 5, 1924 Margaret Swartz, and second December 25, 1936 Ethel Greenwood. They lived in Spokane, WA.

Enid M. was born October 27, 1911 in Deer Park, WA. She was not married and died April, 1933. She is buried in Palouse.

Clarence was superintendent of schools in Palouse. He died June 29, 1915 in Avon, ID; Mary died April 9, 1942 in Spokane. Both are buried in Palouse.

Reference: (547) 1900.

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Frederick Edwin [8]

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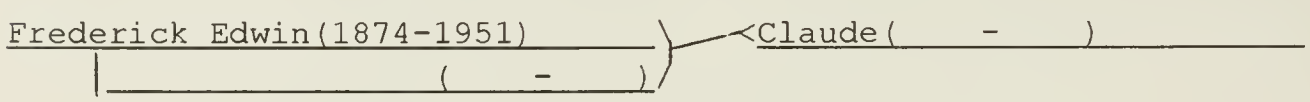

Frederick Edwin Sisson was born circa 1874 in Illinois. We do not know his wife's name. She and Frederick had a son:

Claude was born about 1900. He was in Oregon in 1951, then went to California.

The family moved to Spokane, WA,in 1931. Frederick died March 31, 1951. His obituary appeared in the Spokane, OR, "Spokesman Review", April 2, 1951.

We have no additional references.

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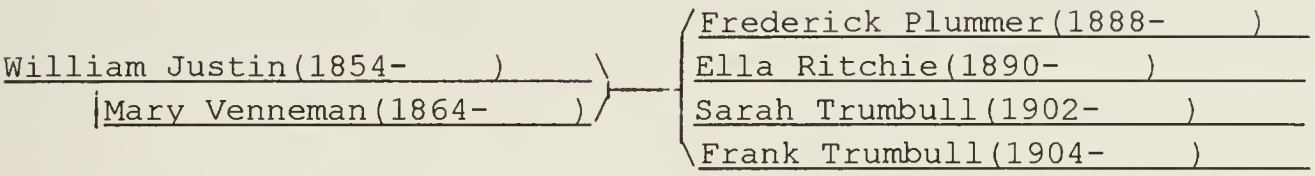
William Justin [8]

Richard [1], George [2], James [3], James, Jr. [4], Pardon [5], Pardon, Jr. [6], Frederick Plummer [7] page 375



William Justin Sisson was born November 5, 1854 in Galesburg, IL. He married Mary Venneman of Evansville, IN. Mary was born July 28, 1864. William and Mary had four children, the first two born in Indianapolis, IN, the last two in Mannsfield, IL:

Frederick Plummer was born June 20, 1888.
Ella Ritchie was born August 22, 1890.
Sarah Trumbull was born February 13, 1902.
Frank Trumbull was born August 27, 1904.

We have no additional references.

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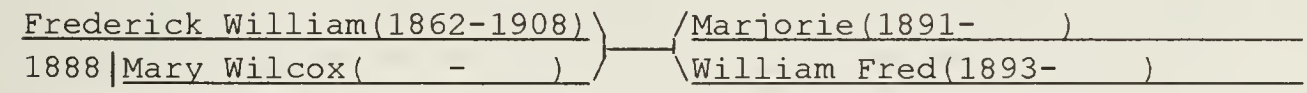
Frederick William [8]

Richard [1], George [2], James [3], James, Jr. [4], Pardon [5], Pardon, Jr. [6], William Pardon [7] page 378



Frederick William Sisson was born December 20, 1862 in Galesburg, IL. He was living in the house of his uncle Henry McCall in Knox County, IL, in 1880. He graduated from Knox College in 1884. On June 30, 1888 he married Mary Wilcox of Peoria, IL. Frederick and Mary had two children, probably both born in Flagstaff, AZ:

Marjorie was born February 9, 1891.
William Fred was born September 6, 1893.

Frederick died January 7, 1908 in Los Angeles, CA.

References: (548); (549) 1880.

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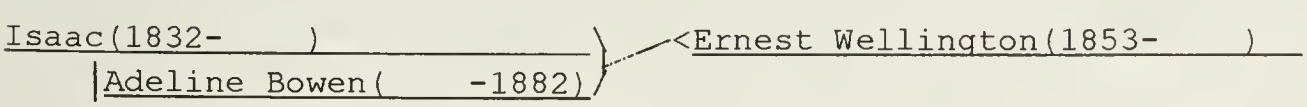
Isaac [8]

Richard [1], James [2], Richard [3], Richard, Jr. [4], Joseph [5], Asa [6], Joseph B. [7] page 381



Isaac Sisson was born June 6, 1832. He married Adeline Bowen. Isaac and Adeline had a son:

Ernest Wellington was born in April, 1853. He was adopted by his grandfather Samuel Bowen of Coventry, RI.

Isaac died in Mexico. An Adeline M. Sisson died February 3, 1886, according to East Greenwich, RI, church records. Adeline (Bowen) Sisson died January 9, 1882 [there may be no connection].

We have no additional references.

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John Rice [8]

Richard [1], James [2], Richard [3], Richard, Jr. [4], Joseph [5], Asa [6], Joseph B. [7] page 381

John Rice(1834-1895)
1871 Ella W Cregier(1847-)

- Estelle Geraldine(1872-)
- Lester Lavalley(1873-)
- Edith May(1876-1887)
- Joseph Keen(1877-1887)
- Ella Josephine(1878-)
- Edna Vivien(1881-)

John Rice Sisson was born May 16, 1834. On June 13, 1871 he married Ella Ward Cregier. Ella was born January 20, 1847. The family lived in New York. John and Ella had six children:

Estelle Geraldine was born April 4, 1872.
Lester Lavalley was born August 6, 1873.
Edith May was born February 10, 1876 and died August 14, 1887.
Joseph Keen was born July 2, 1877 and died May 19, 1887.
Ella Josephine was born July 11, 1878.
Edna Vivien was born January 13, 1881.

John died September 18, 1895.

We have no additional references.

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Robert Emmet [8]

Richard [1], James [2], Richard [3], Richard, Jr. [4], Joseph [5], Asa [6], Joseph B. [7] page 381

Robert Emmet(1840-)
Lydia E. Tork(-) > Elizabeth D.(1864-)

Robert Emmet Sisson was born January 9, 1840. He was a photographer during the Civil War and after became a manufacturer's agent and inventor. Robert married Lydia E. Tork. Robert and Lydia had a daughter:

Elizabeth D. was born January 7, 1864.

We have no additional references.

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Charles [8]

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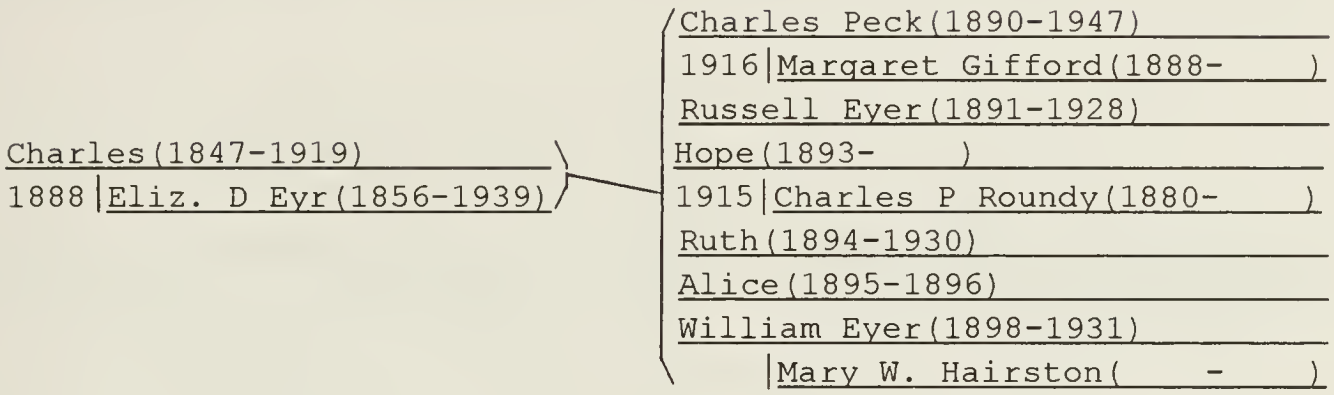


Charles Sisson was born September 7, 1847 in Coventry, Kent County, RI. He was a member of the Common Council, treasurer of Hope Webbing Company, trustee of Friends School, Republican, and member of the town council. In 1883 Charles went from Hamilton, RI, to Providence, RI, and later to Pawtucket, RI. It has been reported that he first married Camellia L. H. who married second Eshon Sanford, Jr., whose will was dated October 27, 1899. In New York on October 4, 1888 Charles married Elizabeth Davis Eyer, daughter of Joshua P. and Martha Anna ( ) Eyer of Philadelphia, PA. Elizabeth was born September 13, 1856 in Philadelphia. Charles and Elizabeth had six children, all born in Providence:

Charles Peck, born February 9, 1890 is discussed on page 678.

Russell Eyer was born August 4, 1891. He was not married and died October 5, 1928 in Providence. He is buried in Swan Point Cemetery there.

Hope was born January 12, 1893. On June 17, 1915 in Providence she married Charles Pickett Roundy, a widower, son of George and Hannah C. ( ) Roundy. Charles was born in 1880. Hope and Charles had two sons: George; and William Sisson. Hope died before her father's will of 1919.

Ruth was born February 10, 1894. She was not married. She was a physician, a graduate of Pembroke University and Rush Medical School, University of Chicago. She died after a short illness in Providence November 22, 1930 and is buried in Swan Point Cemetery. Ref: obituary, Providence, November 23, 1930; memorial article, Brown University, June 15, 1931.

Alice was born February 27, 1895 and died October 25, 1896. She is buried in Swan Point Cemetery.

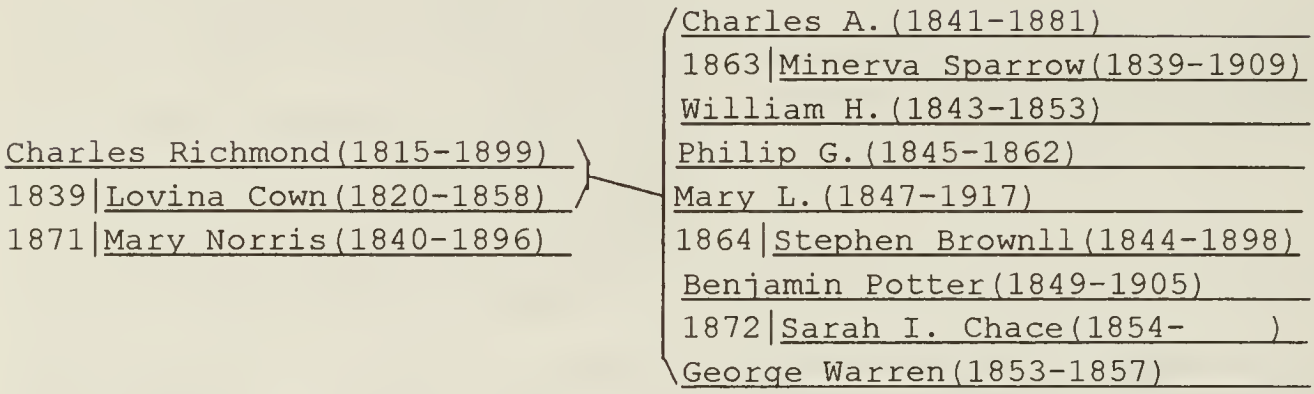
William Eyer, born February 2, 1898 is discussed on page 678.

Charles's will dated October 18, 1919 proved December 2, 1919, Providence Book 171, p.389 mentions wife Elizabeth, sons Charles Peck and William Eyer, daughter Ruth Sisson, son-in-law Charles Roundy and grandsons George and William Sisson Roundy. Charles died November 10, 1919; Elizabeth died January 8, 1939. Both died in Providence and are buried in Swan Point Cemetery.

References: (11) Vol. III, pp.78-9; (18); (35); (89) Vol. I, 744.

Charles Richmond [8]

Richard [1], James [2], Richard [3], Richard, Jr. [4], Philip [5], Peleg [6], Green Bradford [7] page 385



Charles Richmond Sisson was born May 29, 1815 in Little Compton, RI. On December 15, 1839 in Rochester, MA, he married Lovina Luce Cowen, daughter of Jonathan and Elizabeth (Luce) Cowen. Lovina was born June 10, 1820 in Rochester. Charles and Lovina had six or seven children, probably all born in Rochester:

Charles A., born May 9, 1841 is discussed on page 679.

William H. was born April 9, 1843 and died April 24, 1853 in Mattapoisett. He is buried in Oak Grove Cemetery, New Bedford.

Philip G. was born March 9, 1845. He drowned at sea May 26, 1862. A possible twin to Philip, who died in March, 1845 has also been reported.

Mary L. was born March 17, 1847; an infant born and died in 1847 has also been reported. On November 3, 1864 in Westport, MA, Mary married Stephen Allen Brownell, son of Ezra P. and Ann M. (Allen) Brownell. Stephen was born January 5, 1844 in Westport. Stephen died December 13, 1898 in New Bedford; Mary died in 1917. She is buried in Oak Grove Cemetery.

Benjamin Potter, born November 30, 1849 is discussed on page 679.

George Warren was born January 19, 1853 and died September 14, 1857. He is buried in Oak Grove Cemetery. His stone states "died 9/16/1857 4-7-28".

Lovina died October 17, 1858 at Mattapoisett and is buried in Oak Grove Cemetery. Charles married second October 4, 1871 in Mattapoisett Mary Ann Norris, daughter of Thomas and Mary Ann (Finn) Norris. It was her second marriage also. Mary Ann was born about 1840 in Nantuckett, MA. Mary Ann died July 20, 1896; Charles died May 12, 1899. Both died in New Bedford and are buried in Oak Grove Cemetery.

References: (11) Vol. III, pp.70-1; (77) p.486; (320) pp.33234-43.

Andrew Fales [8]

Richard [1], James [2], Richard [3], Richard, Jr. [4], Philip [5], Peleg [6], Green Bradford [7] page 385

Andrew Fales(1817-1893)
1848|Ruth B Cowen(1818-1863)

- Ruth A.(1850-)
  - 1872|Samuel B Perkins(1851-)
- William A.(1852-1869)
- Thomas Greene(1855-1925)
- Sanford Greene(1857-1930)
  - 1881|Sarah F. Lawton(1859-1936)
- Albert Allen(1858-1936)
  - 1896|Annie M. Nye(1863-)
- Ann Amanda(1860-1929)
  - 1903|Frederick Hmmnd(1869-)

Andrew Fales Sisson was born August 22, 1817 in Little Compton, RI. At some time he drove the stage coach between New Bedford and Taunton, MA. On October 26, 1848 in Stonington, CT, he married Ruth B. Cowen, daughter of Jonathan and Elizabeth (Luce) Cowen. Ruth was born March 13, 1818 in Rochester, MA. Andrew and Ruth had six children, probably all born in Mattapoisett, MA:

Ruth A. was born April 27, 1850. On June 10, 1872 at North Providence, RI, she married Samuel Bartlett Perkins, son of Calvin and Betsey (Barrows) Perkins. Samuel was born in 1851 in Tremont, MA.

William A. was born October 3, 1852 and died September 8, 1869, lost at sea.

Thomas Greene was born April 11, 1855. He was not married and died March 8, 1925 at Mattapoisett.

Sanford Greene, born January 25, 1857 is discussed on page 680.

Albert Allen was born November 28, 1858. On December 31, 1896 at Marion, MA, he married Annie M. Nye, daughter of Joseph Jenney and Mary J. (Hathaway) Nye. Annie was born in 1863 at Mattapoisett. Albert and Annie had no children. Albert died January 15, 1936 at Middleboro, MA, and is buried in Quaker Cemetery at Mattapoisett.

Ann Amanda was born July 9, 1860. On September 30, 1903 at Middleboro she married Frederick Leonard Hammond, son of George F. and Abbie Haskell (Snow) Hammond. Frederick was born in 1869 in Mattapoisett. Ann died January 5, 1929 in Middleboro.

Ruth died November 5, 1863; Andrew died February 3, 1893; both died in Mattapoisett and are buried in Quaker Cemetery.

Reference: (11) Vol. III, pp.72-3.

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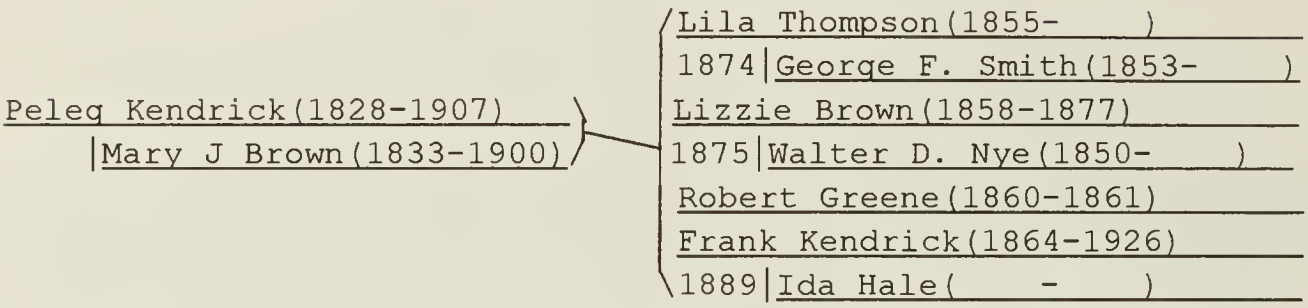
Peleg Kendrick [8]

Richard [1], James [2], Richard [3], Richard, Jr. [4], Philip [5], Peleg [6], Green Bradford [7] page 385



Peleg Kendrick Sisson was born August 23, 1828 in Westport, MA. He was a stable keeper in Mattapoisett, MA, in 1864. He married Mary Jane Brown. Mary was born April 12, 1833 in Rochester, MA. Peleg and Mary had four children, all born in Mattapoisett:

Lila Thompson was born in 1855. On July 6, 1874 in Providence, RI, she married George F. Smith, son of Frederick and Mary A. ( ) Smith of Wilbraham, MA. George was 21 at the time.

Lizzie Brown was born December 30, 1858. On April 15, 1875 in Mattapoisett she married Walter Dunbar Nye, son of William W. and Belinda S. (Dunbar) Nye. Walter was 25 at the time. Lizzie died September 5, 1877 in Mattapoisett.

Robert Greene was born October 1, 1860 and died October 9, 1861.

Frank Kendrick, born January 28, 1864 is discussed on page 681.

Mary died in 1900; Peleg died in 1907.

References: (11) Vol. III, pp.74-5; (551).

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Sanford A. [8]

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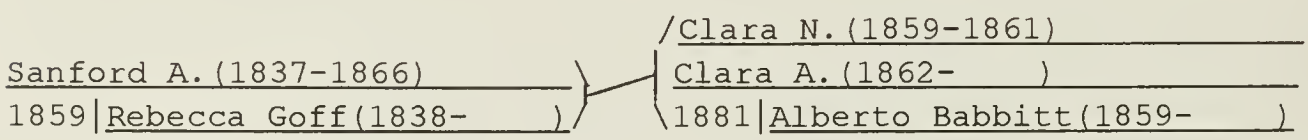

Sanford A. Sisson was born January 30, 1837 in Little Compton, RI. He was a blacksmith. On January 2, 1859 in Dighton, MA, he married Rebecca J. Goff, daughter of Nathan B. and Mary ( ) Goff. Rebecca was born in 1838 in Rehoboth, MA. Sanford and Rebecca had two daughters, both born in Rehoboth:

Clara N. was born December 31, 1859 and died September 28, 1861.

Clara A. was born February 9, 1862. On December 13, 1881 in Sommerset, MA, she married Alberto G. Babbitt, son of Gideon and Elizabeth M. ( ) Babbitt. Alberto was 22 at the time.

Sanford died December 25, 1866 in Rehoboth. Rebecca married second Edmond F. Olney.

References: (11) Vol. III, pp.76-7; (552).

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Albert H. [8]

Richard [1], James [2], Richard [3], Richard, Jr. [4], Philip [5], Peleg [6], Thomas R. [7] page 386

Albert H.(1836-)
1862|Louisa J Ashley(1838-)

- Albert Thomas(1863-)
- 1893|Emma E. Hall(-)
- Henry Elmont(1866-)
- 1894|Alice D Hall(1868-)

Albert H. Sisson was born August 4, 1836 in Fall River, MA. On November 27, 1862 in New Bedford, MA, he married Louisa J. Ashley, daughter of James and Mary ( ) Ashley. Louisa was born about 1838 in Freetown, MA. Albert and Louisa had two sons:

Albert Thomas was born in 1863 in Boston. He was a salesman. On September 20, 1893 in Portsmouth, RI, he married Emma Estelle Hall, daughter of Robert D. and Mary A. (Cook) Hall. Emma was born in Portsmouth. Albert and Emma had a daughter: Gertrude H.

Henry Elmont, born in 1866 in Newtonville, MA, is discussed on page 682.

Reference: (11) Vol. III, p.80.

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John Rogers [8]

Richard [1], James [2], Richard [3], Richard, Jr. [4], Philip [5], Peleg [6], Harvey Handy [7] page 387

John Rogers(1854-1923)
1883|Phebe W Chse(1858-)

- a daughter(1886-1886)
- Rose Leighton(1888-1928)
- 1911|Walter Forsythe(1882-)
- Rogers B.(1890-)
- 1912|Gladys (S) Prtt(1881-1929)
- a daughter(1892-)
- Winslow Chase(1893-)
- 1928|Lois Barton(-)
- a daughter(1895-)

John Rogers Sisson was born January 29, 1854 in Harwichport, MA. He was a station agent in the N.Y., N.H. & H. Railroad depot in Mattapoisett, MA. On July 25, 1883 in Harwich he married Phebe Winslow Chase, daughter of James W. and Rose B. (Kelley) Chase. Phebe was born October 6, 1858 in West Harwich. John and Phebe had

six children, the first two in Harwich, the other four in Mattapoisett.

A daughter was stillborn June 3, 1886.

Rose Leighton was born October 20, 1888. She was a teacher. On April 22, 1911 in Worchester, MA, she married Walter E. Forsythe, son of Ashley and Kezia (Oliver) Forsythe. Walter was 29 at the time. He was born in Nova Scotia. Rose died May 6, 1828 in Saranac Lake, NY. She is buried in Harwich. Ref: New Bedford Evening Standard, May 8, 1928 obituary.

Rogers B. was born November 5, 1890. He married Gladys May (Sisson) Pratt, daughter of Charles Edgar and Carrie Rebecca (Burton) Sisson, page 422. Gladys was born August 9, 1881 and married first Alvah W. Pratt. Rogers and Gladys lived in New Bedford and had no children. Gladys died April 30, 1929.

A daughter was born April 6, 1892. She died young and is buried in Pine Grove Cemetery, West Harwich.

Winslow Chase was probably born in 1893. On October 17, 1928 in Sudbury, MA, he married Lois Barton, daughter of Frank P. Barton. They lived in Mattapoisett and Boston. Ref: (553).

A daughter was born January 28, 1895. She died young and is also buried in Pine Grove Cemetery.

John died March 21, 1923 in Mattapoisett and is buried in West Harwich Cemetery.

References: (11) Vol. III, pp.82,3; (554).

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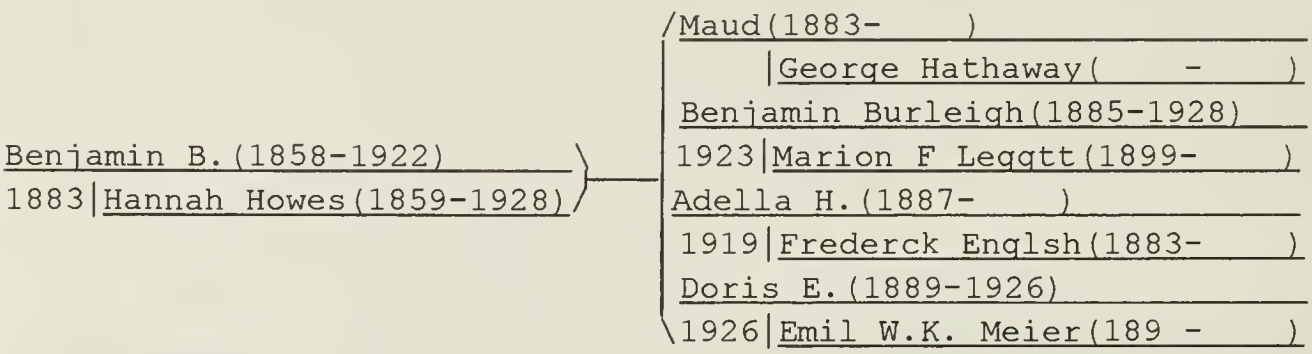
Benjamin B. [8]

Richard [1], James [2], Richard [3], Richard, Jr. [4], Philip [5], Peleg [6], Harvey Handy [7] page 387



Benjamin B. Sisson was born July 6, 1858 in Harwich, MA. He was a harness and carriage dealer in Wareham, MA. On April 8, 1883 in Harwich he married Hannah Sears Howes, daughter of Nehemiah D. and Mary ( ) Howes. Hannah was born September 12, 1859 in Dennisport, MA. Benjamin and Hannah had four children, probably all born in Harwich:

Maud was born in 1883. She married George L. Hathaway. They lived in Wareham.

Benjamin Burleigh was born August 8, 1885. He and his father operated "Sisson's Garage" in Wareham. In October, 1923 in Pomfret, CT, he married Marion F. Leggett, daughter of George Leggett.

Marion was born in 1899 in South Berwick, ME. She was a teacher in Wareham High School. Benjamin and Marion had two sons, both born in New Bedford, MA: Gordon Bailey, October 12, 1924; and Donald Burleigh, February 15, 1927. Benjamin died of "septic poisoning" March 15, 1928 in New Bedford. Ref: New Bedford Evening Standard, March 15, 1928 obituary.

Adella H. was born June 17, 1887. On July 9, 1919 in Wareham she married Frederick K. English, son of John and Jane (Kent) English. Frederick was born in 1883 in Wareham. In 1928 they were living in New York City.

Doris E. was born in February, 1889 (or 99). On September 25, 1926 in Wareham she married Emil W. K. Meier, son of Emil K. and Wilhelmina (Pahlke) Meier. Emil was born in the 1890's in Wareham. In 1928 they were living in Charleston, SC.

Benjamin died October 7, 1922. He is buried in Center Cemetery, Wareham. His gravestone is marked "1859-1922". Hannah died September 11, 1928.

Reference: (11) Vol. III, p.84, 144-5.

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Harvey Handy, Jr. [8]

Richard [1], James [2], Richard [3], Richard, Jr. [4], Philip [5], Peleg [6], Harvey Handy [7] page 387

Harvey Handy, Jr.(1861-1926)
1893|Mary Nicholson(1869-)

- Ethel Newton(1896-)
  1917|Spencer Lovlnd(1896-)
- Josie May(1898-)
  1916|Earl Nickerson(1893-)
- Lucille Rachael(1899-)
  1917|Roy Thornton(1895-)
- Ruth Reed(1907-)
  1923|Edgar M Wilbur(1898-)

Harvey Handy Sisson, Jr., was born March 3, 1861 in Harwich, MA. He was a railroad employee then farmer in West Harwich. On November 16, 1893 in Harwich he married Mary A. Nicholson, daughter of Malcolm and Sarah S. (McInnes) Nicholson. Mary was born about 1869 in Cape Breton, Nova Scotia. Harvey and Mary had four daughters, all born in Harwich:

Ethel Newton was born April 5, 1896. On December 1, 1917 in Boston, MA she married Spencer Nye Loveland, son of Isaac and Mary (Howes) Loveland. Spencer was 21 at the time, born in Chatham, MA.

Josie May was born May 27, 1898. On September 28, 1916 in Harwich she married Earl N. Nickerson, son of Daniel H. and Dora H. (Long) Nickerson. Earl was 23, born in Dennisport, MA.

Lucille Rachael was born December 12, 1899. On May 30, 1917 in Harwich she married Roy Thornton, son of Charles and Lottie (Streeter) Thornton. Roy was 22, born in North Attleboro, MA.

Ruth Reed was born June 21, 1907. On April 26, 1923 in Harwich she married Edgar Monroe Wilbur, son of Charles E. and Jennie L. (Nickerson) Wilbur. Edgar was 25, born in Harwich.

Harvey died December 16, 1926 in Harwich.

Reference: (11) Vol. III, p.85.

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George Thatcher [8]

Richard [1], James [2], Richard [3], Richard, Jr. [4], Philip [5], Peleg [6], Harvey H. [7] page 387

George Thatcher(1868-)
1895 Daisy Nickerson(1873-1940)

- Norman Adams(1896-)
- Holman Shannon(1898-1901)
- Madonna Thatchr(1899-1900)
- Randolph Hearst(1904-)
- George Warren(1907-)
- David Roswell(1908-)

George Thatcher Sisson was born March 15, 1868 in Harwich, MA. He was a milkman. On November 27, 1895 in Harwich he married Daisy B. Nickerson, daughter of John K. and Laurana (Philips) Nickerson. Daisy was born in 1873 in Harwich. George and Daisy had six children, all born in Harwich:

Norman Adams was born July 3, 1896.

Holman Shannon was born April 21, 1898 and died October 14, 1901.

Madonna Thatcher was born November 2, 1899 and died November 15, 1900.

Randolph Hearst was born October 7, 1904.

George Warren was born April 20, 1907.

David Roswell was born June 19, 1908. This is probably the David Sisson who tried to rescue a young girl who fell from a tressle into the Herring River. Unfortunately, the girl drowned. Ref: West Harwich newspaper article, May 10, 1929.

On April 29, 1931 George was fined $200 and six months sentence for mistreatment of his animals. Daisy died November 18, 1940 in Harwichport.

Reference: (11) Vol. III, pp.86-7.

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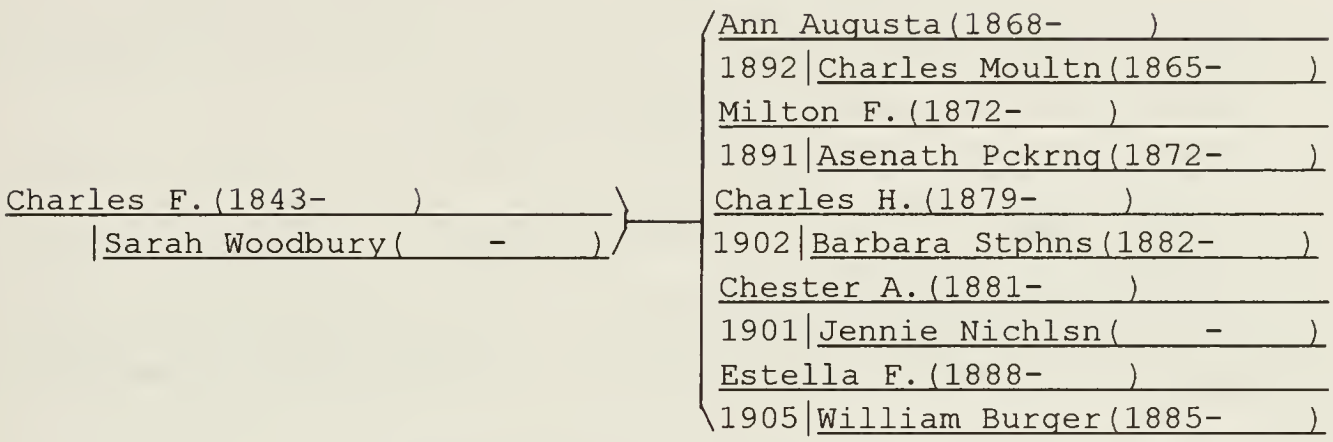
Charles F. [8]

Richard [1], James [2], Richard [3], Richard, Jr. [4], Philip [5], Robert [6], Robert, Jr. [7] page 388



Charles F. Sisson was born February 13, 1843 in Lynn, MA. He was a shoemaker. He married Sarah H. Woodbury. Sarah was born in Danversport, MA. Charles and Sarah had five children, the later four born in Beverly, MA:

Ann Augusta was born April 5, 1868 in Lynn. On October 20, 1892 in Lynn she married Charles E. Mounton, son of Wheeler M. and Sarah A. ( ) Mounton. Charles was 27 at the time, born in Lynn.

Milton F., born in 1872 is discussed on page 682.

Charles H., born in 1879 is discussed on page 683.

Chester A. was born in 1881. On December 24, 1901 in Lynn he married Jennie N. Nicholson.

Estella F. was born in 1888. On February 26, 1905 in Lynn she married William H. Burger, son of Archibald R. and Estella M. (Vahlandry) Burger. William was 20 at the time, born in Lynn. He was an employee of General Electric Company.

References: (11) Vol. IV, pp.33-4; (288).

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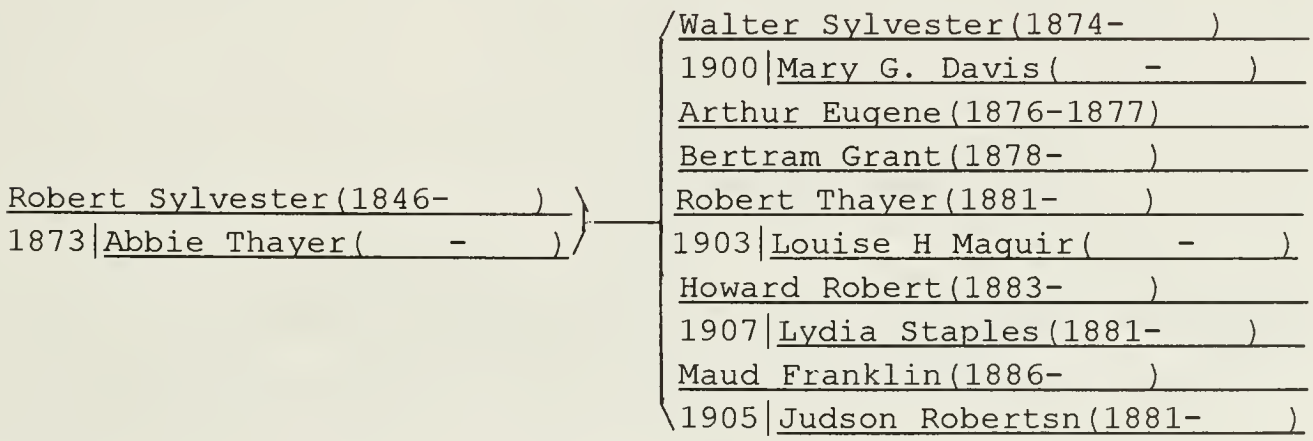
Robert Sylvester [8]

Richard [1], James [2], Richard [3], Richard, Jr. [4], Philip [5], Robert [6], Robert, Jr. [7] page 388



Robert Sylvester Sisson was born June 4, 1846 in Lynn, MA. On September 23, 1873 he married Abbie Eliza Thayer, daughter of William B. and Nancy L. ( ) Thayer. Abbie was born in North Weymouth, MA. Robert and Abbie had six children, all born in Lynn:

Walter Sylvester, born December 28, 1874 is discussed on page 684.

Arthur Eugene was born September 7, 1876 and died September 24, 1877.

Bertram Grant was born December 5, 1878.

Robert Thayer, born February 21, 1881 is discussed on page 684.

Howard Robert (or Percy), born September 1, 1883 is discussed on page 685.

Maud Franklin was born August 26, 1886. On September 5, 1905 in Lynn she married Judson W. Robertson, son of David C. and Thalia A. (Maloon) Robertson. Judson was 24 at the time, born in Halifax, Nova Scotia.

References: (11) Vol. IV, pp.35-6; (288).

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William H. [8]

Richard [1], James [2], Richard [3], Richard, Jr. [4], Philip [5], Robert [6], George Henry [7] page 390

William H. (1841-) m. 1868 Ellen A. Wilson (1846-)
- a child (-)
- a child (-)
- Bessie F. (1873-1885)
- Emma Mabel (1875-1885)

William H. Sisson was born in 1841 in Lynn, MA. He was an edge setter [?]. On May 28, 1868 in Lynn he married Ellen Augusta Wilson. Ellen was born in 1846 in Lynn. William and Ellen may have had four children:

We have no information on the first two children.

Bessie F. was born August 1, 1873 and died July 4, 1885 in Lynn.

Emma Mabel was born July 9, 1875 and died July 26, 1885 in Lynn.

References: (11) Vol. IV, pp.37-8; (288).

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Albert Herman [8]

Richard [1], James [2], Richard [3], Richard, Jr. [4], Philip [5], Robert [6], George Henry [7] page 390

Albert Herman (1850-) m. 1881 Mary R. Otis (1852-)
- Harold Arthur (1881-)
- 1910 Josephine Bisbee (-)

Albert Herman Sisson was born January 1, 1850 in Lynn, MA. He was a hardware dealer. On January 1, 1881 in Lynn he married Mary

R. Otis, daughter of Solomon and Susan A. ( ) Otis. Mary was born in 1852 in Barnstable, MA. Albert and Mary had a son:

Harold Arthur was born July 26, 1881 in Lynn. On March 9, 1910 in Lynn he married Josephine M. Bisbee. Harold and Josephine had a daughter in Lynn: Arline Barbara, January 10, 1917.

References: (11) Vol. IV, pp.39-40; (288).

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Benjamin Franklin [8]

Richard [1], James [2], Richard [3], Richard, Jr. [4], Philip [5], Robert [6], George Henry [7] page 390

Benjamin Franklin(1852-) \
1888 Flora Galloway(1865-) / — Alice W.(1892-)
a son (1893-)

Benjamin Franklin Sisson was born July 3, 1852 in Lynn, MA. On April 24, 1888 in Boston, MA, he married Flora Galloway, daughter of R. and Jane ( ) Galloway. Flora was born in 1865 in Braton, MA. Benjamin and Flora had two children:

Alice W. was born in 1892.

A son was born in 1893.

Reference: (11) Vol. IV, p.32.

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Elery [8]

Richard [1], James [2], Richard [3], Thomas [4], Philip [5], Philip, Jr. [6], Thomas [7] page 391

Elery(1813-1893) \
Mary Bryan(-) / — George E.(1839-1928)
1864 Almira Morse(1839-1917)
Charles(1840-)
(-)
Susan(1841-)
Jane(-)
John William(1845-1877)
1868 Caroline Benntt(1848-1922)
Nelson(-)
Warren(-)
(-)
Almira(1849-)
Thomas(-)
Jimime Godfrey(-)

Elery Sisson was born circa 1813 in New York. He was a farmer. He married Mary Bryan, daughter of Gideon and Melinda (Warner) Bryan. The Bryan family left Connecticut in 1816, but did not arrive in Michigan until 1830. Elery and Mary resided in

Tecumseh and Raisin, MI. They had eight or nine children probably all born in Michigan [birth order uncertain]:

George E., born about 1839 is discussed on page 685.

Charles, born circa 1840 and is discussed on page 686.

Susan was born circa 1841.

Jane is not mentioned in the 1850 census.

John William, born circa 1845 is discussed on page 687.

Nelson is not mentioned in the 1850 census. He had a store in Gaylord, MI.

Warren is not mentioned in the 1850 census. He lived on a ranch in Montana. He had one son and one daughter.

Almira was born circa 1849.

Thomas may have been born about 1850 and is discussed on page 687.

Elery Sisson is listed in the Raisin Twp, Lenawee County, MI, 1840 census, p.138, with free white males, one under 5, two 20-30; females, one 20-30. Elery died a widower January 7, 1893 age 79 at the home of his daughter, Mrs. George Shreart in Jackson, MI.

References: Elery's death certificate; (426) Vol. 22, p.137; (451); (456) 1850.

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George W. [8]

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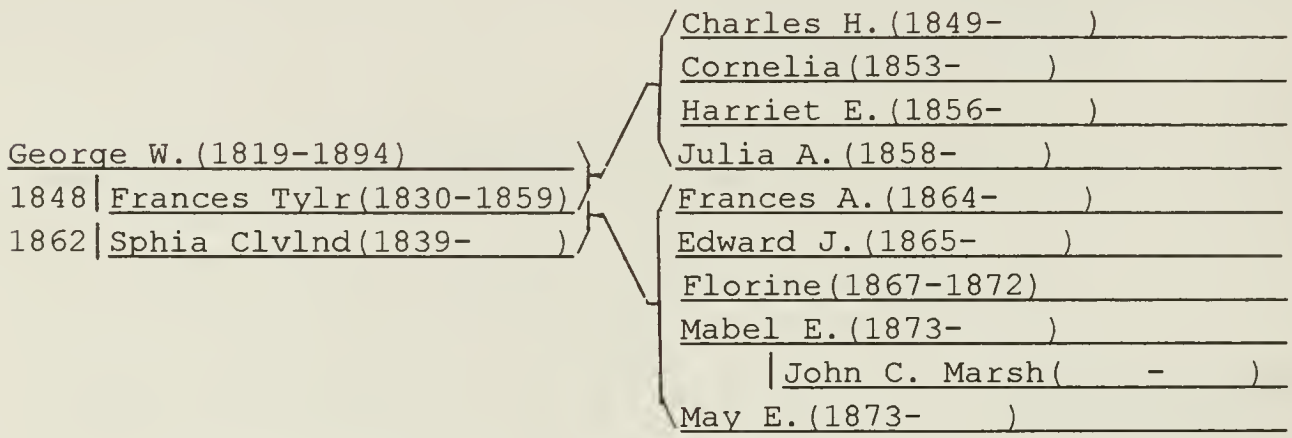

George W. Sisson was born September 11, 1819 in Aurora, Cayuga County, NY. He was a farmer. In 1848 he married Frances A. Taylor. Frances was born circa 1830. George and Frances had four children, all born in Michigan:

Charles H. was born September 20, 1849. This may be the Charles Sisson who married Ida ( ), she born circa 1859 in Michigan. Charles and Ida had a son Freddie, five months in the 1880 census of Battle Creek, Calhoun County, MI.

Cornelia was born December 4, 1853 in Raisin.

Harriet E. (Eve?) was born January 3, 1856 in Raisin.

Julia A. was born April 23, 1858 in Raisin.

One of these daughters married Albert Waring, another married Mr. Dougherty.

Frances died August 29, 1859. On November 27, 1862 George married second Sophia Cleveland, daughter of John and Almira (Loomis) Cleveland. Sophia was born April 2, 1836. George and Sophia had five children, all born in Michigan:

Frances A. was born April 2, 1864.

Edward J. was born July 4, 1865. He had a daughter Ione who married Mr. Harrison. Edward died November 24, 1936.

Florine was born January 4, 1867 and died December 21, 1872.

Mabel E. was born June 8, 1873 in Tecumseh. She married John Copeland Marsh. Mabel and John had an only child: Josephine, born October 3, 1902 in Cleveland, OH, married Gustav Kaercher, had one son and one daughter [Mary (Kaercher) Smith, Shaker Heights, OH]. Mabel died in Cleveland.

May E. was born June 8, 1873, a twin to Mabel.

George died March 15, 1894 in Raisin. Sophia died June 23, 1905.

References: (426) Vol. 26; (448) 1850 p.487; (450); (555) p.1189.

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Thomas, Jr. [8]

Richard [1], James [2], Richard [3], Thomas [4], Philip [5], Philip, Jr. [6], Thomas [7] page 391

Thomas, Jr. (1833-1879)
1852 | Mary Scribnr(-1907)

- Eudora J. (1853-1931)
  1870 | Isaac Russell(-)
- Ella M. (1856-1918)
  1873 | James M McClain(-)
- Clara E. (1860-)
  1876 | Enos E. Russell(-)
- Lura A. (1869-1934)
  1888 | Grant Stephensn (1865-)
- Wallace E. (1870-1933)
  | Alta Sisson (1873-)
- Fred L. (1875-1936)

Thomas Sisson, Jr. was born in 1833 in Michigan. This is probably the Thomas Sisson who, on August 29, 1852 in Monroe County, MI, married Mary M. Scribner, daughter of John and Hannah (Heartsup) Scribner. Thomas was a farmer; Mary was a nurse. Thomas and Mary had six children, three born in Michigan and the last three in Monona County, IA:

Eudora J. was born in 1853. On December 25, 1870 in Monona County she married Isaac N. Russell. They lived in Cody, NE. Eudora and Isaac had three children: George Eugene, November 13, 1871, married Myrtle May; Albert B., March 31, 1881 to December 31, 1954; and Mary M., married Male Harnan, died 1931. Eudora died June 20, 1931 in McCook, NE; she is buried in Maywood Cemetery, Frontier County, NE. Refs: (556) register #1, p.36; (557); (558) #3129.

Ella M. was born in 1856. On January 28, 1873 in Monona County she married James M. McClain. She died in 1918. Ref: (556) register #1, p.50.

Clara E. was born in 1860. On February 8, 1876 in Monona County she married Enos E. Russell. Ref: (556) register #1 p.77.

Lura A. was born August 23, 1869 in Blencoe, IA. On June 16, 1888 in Whiting she married Grant W. Stephenson, son of Hiram and Sarah (McBeath) Stephenson. Grant was 23 at the time. He was a farmer. Lura and Grant had a daughter: Elsie Inda Sisson, December 9, 1890 to January 28, 1982, married first William Harold McFarland and second Arthur E. Chavannes. Lura died November 3, 1934 in Grant Twp, Clearfield, IA. Refs: (559) certificate of death, register #48 & probate record. She is buried in Harrison Cemetery, Whiting. Grant married second Anna B. ( ). He also had a son Elvin W. Stephenson. Grant died in 1953 and is buried in Loveland Cemetery, Loveland, CO.

Wallace E. was born in 1870. He married Alta Sisson, daughter of Marcus Fred and Marietta ( ) Sisson, see page 374. Alta was born in 1873. Wallace died in 1933 in Whiting, IA, (nephew George E. Russell petitioned for administration of his estate February 3, 1933).

Fred L. was born in 1875. Fred died January 31, 1936. According to the Whiting Argus, Thursday, February 6, 1936 "Doyle Sisson of Mapleton and Mrs. Roy Ping of Onawa attended the funeral of their uncle, Fred Sisson here Monday." Ref: (560) 1895 p.693.

Thomas died January 23, 1879 in Lincoln Twp; he was crushed between falling limbs while cutting a tree. Mary was buried August 30, 1907. Both are buried in Harrison Cemetery, Whiting, IA.

References: Thomas's probate records; Mary's death record, Monona County roll #39, book T.O.D. & obituary; (449) 1870; (560) 1900; (561); (562).

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Allen Shepard [8]

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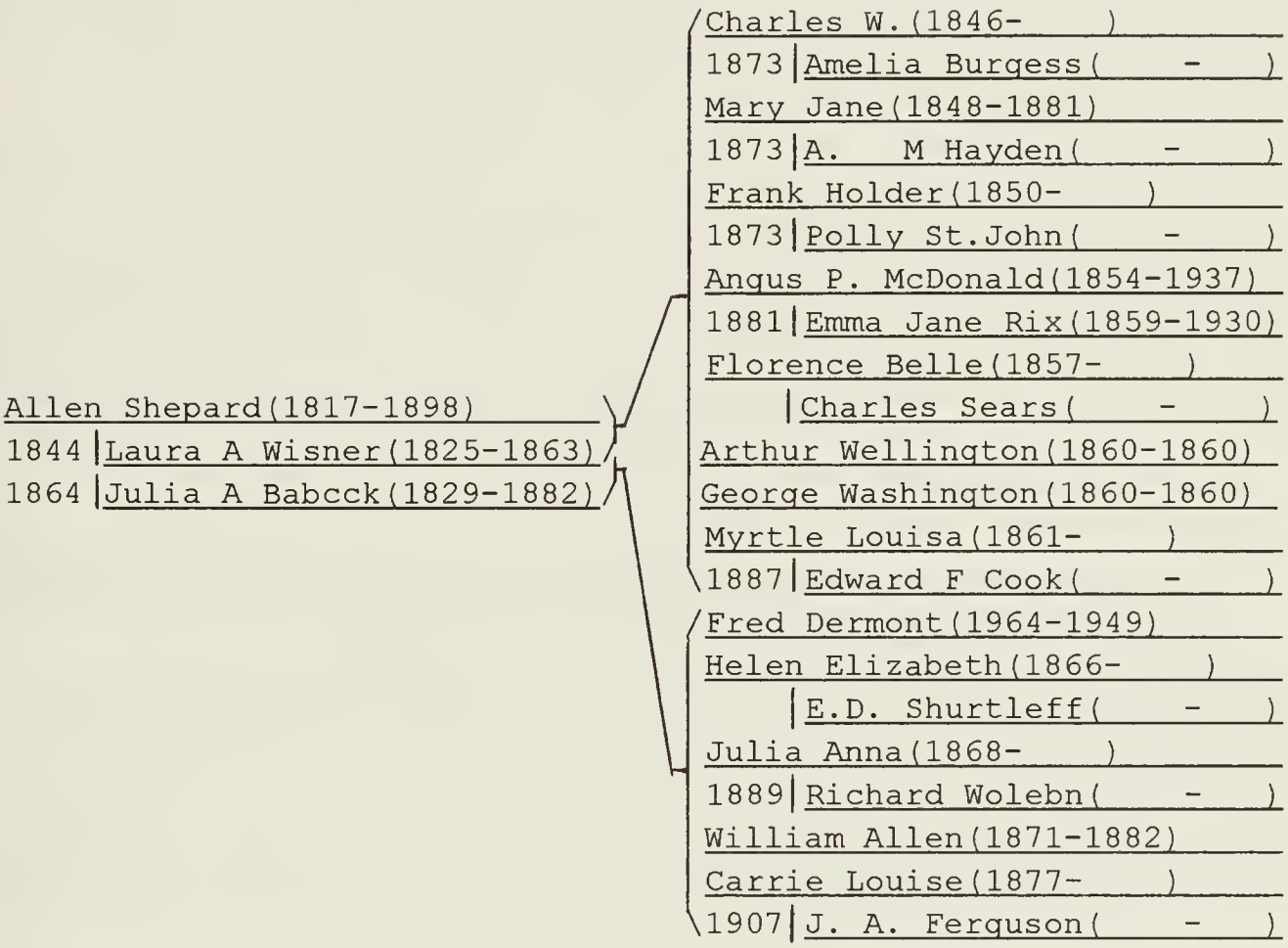

Allen Shepard Sisson was born January 15, 1817 in Chautauqua County, NY. His mother died when Allen was an infant; he was raised by his maternal grandparents, Samuel and Jerusha Anderson in Portland, NY. He moved with his father Holder from New York to Illinois in 1833. He was a farmer and Republican. Allen married first December 15, 1844 Laura Ann Wisner, daughter of Nathan and Sallie (Parks) Wisner of Ripley, NY. Laura was born March 27, 1825. Allen and Laura had eight children:

Charles White, born October 18, 1845 in McHenry County, IL is discussed on page 688.

Mary Jane was born October 18, 1848. She married A. M. Hayden May 20, 1873. Mary died in July 17, 1881.

Frank Holder was born July 24, 1850. He married December 8, 1873 Polly St. John. They lived in Big Rock Twp, IL.

Angus Peter McDonnall, born August 29, 1854 in Illinois is discussed on page 689.

Florence Belle was born June 3, 1857. She married Charles A. Sears. They lived in Boone County, IL.

Twins, Arthur Wellington and George Washington, were born May 8, 1860. Arthur died September 4, George died September 12, 1860.

Myrtle Louisa "Murtie" was born August 23, 1861. On July 13, 1887 she married Edward F. Cook. She was a schoolteacher in McHenry County.

Laura died October 8, 1863 in Marengo, IL. Allen married second February 19, 1864 Julia A. Babcock, daughter of Enoch and Elizabeth ( ) Babcock of Westford, Otsego County, NY. Julia was born September 27, 1829 in New York. Allen and Julia had five children, all born in Illinois:

Fred Durmont was born November 19, 1864. In 1898 he lived in Montana. He died in 1949 and is buried in Morengo Cemetery.

Helen (or Nellie) Elizabeth "Lizzie" was born March 17, 1866. She married E. D. Shurtleff. Lizzie and E. D. had two children: Maurice; and Helen who married Mr. Kelly. Ref: Death certificates.

Julia Ann(a) was born May 19, 1868. She married June 26, 1889, Richard H. Woleben.

William Allen was born February 3, 1871 and died March 13, 1882.

Carrie Louise was born December 9, 1877. On August 21, 1907 she married J. Arthur Ferguson.

Julia died May 1, 1882; Allen died April 21, 1898. Both died in Marengo and are buried in Marengo City Cemetery.

References: 1880 Soundex of Illinois; Allen's obituary; (563); (564); (565); (566).

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William Wallace [8]

Richard [1], James [2], Richard [3], Thomas [4], Philip [5], Philip, Jr. [6], Holder [7] page 393

William Wallace(1833-1895)
1862 Susan M Smith(1844-1918)

- George Angus(1862-1948)
  1885 Ella E. Osborn(1864-1960)
- Frank Ellis(1865-1948)
  1900 Ella A. Snow(1875-1955)
- Clara Plythinia(1867-1951)
  1904 James P Stewrt(-)
- Susan May(1869-1923)
  1892 Oliver Sossamn(1865-1939)
- Willie(1874-1874)
- Leroy Wallace(1877-1962)
  1902 Martha M. Snow(1880-1954)
- Roscoe Holder(1879-1956)
  1914 Bertha E Thos.(-)
- Lloyd Ray(1882-1961)
  1905 Eliz. Frush(1885-1970)
- Myrtle Eleanor(1885-1969)
  1908 Walter Bellngr(1882-1939)

William Wallace Sisson was born July 3, 1833 in Lockport, IL. He was a farmer, stock breeder, Republican and Presbyterian. On February 10, 1862 in Jackson County, IN, he married Susan Mary Smith, daughter of Lewis and Susan (Ellis) Smith. Susan was born September 18, 1844 in Jackson County. William and Susan had eight children, all born in Cedar Valley (now Washburn), IA:

George Angus, born December 6, 1862 is discussed on page 691.

Frank Ellis, born September 16, 1865 is discussed on page 693.

Clara Plythinia was born July 10, 1867. On April 29, 1904 she married James P. Stewart of Waterloo, IA. They had no children. Clara died April 2, 1951 in La Porte, IA.

Susan (or Sula) May was born November 22, 1869. On May 11, 1892 she married Dr. Oliver Henry Sossaman (DDS). Oliver was born December 26, 1865 in Kratzville, Schnider County, PA. Susan and Oliver had five children: Ada Bernice, April 26, 1893; Frank Wendell, October 6, 1894; William Wallace, April 15, 1900; Oliver Henry, Jr., August 30, 1905; and Fay Marie, November 9, 1908. Susan died May 8, 1923; Oliver died April 29, 1939, both in Medford, WI.

Willie was born June or July 29 and died November 1, 1874.

Leroy Wallace, born June 6, 1877 is discussed on page 693.

Roscoe Holder was born September 7, 1879. On September 1, 1914 he married Bertha E. Thomas. They had no children. Roscoe died July 16, 1956 in La Porte and is buried there.

Lloyd Ray, born October 8, 1882 is discussed on page 694.

Myrtle Eleanor was born December 29, 1885. She was a teacher. On August 12, 1908 she married Walter Adelbert Bellinger, son of Ezra Adelbert and Ida Belle (Emmert) Bellinger. Walter was born September 10, 1882 in Benton County, IA. Myrtle and Walter had two children: Alice Louise, November 19, 1914, married Roy Vernon Cerny; and Dale, April 2, 1922, married Elizabeth Mae Pfutzenreuter, [these are ancestors of Jean Bellinger, Irvine, CA]. Walter died October 12, 1939 in Waterloo; Myrtle died December 30, 1969 in La Porte.

William died February 3 (or 10), 1895 in Washburn. Susan died July 25, 1918/9 in Waterloo. Both are buried in La Porte City, IA.

References: (567); (568).

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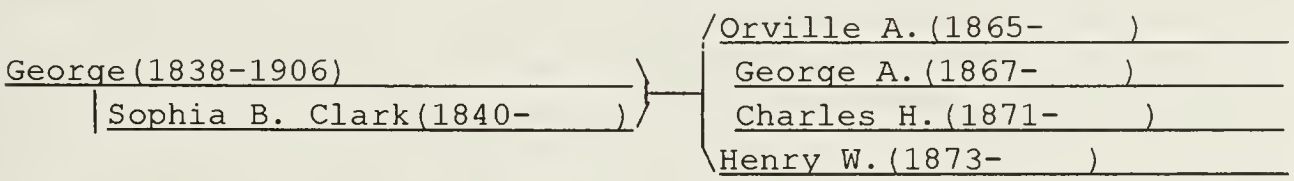
George [8]

Richard [1], James [2], Richard [3], Thomas [4], Philip [5], Philip, Jr. [6], Holder [7] page 393



George Sisson was born in 1838 in Illinois. He was a soldier in the Civil War. George married Sophia B. Clark of Lockport, IL. Sophia was born in 1840. George and Sophia had four sons:

Orville A. was born in 1865.

George A. was born in 1867.

Charles H. was born in 1871.

Henry W. was born in 1873 and died in Oklahoma.

George died in 1906.

We have no additional references.

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Philip Franklin [8]

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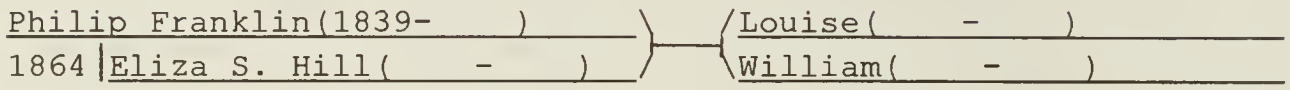

Philip Franklin "Frank" Sisson was born in October, 1839 in Seneca Falls, NY. In 1864 he married Eliza S. Hill, daughter of William C. Hill. Philip and Eliza had two children:

Louise was born about 1866.

William was born about 1868. In 1903 he bought a merchant-tailor business from his father.

Philip started a sash-and-blind factory and in 1877 converted it to an organ-and-piano business, located on the northeast corner of State and Corn Streets in Ithica, NY. In 1885 he went bankrupt and later started a merchant and tailor business at 135 East State Street, which he sold to his son William in 1903. In 1882 he was "the thirty-ninth president" of Ithica.

Reference: (569).

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Ervin [8]

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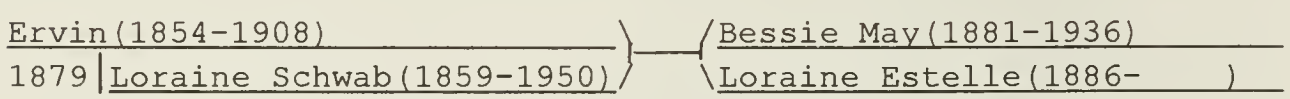

Ervin (or Irving) Sisson was born April 2, 1854 in Seneca Falls, NY. On December 31, 1879 he married Loraine Schwab. Loraine was born August 6, 1859. Ervin and Loraine had two daughters, both born in Fayette, Seneca County, NY:

Bessie May was born September 10, 1881 and died May 25, 1936 in Auburn, Cayuga County, NY.

Loraine Estelle was born October 31, 1886.

Ervin died in April, 1908; Loraine died in June, 1950. Both died in Auburn.

Reference: (458).

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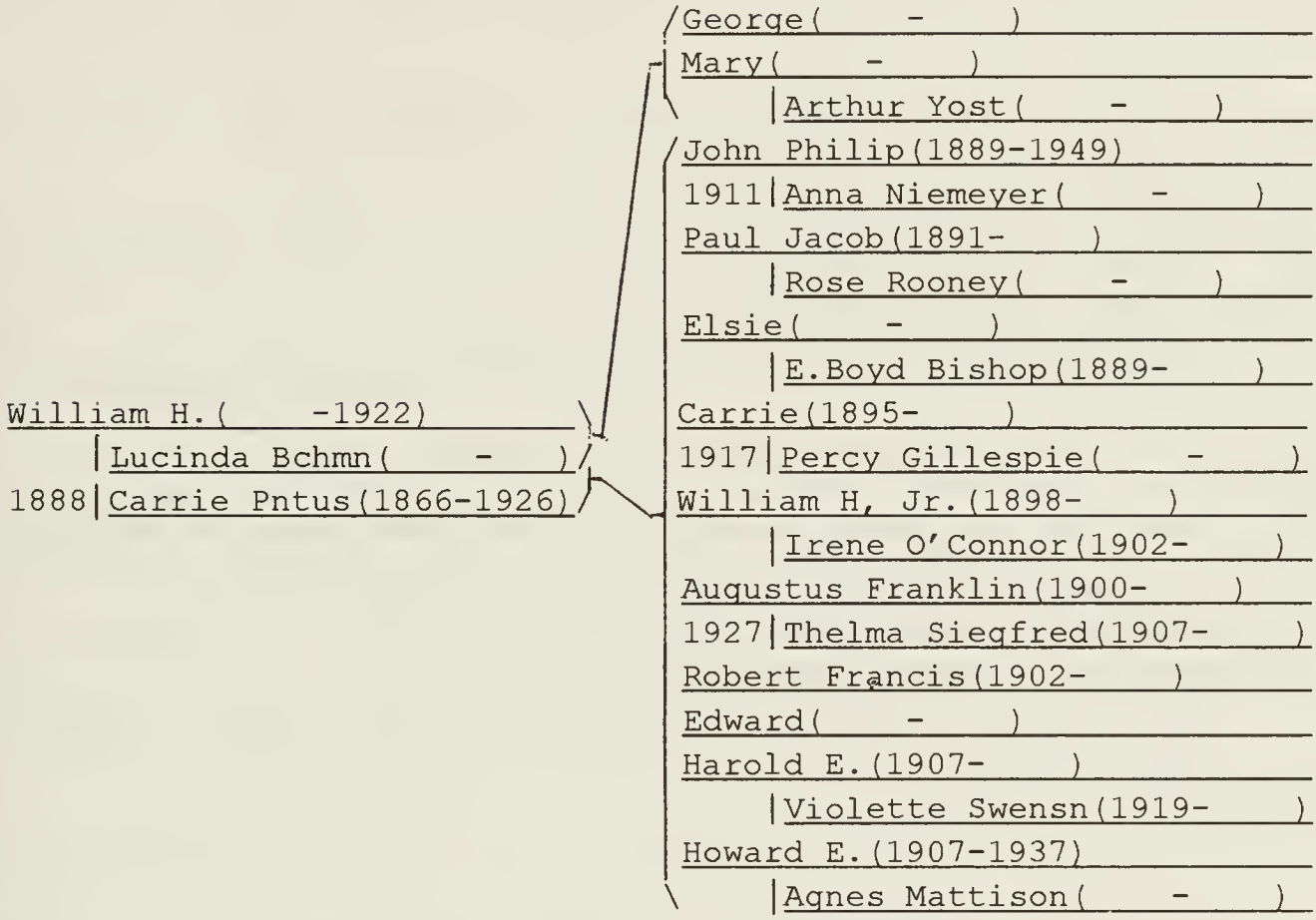
Richard [1], James [2], Richard [3], Thomas [4], Philip [5], Philip, Jr. [6], Philip, III [7] page 396



William H. Sisson was born about 1855 in New York. He married first Lucinda Bachman; she may have been born about 1860. William and Lucinda had two children:

George may have been born about 1880. He died at age 28.

Mary may have been born about 1882. She married Arthur Yost. Mary and Arthur had a daughter: Dorothy, about 1910. Mary died at age 51.

William married second May 5, 1888 Carrie Elizabeth Lena Pontius. Carrie was born in 1866. William and Carrie had ten children:

John Philip was born December 4, 1889 in Canoga, Seneca County, NY. On October 7, 1911 in Eagle River, WI, he married Anna Niemeyer. They had a daughter: Margaret, married first E. R. McQuire and had four daughters, married second George Philip. John was a trapper, guide, hunter and fisherman. He suffered a stroke and died in Rhinelander, WI, October 9, 1949. He was buried in Eagle River Cemetery.

Paul Jacob was born in 1891. He married Rose Rooney. They had a daughter: Evelyn, 1920 to 1950, married Herbert Smith.

Elsie was born about 1893. She married E. Boyd Bishop. Boyd was born May 10, 1889. They lived in Canoga where he had a

plumbing, heating and grocery business. Elsie and Boyd had one son: E. Boyd, Jr., May 4, 1920 married Evelyn Post. [Elsie and Boyd are the grandparents of Elwyn Bishop.]

Carrie was born in 1895. On February 2, 1917 she married Percy Gillespie. They had two children: Ruth Elizabeth, December 14, 1918 married Warren Mundt; and Robert William, April 17, 1923 married Elaine Cross.

William H., Jr. was born in 1898. He married Irene O'Connor. Irene was born in 1902. They had two sons: Thomas, about 1927; and William, about 1935 married Marylin Rook, had a daughter.

Augustus Franklin was born in 1900. On September 16, 1927 in Seneca Falls he married Thelma I. Siegfried. Thelma was born in 1907. He was a millwright and machinist with Gould Pump Company, Seneca Falls. Augustus and Thelma had a daughter: Elizabeth, August 2, 1928 married July 3, 1954 Richard Rausch.

Robert Francis was born in 1902. He was employed by the City of Seneca Falls.

Edward may have been born about 1904. He died at age 3 months.

Harold E. was born in 1907. He married Violette Swenson. Violette was born in 1919. They had three children: Emilie; Shirley; and Harold E., Jr.

Howard E. was born in 1907, a twin to Harold. He married Agnes Mattison. Howard died in 1937.

William died in 1922 in Seneca Falls. Carrie died in 1926.

Reference: (458).

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Frank E. [8]

Richard [1], James [2], Richard [3], James [4], Daniel [5], George [6], Alden T. [7] page 397

Frank E. (1850-1937) — 1876 — Phebe M Ball (1853-1937)

- Evelyn Frances (1877-)
- Charles F. Cook (1865-) — 1907
- Bina J. (1878-1909)
- Edward B Haskell (1861-) — 1897

Frank E. Sisson was born in 1850 in Westport, MA. On April 2, 1876 in Westport he married Phebe M. Ball, daughter of William R. and Sylvia (Soule') Ball. Phebe was born January 13, 1853 at Block Island, RI. Frank and Phebe had two daughters, both born in Westport:

Evelyn Frances was born May 6, 1877. On October 24, 1907 in Providence, RI, she married Charles F. Cook, son of Alexander G. and Emily J. (Bennett) Cook as his second wife. Charles was born in 1865 in New Bedford, MA.

Bina J. was born September 10, 1878. On November 21, 1897 in New Bedford she married Edward B. Haskell, son of Isaac F. and Julia E. (Borden) Haskell. Edward was born in 1861 in North Dartmouth, MA. Bina died October 26, 1909 in New Bedford.

About 1887 the family moved to New Bedford where Frank was employed as a clerk in Cushman's Grocery Store and later in the Manhattan Market. Frank died March 20, 1937 at home in New Bedford. Phebe died within twelve hours of his death. A double funeral was held March 23 with interment at Rural Cemetery, New Bedford.

Reference: (11) Vol. III, p.89.

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William Henry [8]

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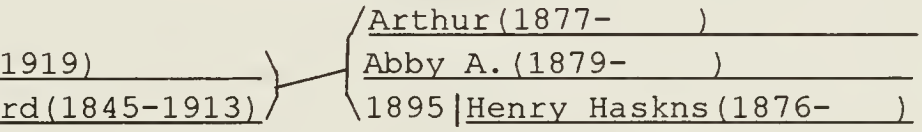

William Henry Sisson was born July 19, 1841 in Westport, MA. On February 6, 1864 he married Eugenia A. Gifford, daughter of Alexander B. and Hannah R. ( ) Sisson Gifford. Eugenia was born July 13, 1845 in Westport. William and Eugenia had two children:

Arthur was born August 6, 1877 in Fall River, MA.

Abby A. was born September 11, 1879 in New Bedford, MA. On May 8, 1895 in Fairhaven, MA, she married Henry Haskins, son of Frank and Abbie (Kieth) Haskins. Henry was born in 1876 in New Bedford.

Eugenia died January 3, 1913; William died December 14, 1919, both in New Bedford.

Reference: (11) Vol. III, p.90.

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Henry Wilmot [8]

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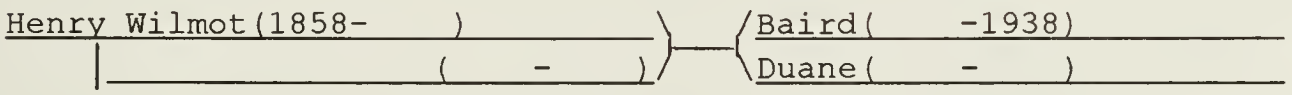

Henry "Harry" Wilmot Sisson was born in 1858. We do not know his wife's name. She and Henry had two children:

Baird may have been born about 1880. He died September 24, 1938.

Duane may have been born about 1885.

We have no additional references.

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Francis DeWitt [8]

Richard [1], James [2], Richard [3], James [4], Daniel [5], Warren [6], Benjamin Taylor [7] page 399

Francis DeWitt Sisson was born in 1861. We do not know his wife's name. She and Francis had a son:

Ralph L. was born about 1890 and lived in Toledo, OH.

We have no additional references.

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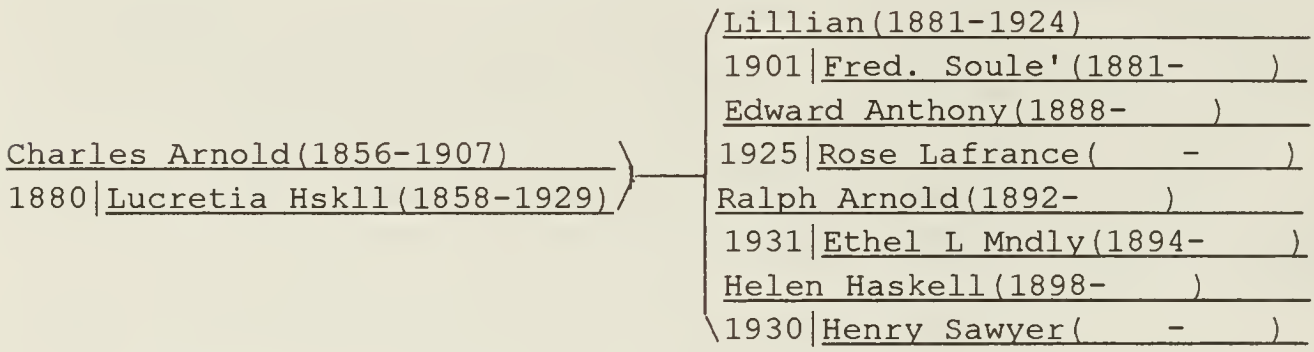
Charles Arnold [8]

Richard [1], James [2], Richard [3], James [4], Daniel [5], Warren [6], Arnold Bliss [7] page 400



Charles Arnold Sisson was born May 13, 1856 in Dartmouth, MA. On November 30, 1880 he married Lucretia Haskell, daughter of Edward P. and Jane A. (Randall) Haskell. Lucretia was born December 28, 1858 in New Bedford, MA. Charles and Lucretia had four children, all born in New Bedford:

Lillian was born June 19, 1881. On April 3, 1901 in Providence, RI, (or May 3, 1901 in New Bedford) she married Frederick Dexter Soule', son of Albert W. and Emmy Y. (Tobey) Soule'. Frederick was born in 1881 in New Bedford. Lillian died December 18, 1924.

Edward Anthony was born October 27, 1888. On May 21, 1925 in Miami, FL, he married Rose Lafrance.

Ralph Arnold was born November 6, 1892. On April 14, 1931 in New York, NY, he married Ethel Leonard Mandly, daughter of Anthony J. and Laura (Jennings) Mandly. Ethel was born in 1894.

Helen Haskell was born May 22, 1898. On February 5, 1930 in New Bedford she married Henry A. Sawyer, Jr, son of Henry A. and _____ (Hoxie) Sawyer.

Charles died June 4, 1907 in Taunton, MA, and is buried in Oak Grove Cemetery, Falmouth, MA. Lucretia died December 15, 1929 in New Bedford.

Reference: (11) Vol. III, p.92.

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William James [8]

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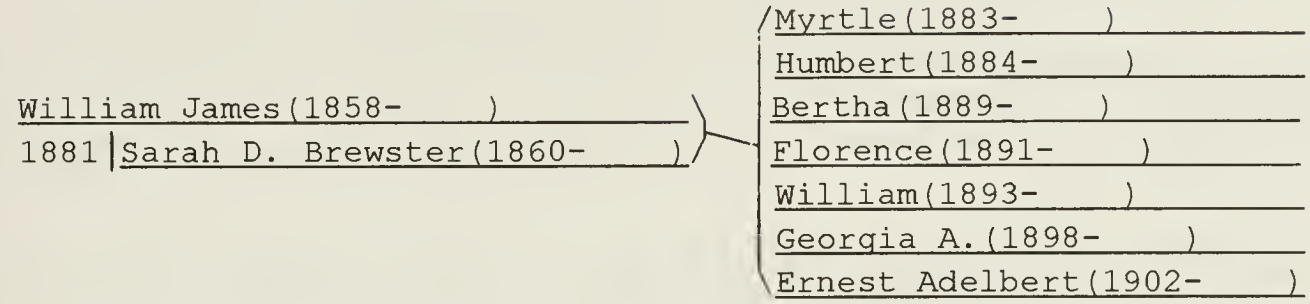

William James Sisson was born April 5, 1858 in West Ft. Ann, NY. He was a blacksmith, farmer and member of the Missionary Baptist Church. On December 11, 1881 he married Sarah D. Brewster, daughter of Benjamin W. and Sally (Benjamin) Brewster of Ft. Ann. Sarah has also been reported as "Lillian". She was born February 11, 1860. At some time the family lived in Hastings, IA. William and Sarah had seven children:

Myrtle was born July 30, 1883 and lived in Royan, NE.
Humbert was born December 5, 1884.
Bertha was born January 8, 1889.
Florence was born March 31, 1891.
William was born August 23, 1893.
Georgia A. was born November 29, 1898.
E(a)rnest Adelbert was born July 7, 1902. He lived in Sterling, CO.

We have no additional references.

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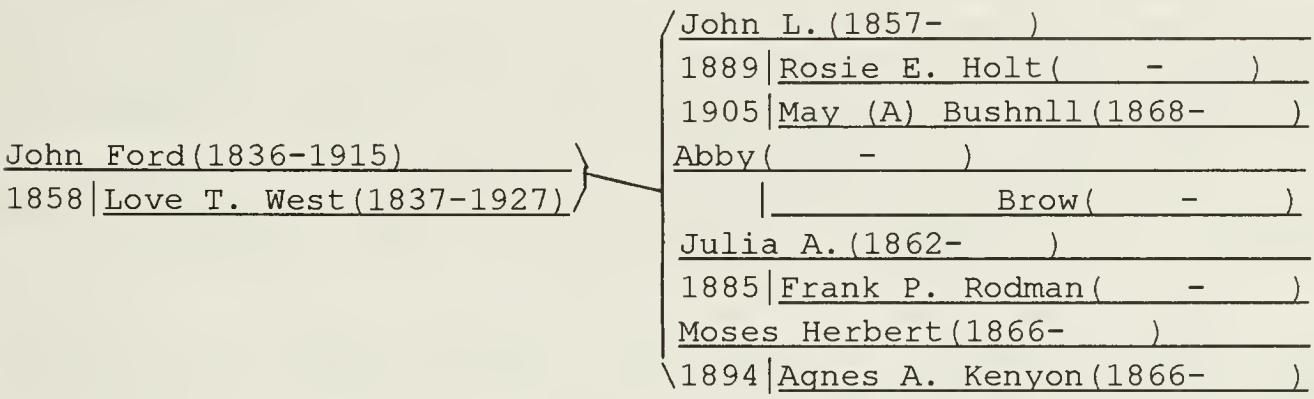
John Ford [8]

Richard [1], James [2], James, Jr. [3], Lewis [4], Job [5], John Ford [6], Job [7] page 403



John Ford Sisson was born July 29, 1836. He was a mariner and fisherman. In 1858 in Chilmark he married Love Tabor West, daughter of Moses and Rebecca ( ) West. Love was born in 1837 in Chilmark. John and Love had four children:

John L. was born October 17, 1857 in Chilmark. He married first in 1889 in Boston Rosie E. Holt and second September 6, 1905

in Boston Mrs. May C. (Adams) Bushnell, daughter of Charles and Abby (Powers) Adams. May was born in 1868 in Damariscotta, ME.

Abby was born about 1860. She married Mr. Brow.

Julia A. was born in 1862 in New Bedford. On September 1, 1885 in New Bedford she married Frank P. Rodman, son of Samuel J. and Sarah ( ) Rodman.

Moses Herbert, born July 18, 1866 in Chilmark is discussed on page 694.

John died February 16, 1915 in New Bedford; his wife then lived with their daughter Julia Rodman. Love died July 7, 1927 in Fairhaven, MA. Both are buried in Rural Cemetery.

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George William [8]

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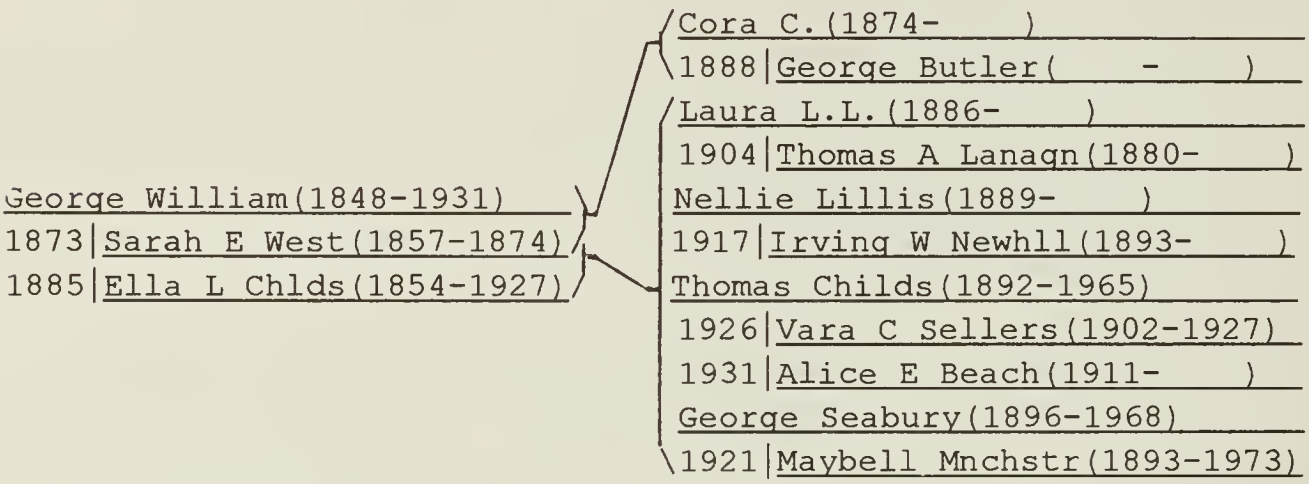

George William Sisson was born July 14, 1848 in New Bedford, MA. He was a cooper, boat-steerer and whaleman. He married first October 23, 1873 Sarah E. West, daughter of Clemen C. and Sarah S. ( ) West. Sarah was born in November, 1857 in Mattapoisett, MA. George and Sarah had a daughter:

Cora C. was born February 2, 1874 in New Bedford. On May 17, 1888 in New Bedford she married George Butler, son of George H. and Aurelia C. ( ) Butler. George was born in 1865 in Lowell.

Sarah died August 22, 1874 in New Bedford. She is buried in Rural Cemetery there. George married second November 12, 1885 in New Bedford, Ella Louise Childs, daughter of Thomas and Abby A. (Graves) Childs. Ella was born January 3, 1854 in New Bedford. George and Ella had four children all born in New Bedford:

Laura L. L. was born November 11, 1886. On October 6, 1904 in New Bedford she married Thomas A. Lanagan, son of Thomas T. and Marie E. (Thompson) Lanagan. Thomas was born in 1880 in New Bedford.

Nellie Lillis was born January 21, 1889. Nellie had four children: a child, November 27, 1905 in Boston; George S., December 1, 1907 in Boston; Clayton Emery, September 18, 1911 in Brockton;

and Charles Francis, August 3, 1915 in New Bedford. On January 26, 1917 in New Bedford she married Irving W. Newhall, son of Everett and Ann (Manson) Newhall. Irving was born in 1893 in Wells, ME.

Thomas Childs, born July 14, 1892 is discussed on page 695.

George Seabury was born March 10, 1896. On August 13, 1921 in New Bedford he married Maybelle B. Manchester, daughter of Stephen T. and Flora P. (Potter) Manchester. Maybelle was born in 1893 in New Bedford. George died July 30, 1968; Maybelle died September 5, 1973. They are buried in Maine.

About 1915 George became an employee of the New Bedford Cordage Company. Ella died December 29, 1927 at 150 Chancery Street; George died May 28, 1931 at 55 Hill Street. Both died in New Bedford and are buried in Rural Cemetery.

References: (462); (570).

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Stephen L. [8]

Richard [1], James [2], Jonathan [3], William [4], Nathaniel [5], Stephen [6], George [7] page 408

Stephen L. (1840-)
1863 Anna Haviland(-)

- Lydia A.(-)
- Anna E.(-)
- Alice(-)
- Josephine L.(-)
  - Davis(-)
- Elida(-)
  - Johnson(-)

Stephen L. Sisson was born March 4, 1840 in Collins Center, Erie County, NY. He was a farmer. In 1863 he married Anna H. Haviland of Warren County, NY, daughter of David J. Haviland. Stephen and Anna had three or five children:

Lydia A.
Anna E.
Alice.

Briggs mentions only these three children. There may have been two additional daughters, born in Erie County, NY:

Josephine L., who married a Mr. Davis.
Elida, who married a Mr. Johnson.

[It is possible that Lydia and Elida are the same person. We do not know the birth order of the children.]

Reference: (175) pp.685-7.

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Leonard [8]

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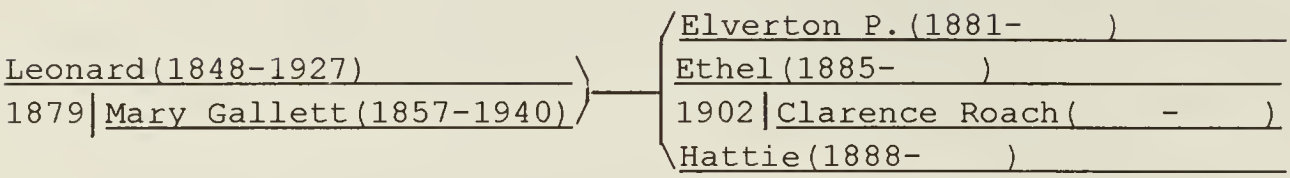

Leonard Sisson was born June 27, 1848 in Brandt, NY. He was a farmer. On October 1, 1879 in Hanover, NY, he married Mary Gallett, daughter of Morton and Adeline (Gage) Gallett. Mary was born in 1857. They lived in Springfield and then Fairview, PA. Leonard and Mary had three children, all born in Springfield:

Elverton P. was born February 20, 1881.

Ethel was born November 26, 1885. On May 27, 1902 in Fairview, she married Clarence Roach.

Hattie was born August 14, 1888.

Leonard died in 1927; Mary died in 1940.

Reference: (571).

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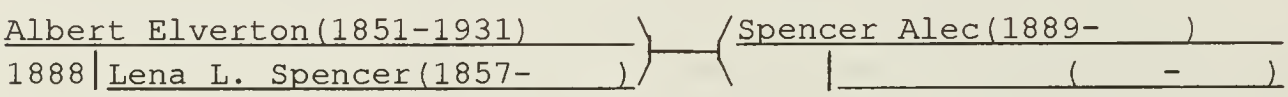
Albert Elverton [8]

Richard [1], James [2], Jonathan [3], William [4], Nathaniel [5], Benjamin [6], Nathaniel [7] page 410



Albert Elverton Sisson was born January 12, 1851 in Dayton, NY. He was an attorney-at-law, a member of the Pennsylvania Legislature and Senate 1900-1908. He was Auditor General 1909-1914 and District Attorney. Albert was a Republican and Episcopalian. On March 16, 1885 Nathaniel Sisson deeded land to A. E. Sisson; on March 26, 1887 Leonard Sisson deeded land to A. E. Sisson. On December 13, 1888 in Providence, RI, he married Lena L. Spencer, daughter of Dr. Henry A. and Julia (Cook) Spencer. Lena was born November 13, 1857 in Waterford, PA. Albert and Lena had a son:

Spencer Alec (or Alec Spencer) was born November 2, 1889 in Erie, PA. He was an attorney, practicing with his father. He filed a delayed birth certificate in Erie City, Erie County, PA (File #5758, Reg. #4183). We do not know his wife's name. She and Spencer had three children.

Albert died December 10, 1931 in Erie, PA.

References: (50) pp.2967-9; (572) Vol. 81, p.725 & Vol. 87, p.774.

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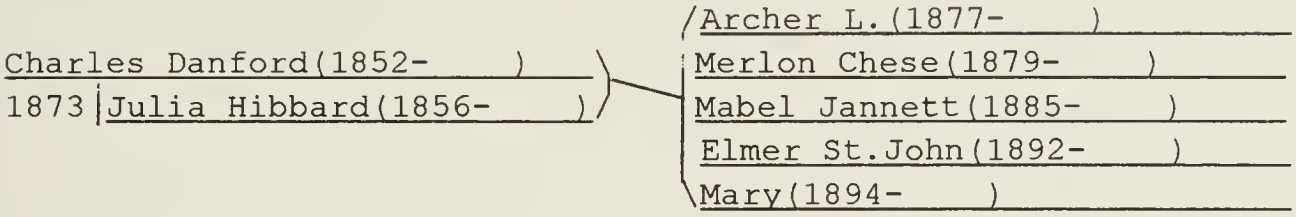
Charles Danford [8]

Richard [1], James [2], Jonathan [3], William [4], Nathaniel [5], Benjamin [6], John Ferris [7] page 412



Charles Danford Sisson was born October 3, 1852. On April 6, 1873 he married Julia Hibbard. Julia was born January 26, 1856 in Collins, Erie County, NY. Charles and Julia had five children:

Archer L. was born January 25, 1877.

Merlon Chese was born September 17, 1879.

Mabel Jannett was born August 5, 1885.

Elmer St.John was born January 23, 1892.

Mary was born October 6, 1894.

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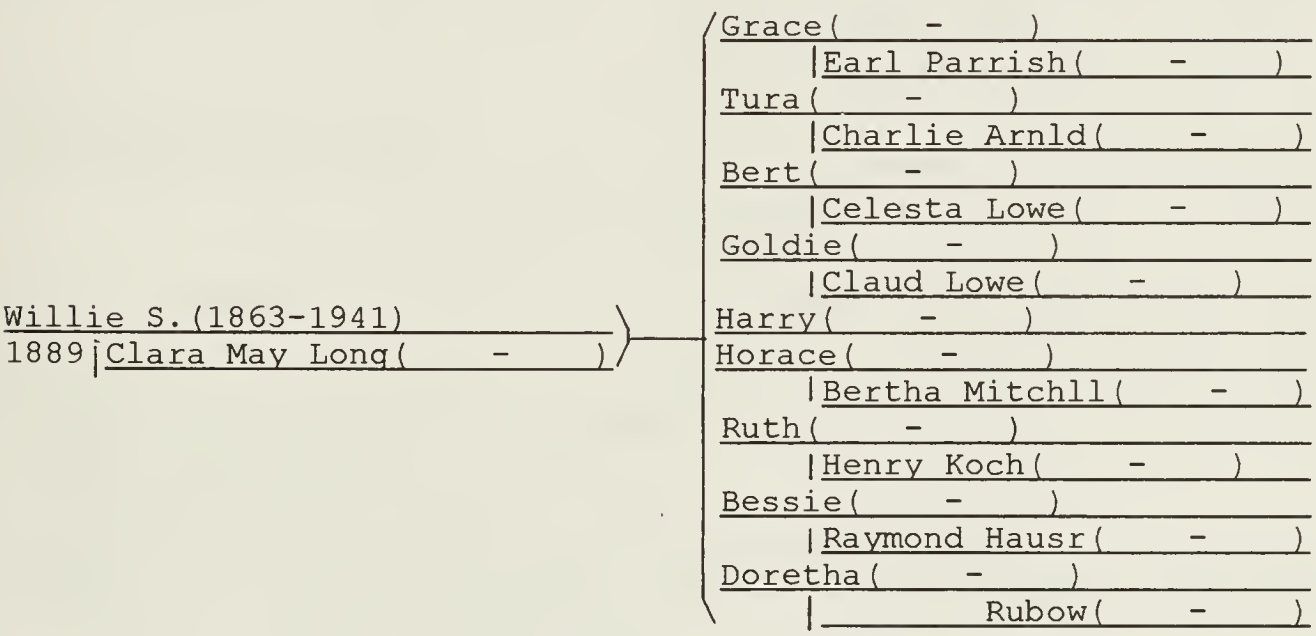
Willie S. [8]

Richard [1], James [2], Jonathan [3], William [4], Nathaniel [5], Daniel [6], James Samuel [7] page 413



Willie S. Sisson was born February 13, 1863. On September 18, 1889 he married Clara May Long. Willie and Clara had nine children:

Grace may have been born about 1891. She married Earl Parrish.

Tura may have been born about 1893. She married Charlie Arnold.

Bert may have been born about 1896. He married Celesta Lowe.

Goldie may have been born about 1898. She married Claud Lowe.

Harry may have been born about 1900.

Horace may have been born about 1903. He married Bertha Mitchell.

Ruth may have been born about 1905. She married Henry Koch.

Bessie may have been born about 1907. She married Raymond Hauser.

Doretha may have been born about 1910. She married Mr. Rubow.

Willie died December 19, 1941.

Reference: (303).

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Charley [8]

Richard [1], James [2], Jonathan [3], William [4], Nathaniel [5], Daniel [6], James Samuel [7] page 413

Charley (1872-1959)
1914 | Eldora J Gough(-)

Romanie(1916-)
1937 | Paul M Hockett(-)

Charley Sisson was born February 29, 1872 in Felix Twp, Grundy County, IA. He lived on the homestead. On February 16, 1914 in Eldora, IA, he married Eldora Jane Gough. Charley and Eldora had a daughter:

Romanie was born March 10, 1916 in Iowa. On December 31, 1937 in Des Moines, IA, she married Paul Milton Hockett, son of Ross and Susie (Glenn) Hockett. Romainie and Paul had two children: Vernon J., April 14, 1939; and Ronald Lee, June 15, 1942.

Charley died November 28, 1959.

Reference: (303).

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Rufus Lasher [8]

Richard [1], James [2], Jonathan [3], William [4], Nathaniel [5], James [6], George Wing [7] page 415

Rufus Lasher(1860-1936)
1886 | Mary E Coffin(1862-)

Lewis Hamilton(1887-1953)
1914 | Margaret Parker(1891-1965)

Rufus Lasher, Jr.(1890-)
1916 | Dorothy Castle(-)

Ruth Coffin(1892-)
1921 | Jefferson Bynum(-)

Walter Coffin(1894-)
1924 | Ruth A Griffith(-)

Mary Edith(-)

Rufus Lasher Sisson was born April 30, 1860 in Coxsackie, NY. His family moved in 1867 to Pottsdam, NY. He was a twin to James. He worked in the lumber and paper business with his father and

became vice-president and treasurer of the company. He was educated in public schools, was a Presbyterian, Republican, and member of the Grange. On September 1, 1886 in Ogdensburg, NY, Rufus married Mary Edith Coffin, daughter of Julius Augustus and Jane Ann (Partridge) Coffin. Mary was born March 27, 1862 in Lisbon, NY. Rufus and Mary had five children:

Lewis Hamilton, born October 14, 1887 is discussed on page 696.

Rufus Lasher, Jr., born September 11, 1890 in Pottsdam is discussed on page 697.

Ruth Coffin was born August 22, 1892. On June 25, 1921 in Pottsdam she married Jefferson C. Bynum. They lived in Chapel Hill, NC, and had two children: Jefferson C, Jr.; and Rufus Sisson.

Walter Coffin, born September 5, 1894 is discussed on page 697.

Mary Edith was born about 1897.

Rufus died December 30, 1936 in Pottsdam.

References: (11) Vol. III, pp.94, 132; (27) Vol. III, p.419; (50) pp.1119, 1209, 1576, 1819, & 2386; (300).

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George Wing, Jr. [8]

Richard [1], James [2], Jonathan [3], William [4], Nathaniel [5], James [6], George Wing [7] page 415

George Wing, Jr.(1862-)
1887 Mary Howes(1868-)

- Emma Howes(1888-1893)
- Marian Grace(1890-)
  1913 Frederick B Weed(-)
- George Wing, III(1892-1893)
- Stanley Howes(1894-)
  1919 Esther Merritt(-)
- George Wing, III(1899-)
  1923 Irma Rutherford(-)

George Wing Sisson, Jr. was born September 12, 1862 in Glens Falls, NY. He was manager of a lumber company and a dairy and stock breeder. He operated a farm of 54 to 700 acres with 50 to 125 jersey cows. He was a Republican, Presbyterian, Mason and member of the Grange. On October 26, 1887 in Gouveneur, NY, he married Mary Howes, daughter of Joseph and Hannah (Sanders) Howes. Mary was born September 2, 1868 in Gouveneur. They lived in Pottsdam, NY. George and Mary had five children:

Emma (or Erma) Howes was born September 2, 1888 and died in October, 1893.

Marian Grace was born February 4, 1890. On December 19, 1913 she married Frederick Barker Weed. Marian and "Barker" had two children: Jane; and Frederick Augustus, II.

The first George Wing, III, was born December 20, 1892 and died October 17, 1893.

Stanley Howes, born September 2, 1894 is discussed on page 697.

The second George Wing, III, born October 23, 1899 is discussed on page 698.

References: September, 1939 newspaper article, re: Jersey Cattle Club; (11) Vol. III, pp.95, 113; (50) pp.2304-5.

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Charles Hamilton [8]

Richard [1], James [2], Jonathan [3], William [4], Nathaniel [5], James [6], George Wing [7] page 415

Charles Hamilton(1866-1940)
1891 | Daisy A Cran(1868-1946)

- Marjorie Crane(1892-)
  - Donald P. White(-)
- Dorothy Hamilton(1894-1967)
  - 1917 | Harold A. Castl(-)
  - 1942 | Rod D Schofield(-)
- Jerome Crane(1898-1990)
  - 1926 | Muriel Otis(-)
  - 1942 | Ruth V. Skinner(1910-)
- Sarah Hamilton(1900-)
  - Roger M. Huber(-)
- Patricia Coggeshall(1909-1993)
  - Grant F. Cotton(-1975)

Charles Hamilton Sisson was born February 6, 1866 in Glens Falls, NY. He was in the lumber and paper-milling business. He was president of two lumber companies and managed the Sisson Realty. He was a Mason and Shriner. On January 28, 1891 in Pottsdam, NY, he married Daisy Ann Crane, daughter of Samuel and Harriett (Bissell) Crane. Daisy was born in 1868. At some time they lived in Chattanooga, TN. Charles and Daisy had five children, all but Jerome born in Pottsdam, NY:

Marjorie Crane was born June 17, 1892. She married Donald Palmer White in Pottsdam. Marjorie and Donald had three sons: Donald Palmer, Jr.; Charles Sisson; and Walter Spurr. Marjorie died in Jacksonville, FL.

Dorothy Hamilton was born November 13, 1894. In 1917 she married Harold Alvin Castle; they resided in Muskegon, MI. Dorothy and Harold had three sons: Robert Hamilton; Richard Bruce; and Harold Alvin, Jr. Dorothy and Harold were divorced. In 1942 Dorothy married Rob D. Schofield. They were also divorced. Dorothy died February 20, 1967 in Chelsea, MA.

Jerome Crane, born October 15, 1898 in Tupper Lake, NY, is discussed on page 698.

Sarah Hamilton was born April 24, 1900/1. In Pottsdam Sarah married Roger Merwin Huber, son of Mrs. Belle Huber Sauers of Lockport, NY. They lived in Rochester, NY. They were divorced with no issue. In April, 1990 Sarah was living in Sandwich, MA, and in 1993 in Needham.

Patricia Coggeshall was born March 17, 1909. She married Grant Fairbrother Cotton in Pottsdam. Patricia and Grant adopted two daughters: Brooke, who married Mr. Bovo; and Bonnie, who married Mr. Valine. They moved to Walnut Creek, Contra Costa County, CA, in 1974. Grant died in 1975 and Patricia died February 25, 1993 in Walnut Creek. Ref: her obituary "The Valley Times", Pleasanton, CA, March 1, 1993.

Charles died in 1940; Daisy died in 1946.

References: (11) Vol. III, p.96; (50) p.1120.

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Francis Ten Eyck [8]

Richard [1], James [2], Jonathan [3], William [4], Nathaniel [5], James [6], George Wing [7] page 415

Francis Ten Eyck(1868-)
1904 | Sarah Thompson(-)
- Margaret Thompson(1906-)
  | Karl Larsson(-)
- Barbara Thompson(1911-)
- Francis Ten Eyck Jr(1913-)
  | Carolyn (-)

Francis Ten Eyck Sisson was born September 15, 1868 in Potsdam, NY. On October 20, 1904 in Malone, NY, he married Sarah M. Thompson, daughter of Dr. Forest Thompson. Francis and Sarah had three children:

Margaret Thompson was born March 8, 1906. She married Karl Larsson. Margaret and Karl had two children: Michele K., who married James L. Battles; and another child.

Barbara Thompson was born June 11, 1911. She died unmarried.

Francis Ten Eyck, Jr., was born February 16, 1913. He married Carolyn ( ). They had three children and lived in Pottsdam.

Another child, Frances, has also been reported born before 1910.

Francis Ten Eyck died in Pottsdam.

References: (11) Vol. III, p.97; (50) pp.1120, 1209, 1576, 1819.

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Frederick Reynolds [8]

Richard [1], James [2], Jonathan [3], William [4], Nathaniel [5], James [6], George Wing [7] page 415

Frederick Reynlds(1870-1936)
1894 | Lena A Cook(-)
- Frederick Reynolds Jr(1908-)
  | Christine (-)
- Geraldine Cook(1911-)
  1934 | Alfred S Walden(-)

Frederick Reynolds Sisson was born December 16, 1870 in Pottsdam, NY. He was in the lumber and paper pulp business with his

father and brother Rufus and later with the Racquette Paper Co. He served several terms as Mayor of the village. On June 28, 1894 in Pottsdam, he married Lena A. Cook of Lisbon, NY, daughter of Samuel R. and Mary (Lytle) Cook. Frederick and Lena had two children:

Frederick Reynolds, Jr. was born June 30, 1908. He married Christine ( ) and had two children.

Geraldine Cook was born about 1911. In 1934 in Pottsdam she married Alfred Stubbs Walden, son of Charles C. Walden, Jr, of Stone Ridge, NJ. They lived in Englewood, NY, and had two children.

Frederick died at home in Potsdam July 7, 1936.

References: (11) Vol. III, p.98; (50) p.1120.

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Burke [8]

Richard [1], James [2], Jonathan [3], William [4], Nathaniel [5], Lemuel [6], William H. [7] page 417

Burke (1861-1889) ⎫ ⎧ Anna Clarinda (1884-1971)
1884 Cora E Gletty (1866-1886) ⎭——⎩ 1908 Guy A Simpson (1877-1943)

Burke Sisson was born October 30, 1861 in Wisconsin. He was a farmer. On January 2, 1884 in Clare, Webster County, IA, he married Cora E. Gletty, daughter of Charles Louis and Louisa (Guth) Gletty. Cora was born April 21, 1866 in DeKalb County, IL. Burke and Cora had one daughter:

Anna Clarinda was born October 19, 1884 in Clare. On June 9, 1908 in Manson, Calhoun County, IA, she married Guy Arthur Simpson, son of John A. and Lucretia Jane (Hale) Simpson. Guy was born November 26, 1877 in Old Tripoli, Bremer County, IA. He was a lumberman and Methodist. Anna and Guy had two children: Esther S., December 1, 1912, married Paul R. Rash; and George Earle, November 16, 1918, married Jewel Owens. Guy died September 4, 1943 in Manson, IA; Anna died December 22, 1971 in Des Moines, IA. Both are buried in Rose Hill Cemetery in Manson.

Cora died February 23, 1886 in Clare. She is also buried in Rose Hill Cemetery. Burke died April 30, 1889 in Urbana, Phelps County, NE. He is buried in Green Ridge Cemetery, Kenosha, WI.

Reference: (308).

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George Hamilton [8]

Richard [1], James [2], Jonathan [3], Jonathan, Jr. [4], Silvanus [5], Uriah [6], Allan [7] page 417

George Hamilton(1844-1923)
1867 | Sarah Scofield(1843-1903)

- Edward Allan(1869-1939)
  1896 | Irene Orr(1869-1958)
- Charles Hamilton(1871-1961)
  1913 | Edna Otte(1876-1952)
- Lucille(1876-1936)
- Genevieve(1880-1955)

George Hamilton Sisson was born February 5, 1844 in Cass County, MI. On June 4, 1867 in Mishawaka, IN, he married Sarah Scofield, daughter of Edward and Elizabeth (Williams) Scofield. Sarah was born March 27, 1843 in Cleves, OH. George and Sarah had four children:

Edward Allan, born August 13, 1869 in Chicago is discussed on page 699.

Charles Hamilton was born January 11, 1871. On October 15, 1913 he married Edna Otte, daughter of William and Ella (Finke) Otte. Edna was born October 24, 1876. Charles and Edna had no issue. Edna died December 1, 1952(?); Charles died March 19, 1961.

Lucille was born January 15, 1876 and died May 14, 1936, unmarried.

Genevieve was born March 21, 1880 and died August 20, 1955.

Sarah died circa 1903; George died circa 1923.

We have no additional references.

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Benjamin F. [8]

Richard [1], James [2], Jonathan [3], Jonathan, Jr. [4], David [5], Abner [6], Jonathan F. [7] page 419

Benjamin F.(1860-1932)
1881 | Ida Borden(1861-1931)

- Franklin Brayton(1899-)
- 1918 | Hazel B Westgate(-)

Benjamin F. Sisson was born December 20, 1860 in Westport, MA. Benjamin lived in Fall River where he became a carpenter and builder. On September 7, 1881 in Fall River he married Ida M. A. Borden, daughter of Stephen and Sarah P. ( ) Borden. Ida was born July 14, 1861 in Fall River. Benjamin and Ida had a son:

Franklin Brayton, born January 19, 1899 is discussed on page 699.

Ida died May 24, 1931; Benjamin died March 1, 1932. Both died in Fall River and are buried in Oak Grove Cemetery.

Reference: (11) Vol. III, p.100.

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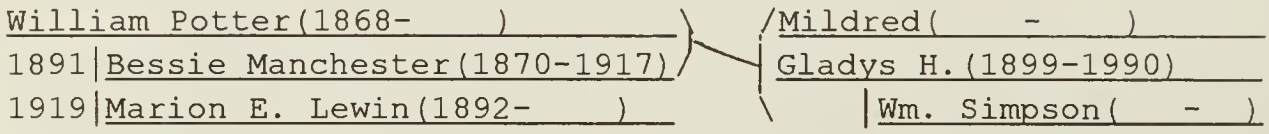
William Potter [8]

Richard [1], James [2], Jonathan [3], Jonathan, Jr. [4], David [5], Abner [6], Jonathan F. [7] page 419



William Potter Sisson was born February 2, 1868 in Fall River, MA. On February 25, 1891 in Boston he married Bessie M. Manchester, daughter of David H. and Amanda F. (Macomber) Manchester. Bessie was born August 1, 1870 in Tiverton, RI. William and Bessie had two daughters:

Mildred may have been born about 1895.

Gladys H. was born July 20, 1899 in Fall River. She married William C. Simpson. Gladys and William had a son: William C., Jr. Gladys died in 1990.

Bessie died April 12, 1917 in Fall River. She is buried in Oak Grove Cemetery. William married second January 22, 1919 in Fall River Marion E. Lewin, daughter of George E. and Jennie C. (Wilson) Lewin. Marion was born about 1892 in Fall River. There were no children by this second marriage.

Reference: (11) Vol. III, p.101.

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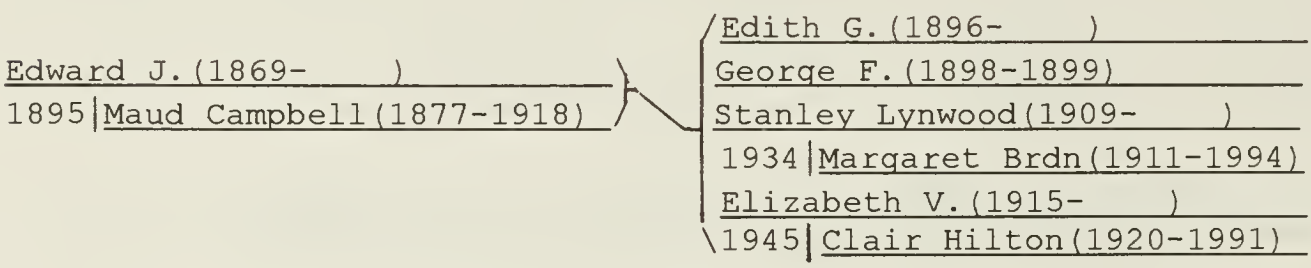
Edward J. [8]

Richard [1], James [2], Jonathan [3], Jonathan, Jr. [4], David [5], Abner [6], Jonathan F. [7] page 419



Edward J. Sisson was born December 24, 1869 in Fall River, MA. He was a carpenter. On October 8, 1895 in Fall River he married Maud A. Campbell, daughter of Henry W. and Esther L.( ) Campbell. Maud was born June 3, 1877 in Nova Scotia. Edward and Maud had four children, all born in Fall River:

Edith G. was born July 16, 1896.

George F. was born June 7, 1898 and died July 4, 1899. He is buried in Oak Grove Cemetery.

Stanley Lynwood was born January 16, 1909. On July 7, 1934 in Fall River he married Margaret Borden, daughter of Lawrence L. Borden. Margaret was born in 1911. Stanley and Margaret had two children: Caroline Borden, 1939; and Jonathan Borden, 1941, married Linda Gurley, had a son: Gregory P. Margaret died in 1994.

Elizabeth V. was born March 26, 1915. In 1945 she married Clair E. Hilton. Clair was born in 1920. Elizabeth and Clair had a son: Edward Sisson, married Margot H. Hykes. Clair died in 1991.

Maud died February 11, 1918 at her home in Fall River. She is buried in Oak Grove Cemetery.

References: Data from Elizabeth Hilton; (11) Vol. III, p.102.

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William Abner [8]

Richard [1], James [2], Jonathan [3], Jonathan, Jr. [4], David [5], Abner [6], David A. [7] page 420

William Abner (1865-1923)
1889 | Carrie L Brownll (1868-1922)
- Ralph Henry (1889-1890)
- Harry W. (1891-1892)
- Kendall Church (1900-)
- 1922 | Valma Jones (1905-)

William Abner Sisson was born May 19, 1865 in Fall River, MA. On March 30, 1889 in Fall River he married Carrie L. Brownell, daughter of Albert G. and Amy ( ) Brownell. Carrie was born July 4, 1868 in Little Compton, RI. William and Carrie had three sons:

Ralph Henry was born September 22, 1889 and died November 12, 1890 in Providence, RI.

Harry W. was born May 9, 1891 in Fall River. He died August 1, 1892.

Kendall Church, born December 10, 1900 in Providence is discussed on page 700.

Carrie died June 3, 1922 in Boston. William died January 6, 1923 at home in New Bedford, MA.

Reference: (11) Vol. III, p.103.

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Arthur Foster [8]

Richard [1], James [2], Jonathan [3], Jonathan, Jr. [4], David [5], George F. [6], George A. [7] page 422

Arthur Foster (1897-)
1925 | Gertrude Davis (-)
- Foster Davis (1926-)
- Lawrence Philip (1928-)
- Ruth (1933-)

Arthur Foster Sisson was born December 1, 1897 in North Dighton, MA. On January 17, 1925 in Brookline, MA, he married Gertrude Davis, daughter of Philip S. and Mary (Williams) Davis of West Newton, MA. Arthur and Gertrude had three children:

Foster Davis was born October 6, 1926.

Lawrence Philip was born April 26, 1928.

Ruth was born August 26, 1933.

Reference: (11) Vol. III, p.104.

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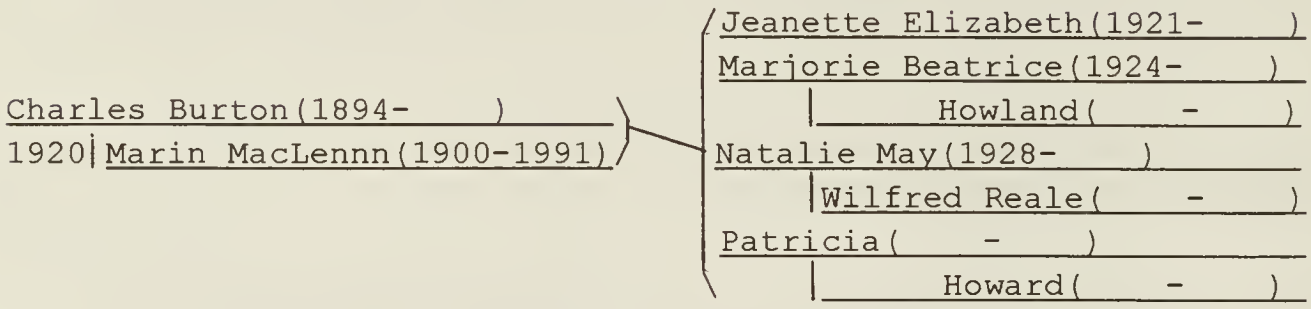
Charles Burton [8]

Richard [1], James [2], Jonathan [3], Jonathan, Jr. [4], David [5], Charles T. [6], Charles Edgar [7] page 422



Charles Burton Sisson was born August 7, 1894 in Westport, MA. His family moved to Mattapoisett, MA, in 1903. Charles served two years in France during World War I. On May 5, 1920 in Mattapoisett, he married Marion F. MacLennan (or McLenahan). Marion was born July 24, 1900 in Halifax, Nova Scotia. Charles and Marion had four daughters:

Jeanette (Janette) Elizabeth was born September 9, 1921 in New Bedford, MA.

Marjorie (Margery) Beatrice was born October 24, 1924 in Mattapoisett. She married Mr. Howland.

Natalie May was born May 9, 1928 in Mattapoisett. She married Wilfred Reale.

Patricia was born about 1934. She married Mr. Howard.

Marion died in 1991.

Reference: (11) Vol. III, p.106.

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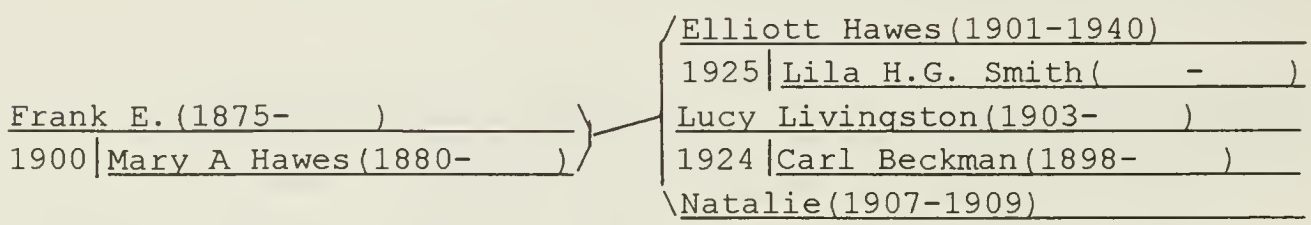
Frank E. [8]

Richard [1], James [2], Jonathan [3], Jonathan, Jr. [4], David [5], John H. [6], Frank W. [7] page 425



Frank E. Sisson was born April 29, 1875 in New Bedford, MA. Frank was a traveling salesman. On December 17, 1900 in New Bedford, he married Mary A. Hawes, daughter of Jonathan C. and Mary W. (Davis) Hawes. Mary was born January 18, 1880 in New Bedford. Frank and Mary had three children, all born in New Bedford:

Elliott Hawes, born December 8, 1901 is discussed on page 700.

Lucy Livingston was born September 28, 1903. On May 28, 1924 in New Bedford she married Carl Beckman "age 26", son of Charles E. and Wilhelmena A. (Goransen) Beckman of New Bedford.

Natalie was born December 22, 1907 and died May 24, 1909 in New Bedford.

Reference: (11) Vol. III, p.107.

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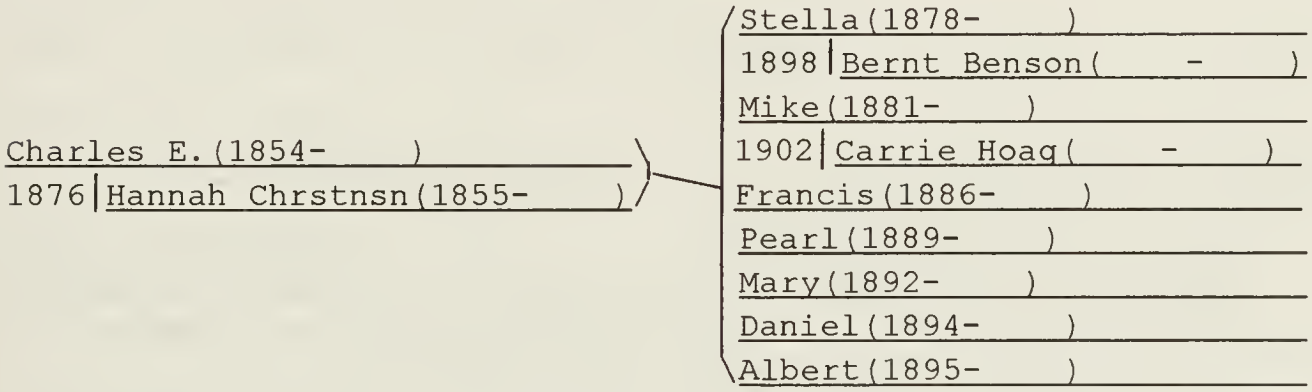
Charles E. [8]

Richard [1], James [2], Jonathan [3], John [4], Stephen [5], Judah [6], Oscar Fitzhugh [7] page 429



Charles E. Sisson was born in November, 1854. In 1876 he married Hannah Christenson. Hannah was born in February, 1855 in Sweden. In 1880 Charles moved from Jackson County, WI, with his wife, daughter, and parents to Otter Creek, Dunn County, WI, where they were living in 1900. Charles and Hannah had seven children, all born in Wisconsin:

Stella was born circa 1878 in Albion, Jackson County. On April 18, 1898 she married Bernt (or Brent) Benson.

Mike was born in August, 1881. On November 5, 1902 in Otter Creek, he married Carrie Hoag.

Francis was born in December, 1886.

Pearl was born in June, 1889.

Mary was born in May, 1892.

Daniel was born in February, 1894.

Albert was born in July, 1895.

References: (472); (574) 1900.

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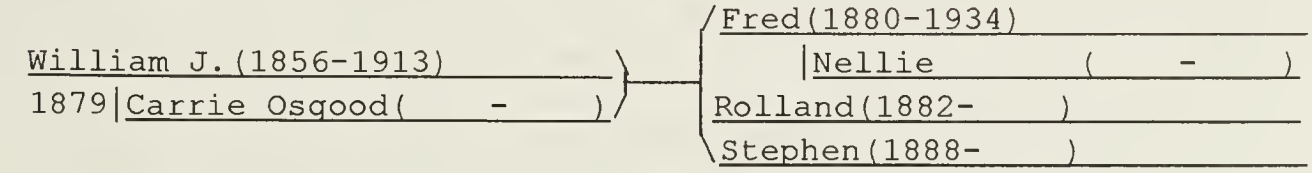
William J. [8]

Richard [1], James [2], Jonathan [3], John [4], Stephen [5], Judah [6], Oscar Fitzhugh [7] page 429



William J. Sisson was born December 20, 1856. On June 5, 1879 he married Carrie Osgood. William and Carrie had three sons:

Fred was born October 5, 1880. He married Nellie ( ). They had three children: Margaret, March 27, 1918; Jack, September 3, 1922; and Fred, Jr., January 29, 1929 to June 26, 1935. Fred, Sr, died July 26, 1934.

Rolland was born December 18, 1882.

Stephen was born December 8, 1888.

William died November 7, 1913.

References: (11) Vol. III, pp.109, 136.

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Spencer Gooding [8]

Richard [1], James [2], Jonathan [3], John [4], Stephen [5], Judah [6], Oscar Fitzhugh [7] page 429

Spencer Gooding(1865-1928)
1889 Bessie Blackmr(1865-1959)

Amy Elizabeth(1895-)
Raymond Parsns(-)

Spencer Gooding Sisson was born February 9, 1865. On October 17, 1889 in Honeoye, NY, he married Bessie Blackmer. Bessie was born in 1865. Spencer and Bessie had a daughter:

Amy Elizabeth was born November 28, 1895. She married Raymond Parsons. Amy and Raymond had a son: Ernest Parsons, about 1920. The family lived in Bristol, NY.

Spencer died in 1928; Bessie died in 1959.

Reference: (11) Vol. III, p.110.

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Benjamin Franklin [8]

Richard [1], John [2], John, Jr. [3], John, III [4], John, IV [5], Pardon [6], Matthew [7] page 432

Benjamin Franklin(1827-)
Harriet Cwls(1831-1899)

Daniel Webster(1850-)
1889 Isabel Quaite(-)
Mary Elizabeth(1855-)
1901 Charles Eldridge(-)
Benjamin Franklin, Jr(1856-)
William(1860-)
Mary Smith(-)

Benjamin Franklin Sisson was born April 16, 1827 in Belchertown, MA. He married Harriet Cowles in Chicopee, MA. Harriet was born in 1831 (or 1821) in Seneca Falls, NY. Benjamin and Harriet had four children:

Daniel Webster was born in September, 1850. On June 13, 1889 he married Isabel Quaite of Asbury Park, NY. Daniel was a lawyer in New York City. The couple had no children as of 1906.

Mary Elizabeth was born in March, 1855. She was a teacher in Seneca Falls. On May 21, 1901 she married Charles Freeman Eldridge

of Fredonia, NY. The couple lived in Grove City, PA, and had no children as of 1906.

Benjamin Franklin, Jr. was born in February, 1856 in Seneca Falls.

William was born in December, 1860. He married Mary Smith of Seneca Falls, NY. William and Mary had a son: Paul, November 18, 1889. The family was living in Seneca Falls in 1906.

Benjamin died a Captain in the Civil War cavalry at Belle Plain, [state?]. Harriet died in March, 1899 in Seneca Falls.

References: (35); (137) Vol. I, pp.208-210.

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Eugene Pardon [8]

Richard [1], John [2], John, Jr. [3], John, III [4], John, IV [5], Pardon [6], Alexander [7] 434

Eugene Pardon (1845-)
1870 | Mary A Wickwire (-)
1880 | Jennie B Buell (1853-1916)
| (-)

Mary Grace (1881-1925)
Samuel Buell (1883-1947)
| Ethel Usher (1887-1946)
Warren Richard (1885-)
Irving Alexander (1888-1903)
Eugene Pardon, Jr. (1893-)

Eugene Pardon (or Pardon Eugene) Sisson was born January 28, 1845 in Georgetown. On August 17, 1870 he married first Mary Anna Wickwire, daughter of Lewis and Laura (Sheldon) Wickwire. On August 19, 1880 he married second Jennie B. Buell, daughter of Warren J. and Esther (Burchard) Buell. Jennie was born September 5, 1853 in Hamilton, NY. Eugene and Jennie had five children:

Mary Grace was born August 6, 1881 and died June 15, 1925.

Samuel Buell was born February 13, 1883. He married Ethel Usher. Ethel was born in 1887. Ethel died in 1946; Samuel died in 1947; both are buried in the Sheldrake Cemetery, Sheldrake, Seneca County, NY. Ref: (413) Vol. 3, p.61.

Warren Richard was born April 13, 1885.

Irving Alexander was born March 18, 1888 and died April 2, 1903.

Eugene Pardon, Jr. was born June 18, 1893.

Eugene may have been a faculty member at Colgate University, in 1907. Jennie died February 6, 1916. Eugene may have married a third time.

References: (11) Vol. III, p.1; (157) New York State, Vol. 75, (p.56?).

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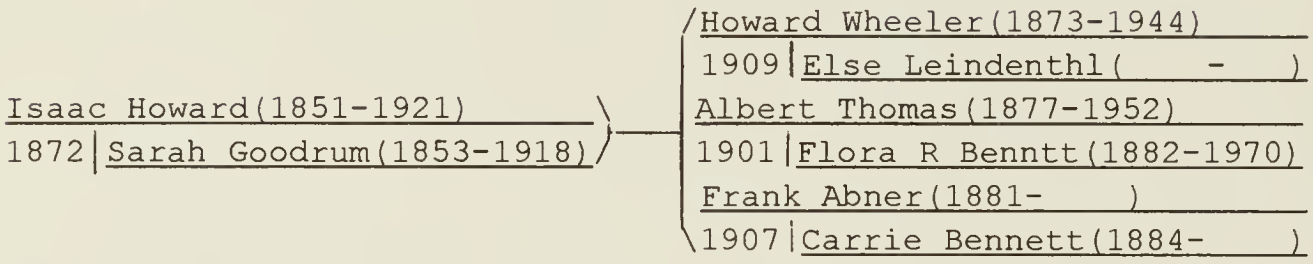
GENERATIONS [9] & [10]

Isaac Howard [9]

Richard [1], George [2], Richard [3], George [4], Peleg [5], Richard [6], Peleg [7], Abner Cundall [8] page 439



Isaac Howard Sisson was born April 28, 1851 in Providence, RI. On September 24, 1872 in Providence he married Sarah Ella Goodrum, daughter of Thomas and Elizabeth (Hartley) Goodrum. Sarah was born October 26, 1853 in Providence. Isaac and Sarah had three sons, all born in Providence:

Howard Wheeler was born August 7, 1873. On June 8, 1909 in New York, NY, he married Else Leindenthal. Howard and Else had a daughter: Hilda Else who had no issue. Howard died March 19, 1944 in Florida.

Albert Thomas was born April 8, 1877. On December 11, 1901 in Providence he married Flora Ruth Bennett, daughter of Edgar Arnold and Emily Marie (Smith) Bennett and sister of Carrie Ella Bennett below. Flora was born October 15, 1882 in East Orrington, ME. Her mother Emily was a Mayflower descendent thru Stephen Hopkins. Albert and Flora had two children, both born in Providence: Ruth Muriel, February 11, 1903, married William Henry Mathewson, III, [these are the parents of Elaine Pereira]; and Howard Arnold, October 11, 1904, married Grace Bradstreet Harper. Albert died April 15, 1952; Flora died August 6, 1970. Both died in Providence.

Frank Abner was born May 15, 1881. On March 18, 1907 in Providence he married Carrie Ella Bennett, daughter of Edgar Arnold and Emily Marie (Smith) Bennett and sister of Flora Ruth Bennett above. Carrie was born June 1, 1884 in Providence. Frank and Carrie had a son: Frank Abner, Jr., January 28, 1911, married Edna Rhodes, had two children. Both Frank, Sr, and Carrie died in Providence.

Sarah died November 27, 1918; Isaac died December 28, 1921, both in Providence.

References: (199); (575).

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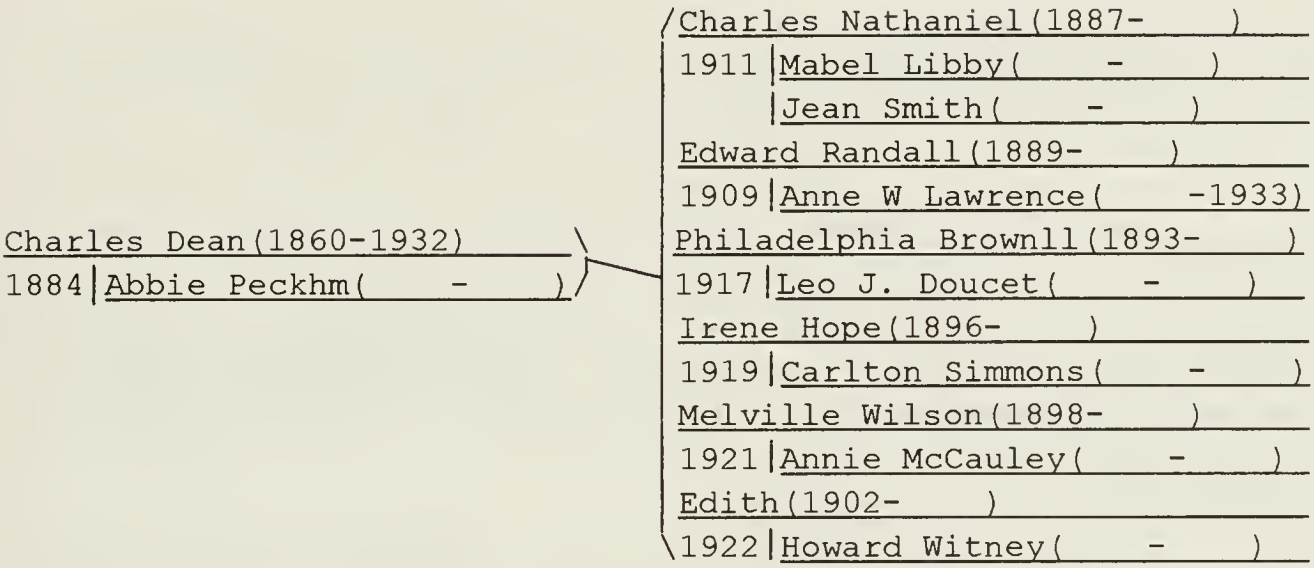
Charles Dean [9]

Richard [1], George [2], Richard [3], George [4], Peleg [5], Richard [6], James [7], James M. [8] page 440



Charles Dean Sisson was born July 11, 1860. On December 23, 1884 he married Abbie S. Peckham, daughter of Nathaniel C. and Abbie G. (Brown) Peckham. Charles and Abbie had five children:

Charles Nathaniel was born December 19, 1887. He married first January 1, 1911 Mabel Libby. He married second Jean Smith. Charles had a son: Robert Parker, January 29, 1912.

Edward Randall was born May 4, 1889 in Little Compton, RI. On June 23, 1909 he married Anne (Anna) W. Lawrence of New York. Edward and Anne had six sons: Kenneth Robert, September 12, 1910, married Margaret Mitchell; Milton Edward, September 3 to September 23, 1911; Richard Dean, March 12, 1918, married; Russell W., March 13, 1919, married; Edward Randall, Jr., April 7, 1921, married; and Donald Everett, June 3, 1928. Anne died August 7, 1933; Edward died after 1934.

Philadelphia Brownell was born April 18, 1893. On December 27, 1917 she married Leo J. Doucet.

Irene Hope was born February 23, 1896. On December 12, 1919 she married Carlton P. Simmons.

Melville Wilson was born August 31, 1898. On June 18, 1921 he married Annie McCauley.

Edith was born November 9, 1902. On November 11, 1922 she married Howard Witney.

Charles died March 4, 1932.

Reference: (11) Vol. IV, p.56.

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Lincoln Hall [9]

Richard [1], George [2], Richard [3], George [4], Peleg [5], Richard [6], James [7], George Hall [8] page 441

Lincoln Hall(1864-1941) \
1891 | Lusanna (A) Luce(1868-1939) /

/ George Lincoln(1893-1973)
1917 | Mary Corcrn(1891-1964)
\ | Emma Cardin(-)

Lincoln Hall Sisson was born October 24, 1864 in Portsmouth, RI. He married at Newport, RI, in the First Baptist Church, December 23, 1891 Lusanna Elizabeth (Luce) Allen, the daughter of Robert Taylor Stanton, Jr. and Emily (Harrington) Luce. Lusanna was born October 13, 1868 in Middletown. Lincoln was a mason for Peckham Brothers Construction Company, then later became a farmer on property received from his father-in-law in 1894, containing fourteen acres including the Allen family burial plot. Lincoln and Lusanna had a son:

George Lincoln was born in 1893. He married first in 1917 Mary V. Corcoran. Mary was born in 1891. George and Mary had four children: George Lincoln, Jr.; J. Roger; Lawrence J.; and Nancy. Mary died in 1964. George married second Emma Cardin. George died in 1973.

Lusanna died at Union Hospital, Fall River, MA, June 5, 1939. Lincoln lived in the home of his son George in Fall River. He died at Truesdale Hospital October 17, 1941. Both are buried at the Middletown Cemetery.

References: (87) 5:31; (331) October 17, 1941, June 14, 1940;(475) 2:27, 32 & 2:15 & 3:21, 2:20, 37.

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DeWitt C. [9]

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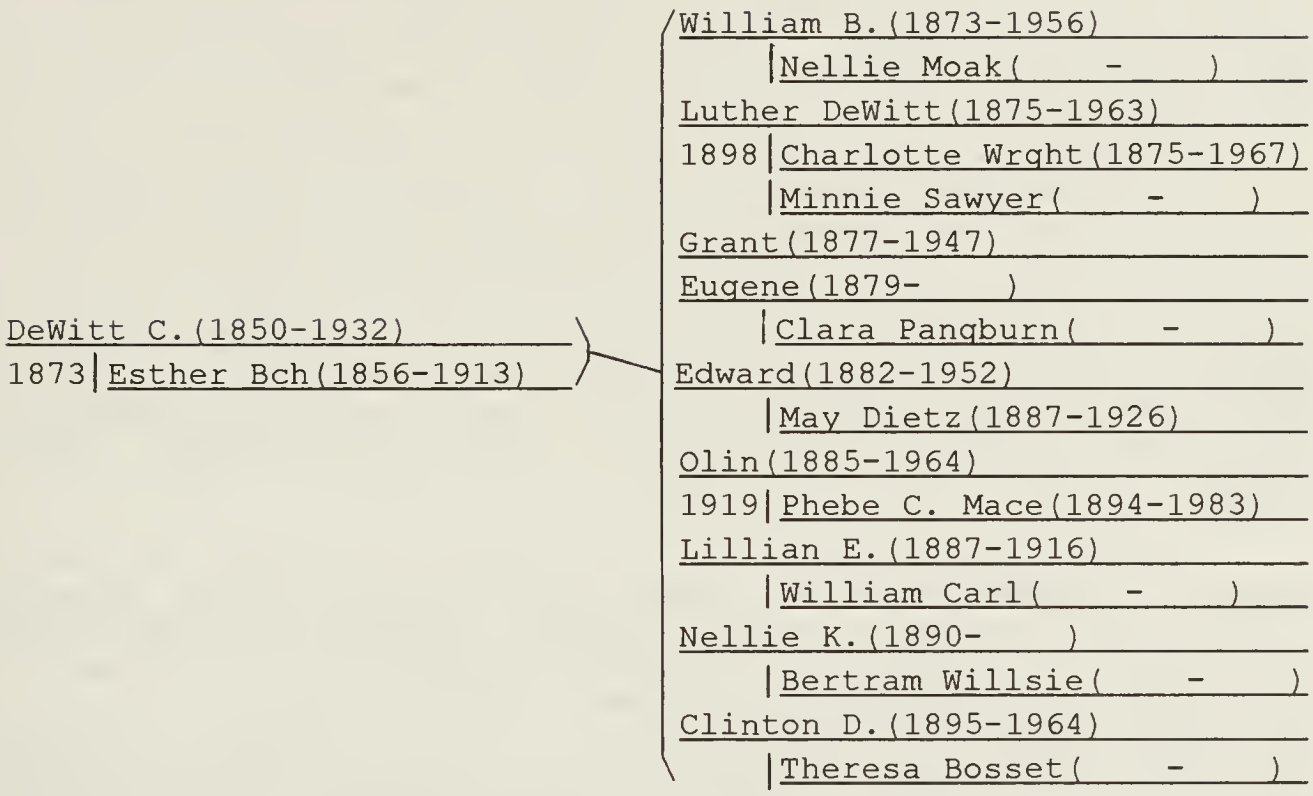

DeWitt C. Sisson was born December 3, 1850 in South Berne, NY. He was a homestead farmer in South Berne. On January 4, 1873 he married Esther Bouch, daughter of William and Adelia (Morenus) Bouch. Esther was born November 1, 1856 in Breaka Been, NY. At some time they lived in Breaka Been. DeWitt and Esther had nine children, most born in South Berne:

William B. was born August 11, 1873 in South Berne, NY. He married Nellie Moak. William and Nellie had a daughter: Elizabeth Mary, August 16, 1907 to 1951, married Elvin Jay Joslin, had two children. William died September 27, 1956.

Luther DeWitt was born September 3, 1875 in Breakabeen, NY. He was a machinist and painter in Schenectady, NY. On April 6, 1898 in Berne, NY, he married Charlotte Wright, daughter of Rollo and Louisa (Lucky) Wright. Luther and Charlotte had seven children, all but the first born in Albany, NY: Rollo DeWitt, July 22, 1899 in Brooklyn, NY, to 1981, [named Luther DeWitt, Jr. but used the name Rollo], married Florence Mae Ostrander, had two daughters: Marion Ruth [Hayner] and Doris Esther [Anibal]; Esther Victoria, February 13, 1901 to October, 1929; Minor, March 30 to August 25, 1902; Mildred March 30, 1902 to 1954, married Walter Jess; Mabel, July 13, 1907 to 1969, married George Miller; Fanny December 17, 1908, married Myron Harper; and Margaret, August 27, 1910, married Lloyd Taylor. Luther and Charlotte were divorced. Charlotte died March 25, 1967 in Albany. Luther married second Minnie Sawyer. He died November 13, 1963 in Albany of pneumonia and is buried in the family plot in Berne. One wife is buried in New Salem, NY.

Grant was born October 14, 1877, and died unmarried June 28, 1947.

Eugene was born October 14 (or 26), 1879 in South Berne, NY. He married Clara Pangburn. Eugene and Clara had three children: Nellie, June 12, 1911 to 1981, married 1) David B. Algie, had six children, married 2) James Dumary; Clara, March 18, circa 1915 to 1979, married John Traver, had three children; and Olin V., 1918 to 1951, married Elsie Giebetz, had a daugher. Eugene died October 13, 1961.

Edward (or Edwin) was born February 18, 1882 in South Berne, NY. He married May (or Mae) Dietz. Edward and May had nine children: Claude, 1905 to 1993, married Alice Spaulding, had eight children; Florence, 1905, married Floyd Young; Harriet Esther, April 25, 1908 to 1993, married Lorenzo Jacob Joslin, had five children; DeWitt, 1909, married Helen Manchester, had a daughter; Charles Edward, 1911, married Agnes Atalia Rapp, had a son; Milton, 1912 to 1928; Leland, 1914, married Mildred Mirl, had six children; Martha, 1916, married Joseph Salzer; and Clyde Eugene, September 19, 1924, married Catherine Palmatier, had three children. Edward died December 22, 1952.

Olin was born November 1, 1885 in South Berne, NY. He was a merchant in South Berne, New Salem and Altamont, NY and later a painting contractor with brother Luther. He "ate his apple pie covered with chicken gravy". On August 16, 1919 he married Phebe C. Mace, daughter of William H. and Lydia (Reinhart) Mace of Preston Hollow, NY. Phebe was born November 18, 1894. She was a school teacher for 30 years. Olin and Phebe had two children born in New Salem: Lydia; and Kenneth Olin, 1931, married 1) Nancy Janet Whitley, had three children, married 2) Jerry Brandenburg. Olin died June 12, 1964; Phebe died December 17, 1983.

Lillian E. was born September 18, 1887. She married William Carl. Lillian and "Willie" had four children: Lillian, 1910-1967, married Louis Skinner; George; DeWitt Sisson, 1906-1988, married Hazel Catherine Joslin; and Frank William, 1908-1966, married Emily Margaret Pitcher. Lillian died July 3, 1916.

Nellie K. was born January 7, 1890. She married Bertram (Bert) Willsie. Nellie and Bert had a daughter: Cecilia.

Clinton D. was born May 30, 1895. He married Theresa Bossett. Clinton died March 14, 1964.

Esther died January 30, 1913; DeWitt C. died August 15, 1932.

References: Luther's death certificate; (334); (335); (576); (602).

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Winfield T. [9]

Richard [1], George [2], Richard [3], George [4], George, Jr. [5], George, III [6], Thomas [7], Luther S. [8] page 442

Winfield T. (1853-1925)
1879 | Antoinett Bakr (1859-1913)

- Clarence J. (1880-)
- 1900 | Myra B. Evans (-)
- Gilbert B. (1882-)
- Nora Eliza (1885-1887)

Winfield T. (or S.) Sisson was born February 12, 1853. He was a molder in Schenectady, NY. On November 2, 1879 he married Antoinette Baker, daughter of Eric H. and Louise (Boughton) Baker. Antoinette was born March 10, 1859. Winfield and Antoinette had three children:

Clarence J. was born August 18, 1880. He was a machinist in Schenectady, NY. On August 24, 1900 he married Myra Belle Evans. Myra was born December 7, 1881 in Stratford, NY. Clarence and Myra had six children: Nettie Belle, February 19, 1902; Cora, married Mr. Braid; Elizabeth, married Mr. Lafforthun; Gilbert; Clarence J., Jr; and Antoinette. Myra died after her 100th birthday.

Gilbert B. was born December 20, 1882.

Nora Eliza was born February 14, 1885 and died in 1887.

Antoinette died in 1913; Winfield died in 1925.

References: Clipping of Myra's 100th birthday celebration. (334); (335); (602).

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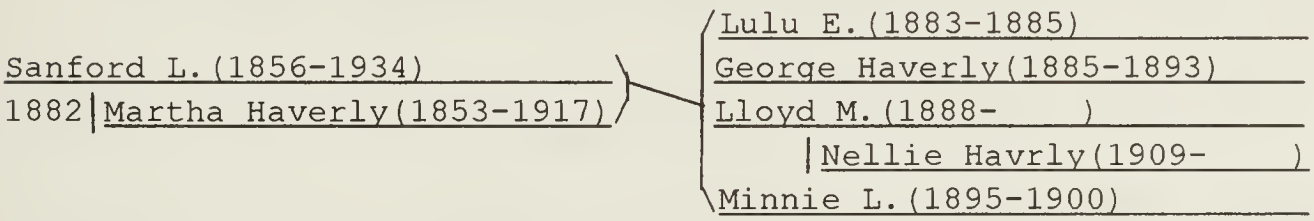
Sanford L. [9]

Richard [1], George [2], Richard [3], George [4], George, Jr. [5], George, III [6], Thomas [7], Luther S. [8] page 442



Sanford L. Sisson was born April 22, 1856. He was a farmer in Berne, NY, and a school commissioner in the second district of Albany in 1881. On June 15, 1882 he married Martha Haverly, daughter of George and Elizabeth (Allen) Haverly. Martha was born in 1853. Sanford and Martha had four children:

Lulu E. was born August 24, 1883 and died January 3, 1885.

George Haverly was born March 31, 1885 and died April 11, 1893.

Lloyd (or Floyd) M. was born June 1, 1888. In 1909 he married Nellie Haverly. Lloyd and Nellie had four children: George Winfield, 1910, married Ruth Delong; Carrie, married Mr. Marks; Robert; and Richard.

Minnie L. was born May 29, 1895 and died September 14, 1900.

Martha died in 1917; Sanford died in 1934.

References: (334); (335); (602).

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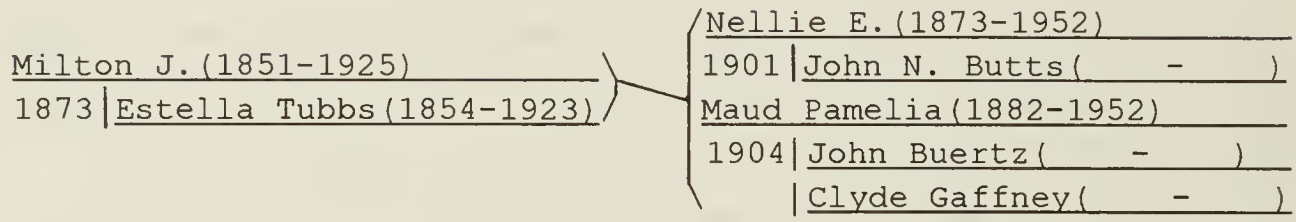
Milton J. [9]

Richard [1], George [2], Richard [3], George [4], George, Jr. [5], George, III [6], Thomas [7], Rufus P. [8] page 443



Milton J. Sisson was born October 8, 1851 in Berne, Albany County, NY. He was a farmer. On May 22, 1873 he married Estella Tubbs, daughter of Martin and Emily (St. John) Tubbs. Estella was born circa 1854 in Berne. Milton and Estella had two children:

Nellie E. was born December 9, 1873 in Berne. On October 22, 1901 she married John N. Butts. Nellie died June 6, 1952.

Maud Pamelia was born March 24, 1882 (or 1884) in Albany. She married first on September 27, 1904 John Buertz. She married second Clyde Gaffney. Maud died March 4, 1952.

Estella died January 11, 1923; Milton died March 14, 1925. Both died in Albany and are buried in Albany Rural Cemetery.

References: (335); (576); (577).

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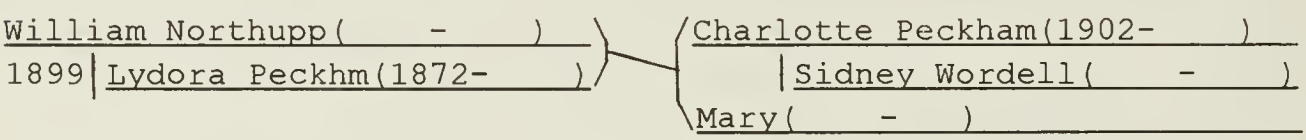
William Northupp [9]

Richard [1], George [2], Richard [3], Richard, Jr. [4], Mary [5], Lemuel [6], Joseph [7], John [8] page 445



William Northupp Sisson was born about 1870 in Little Compton, RI. He was a farmer and inherited a farm from his second cousin Ephraim Bailey Sisson, son of John [7] page 266. On November 4, 1899 he married Lydora Louise Peckham, daughter of Albert Peckham. Lydora was born September 2, 1872 in Little Compton. William and Lydora had an two children:

Charlotte Peckham was born June 21, 1902 in Little Compton. She married Sidney Wordell. Charlotte and Sidney had three children: John; a daughter who married Mr. Wilbur; and "Zeke".

Mary may have been born about 1904.

References: (206); (479).

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David [9]

Richard [1], George [2], Richard [3], Richard, Jr. [4], Mary [5], Lemuel [6], David [7], Henry Tillinghast [8] page 445

David(1875-)
1903 Nina Edna Hale(1880-1908)
1917 Bessie Doolittle(1889-)

Rollo Hale(1903-1990)
Eleanor Hayes(1917-)
Harry Hardt(-)

David Sisson was born May 12, 1875 in Little Compton, RI. He was an assistant supervisor for Standard Oil Company in Providence, RI. On February 4, 1903 in Providence, he married Nina Edna Hale. Nina was born in 1880. David and Nina had a son:

Rollo Hale was born in 1903/4. He died in 1990.

Nina died June 12, 1908 in Providence. On April 9, 1917 David married second Bessie Irene Doolittle, daughter of James R. Doolittle of East Providence. Bessie was born in 1889. David and Bessie had a daughter:

Eleanor Hayes was born December 28, 1917 in Providence. She married Dr. Harry Hardt.

David died about 1944.

Reference: Family data from Shirley Madden, Glendale, CA; (11) Vol. IV, p.20.

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James Philip [9]

Richard [1], George [2], Richard [3], Richard, Jr. [4], Mary [5], Lemuel [6], James Phillips [7], Joseph Preston [8] page 447

James Philip(1877-1910)
1904 Edith M. Cheek(1879-1969)

Jean Elizabeth(1904-)
1936 Jack Kluegel(-1941)
Ellen Holden(1908-1997)
1932 Archie Jacksn(1905-1983)

James Philip Sisson was born August 30, 1877 in Hilo, HI. He was a civil engineer for the Hawaii Railroad Company. On January 5, 1904 in Oakland, CA, he married Edith Maud Cheek, daughter of Marion Alonzo and Sarah Adorna (Bradley) Cheek. "Maud" was born in 1879. James and Maud had two daughters:

Jean Elizabeth was born December 6, 1904 in Hilo. She married in Honolulu in 1936 John "Jack" van R. Kluegel. Jean and Jack had a daughter: Anne Stuart, married 1) Fred Hodgin and 2) William Chittenden. Jack died on Guam December 8, 1941 during a Japanese attack and is buried in Punchbowl Cemetery, Honolulu.

Ellen Holden was born February 18, 1908 in Oakland, CA. On February 20, 1832 in Honolulu she married Archie Charles Jackson, son of Matthew Ludwig and Sadie Frances (Bray) Jackson. Archie was born in 1905. Ellen and Archie had two children, both born in Hilo: Frances Orel Leilani, unmarried; and Roland Sisson, married 1) Eleanor Rose Goodman, and 2) Glenda Rae (Hammett) Dilley. Archie died June 1, 1983; Ellen died March 12, 1997. Both died in Vallejo, CA, and are buried in Mountain View Cemetery, Piedmont, CA.

James died of pnuemonia in Hilo September 26, 1910 and is buried in Homelani Cemetery there. Maud died in Oakland in September, 1969 and is buried in Mountain View Cemetery.

Reference: (206).

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Horace Holden [9]

Richard [1], George [2], Richard [3], Richard, Jr. [4], Mary [5], Lemuel [6], James Phillips [7], Joseph Preston [8] page 447

Horace Holden(1879-1969) \
1909 Mabel A Thayer(1878-1961) / — / Clare(1916-)
\ Frank C Small(-)

Horace Holden Sisson was born in Hilo, HI December 10, 1879. On July 7, 1909 in California he married Mabel A. Thayer. Mabel was born in 1878. They lived in Palo Alto, CA. Horace and Mabel had a daughter:

Clare was born June 26, 1916. She married Frank C. Small. They lived in Concord, CA. Clare and Frank had no issue.

Mabel died in 1961; Horace died August 21, 1969 in Palo Alto.

Reference: (206).

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Charles Herman [9]

Richard [1], George [2], George, Jr. [3], John [4], George [5], Benoni [6], James Franklin [7], Luther [8] page 448

Charles Herman(1868-1927) \
1895 Edith Duffld(1864-1926) / — / Vera Louise(1898-)
Wm S. Armstrong(1896-1959)
1938 Levi Ray Curtis(-)
\ Edythe Grace(-)
George R. Brown(-)

Charles Herman Sisson was born July 12, 1868 in Penn Yan, NY. On March 20, 1895 in Ottawa, La Salle County, IL, he married Edith Amy Duffield, daughter of William and Henrietta (Desusclade) Duffield. They were married by John T. Bushoe, a Baptist clergyman. Edith was born November 12, 1864 in Ottawa. They lived in Fenneville, MI. Charles and Edith had two daughters:

Vera Louise was born February 24, 1898. She married William Sylvester Armstrong. William was born April 17, 1896 in Ottawa. Vera and William had one son and one daughter. They were divorced in 1929. William died August 5, 1959 in Oakland, Alameda County, CA. Vera married second in 1938 Levi Ray Curtis.

Edythe Grace was born about 1900. She married George Rayson Brown. Edythe and George had a son.

Edith died May 19, 1926; Charles died March 12, 1927, both in Los Angeles, CA.

References: Marriage certificate; (578); (579).

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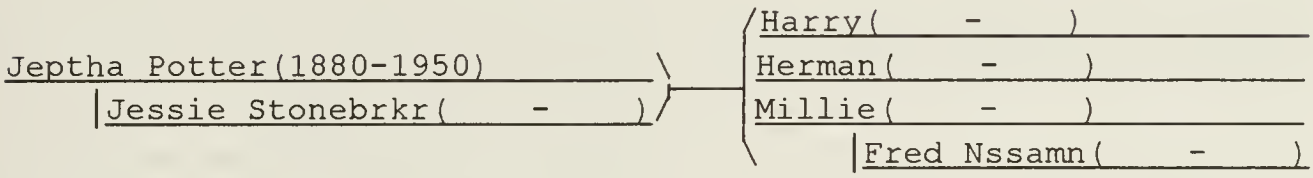
Jeptha Potter [9]

Richard [1], George [2], George, Jr. [3], John [4], George [5], Jonathan [6], Harrison [7], David Hale [8] page 452



Jeptha Potter Sisson was born February 15, 1880. He married Jessie Stonebarker. They lived in Pagosa Springs, CO. Jeptha and Jessie had three children:

Harry was born about 1905; he had no issue.

Herman was born about 1907; he had no issue.

Millie was born about 1910. She married Fred Nossaman of Durango, CO. Millie and Fred had one son.

Jeptha died January 18, 1950.

Reference: (210) p.613.

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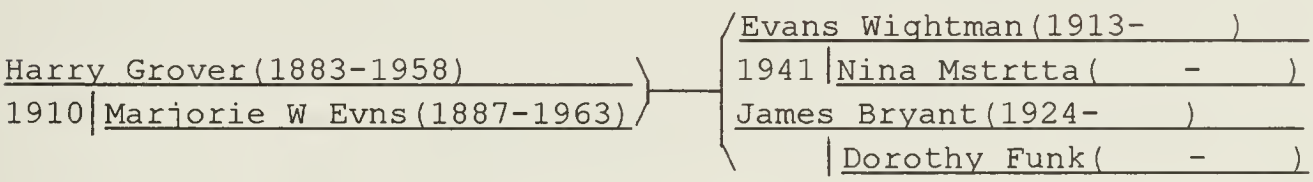
Harry Grover [9]

Richard [1], George [2], George, Jr. [3], John [4], George [5], Jonathan [6], Harrison [7], David Hale [8] page 452



Harry Grover Sisson was born December 17, 1883. On October 27, 1910 he married Marjorie Wightman Evans. Marjorie was born August 31, 1887. Harry and Marjorie had two sons:

Evans Wightman was born July 25, 1913. On December 20, 1941 he married Nina Mistretta. They lived in Leicester, NY. Evans and Nina had two children, both born in Warsaw, NY: Charlotte Ann; and Richard James.

James Bryant was born May 19, 1924. He married Dorothy Margaret Funk. James and Dorothy had three children, all born in Carthage, NY: Marsha Lee; Pamela Maria; and David Charles. The family lived in Hamilton, OH, where James worked for Proctor and Gamble Company. He owns the patent on "Charmin" and "Puffs".

Harry died June 15, 1958; Marjorie died October 4, 1963.

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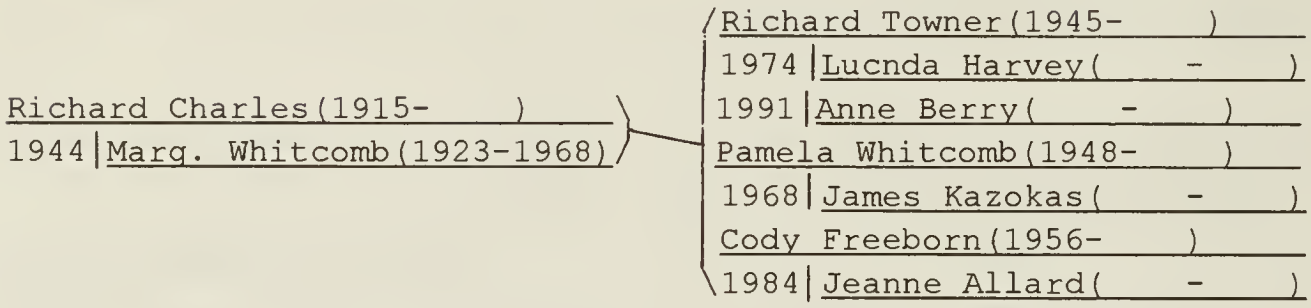
Richard Charles [9]

Richard [1], George [2], George, Jr. [3], Gideon [4], Freeborn [5], Freeborn, Jr. [6], Charles Trott [7], George Towner [8] page 455



Richard Charles Sisson was born June 6, 1915 in Ithaca, NY. On August 30, 1944 in Acton, MA, he married Margaret Whitcomb, daughter of Julian A. and Jennie L. (Durkee) Whitcomb. Margaret was born December 27, 1923 in Acton. Richard and Margaret had three children:

Richard Towner was born September 25, 1945 in Acton. He was an Airman. On January 26, 1974 in Littleton, MA, he married Lucinda Harvey. They were divorced. Richard married second April 6, 1991 in Acton, Carol Anne Berry, daughter of Brian and Janet ( ) Berry. "Anne" was born in 1962. Richard and Anne had a son: Jack. Anne died August 26, 1993 of an accidental electric shock.

Pamela Whitcomb was born July 4, 1948. On April 20, 1968 she married James Albert Kasokas. Pamela and James had four children: Dawn Margaret; James William; Kristen Mary; and Kerry Anne. Pamela and James were divorced.

Cody Freeborn was born April 1, 1956. On July 28, 1984 he married Jean Allard. Cody and Jean had two children: Cassandra Rose; and Reed Tanner.

Margaret died May 3, 1968 in Concord, MA, and is buried in Newton Cemetery, Newton, MA. Richard died after 1968.

Reference: (345) pp.213-5.

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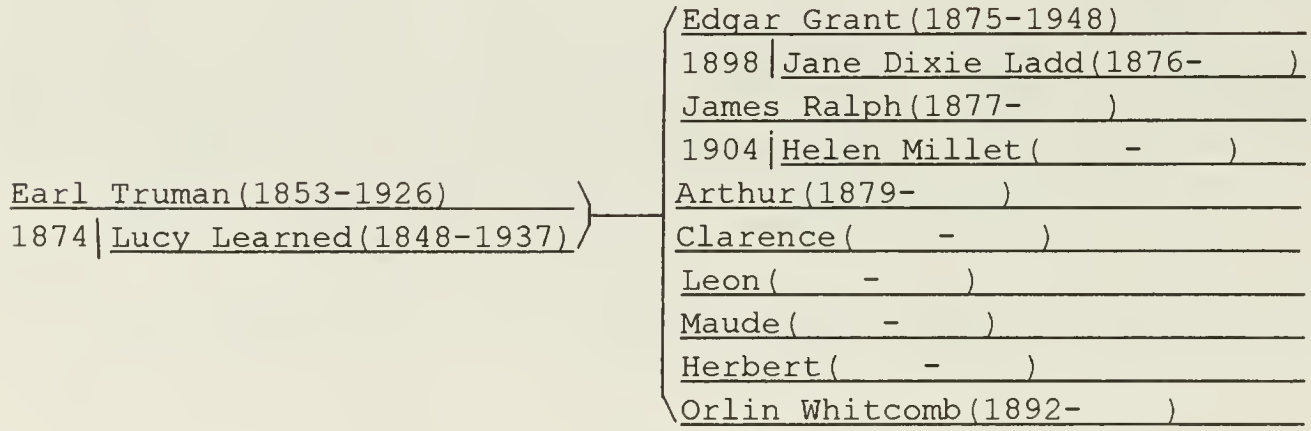
Earl Truman [9]

Richard [1], George [2], Thomas [3], Giles [4], Samuel [5], John [6], John, Jr. [7], Asa [8] page 455



Earl Truman Sisson was born October 25, 1853 in Rosendale, Fond du Lac County, WI. In 1874 he married Lucy Learned, daughter of Reuben and Nancy Clark (Lovejoy) Learned. Lucy was born October 28, 1848 in Fox Lake, WI. Earl and Lucy had eight children:

Edgar Grant was born December 23, 1875 in Alto, Fond du Lac County, WI. He attended Rochester and Northwestern University, Evanston, IL in 1897. He was an editor and writer for newspapers and magazines including the Chicago Chronicle and Tribune, Collier's and Cosmopolitan. He organized a foreign service commission for the Paris Peace Conference, 1918-19 and was the author of "One Hundred Red Days, a chronicle of the Bolshevik Revolution", 1918. He was decorated a Cavalier of the Order of the Crown, Italy, 1919. On April 27, 1898 in Chicago, he married Jane Dixie Ladd, daughter of Ralph A. and Frances M. (Tavennier) Ladd of Chicago. "Dixie" was born September 20, 1876 in Detroit, MI. The family moved to Montclair, NJ, in 1911, then to Maplewood, NJ, in 1920. Edgar and Dixie had two children: Mildred Georgina, February 7, 1899, married Charles Daly King, had a daughter; and Edgar Grant, Jr, November 4, 1902, married Martha Kainula, had two children. Edgar, Sr. died March 12, 1948 in New York City.

James Ralph was born in 1877 in Wisconsin. In 1904 he married Helen Millet, daughter of Frank Millet of Rochester, MN. James and Helen had a son: Richard Willard. In 1953 the family lived in Spokane, WA.

Arthur was born in 1879 in Wisconsin and may have died young.

Clarence was born about 1881 and was living in 1953.

Leon was born about 1884 and died before 1953.

Maude was born about 1886 and was living in 1953.

Herbert was born about 1889 and was living in 1953.

Orlin Whitcomb was born in 1892. He lived in Orange, CA.

The family was living in Rochester, MN, in 1899 and in Los Angeles, CA, in 1920. Earl died May 19, 1926; Lucy died May 25, 1937. Both died in Orange, CA.

References: (228); (352).

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George Plemon [9]

Richard [1], George [2], Thomas [3], Giles [4], Samuel [5], John [6], John, Jr. [7], Ezra [8] page 457

George Plemon Sisson was born August 1, 1856 in Rosendale, Fond du Lac County, WI. He was a farmer and horse raiser. He traveled by train in 1880 thru San Francisco to Latah, Spokane County, Washington Territory. On June 27, 1884 in Spokane Falls, he married Catherine "Kate" Gifford, daughter of Elihu B. and Catherine (Barrows) Gifford of Mondovia, WA. The marriage was witnessed by Charles Gifford and May Sisson, minister J. F. Bakolo. Kate was born November 8, 1867 in Mondovi, Buffalo County, WI. George and Kate had seven children, the first two born in Reardon, Lincoln County, WA, and the remainder in Latah [see Ray Olson's book for details on descendants]:

Edna Beatrice was born April 12, 1885. On November 26, 1903 in Lincoln County, she married James Clinton Carnegie, son of James A. and Jane Ann (Vickerman) Carnegie. They farmed near Kootenai, ID. Edna and James had five children: Olive Lola; James Alvin; Eva Mae; Andrew George; and Melvin. Father James died May 29, 1930, in Spokane. Edna married second Bud Hill who died August 26, 1941. She married third Elmer Hammond. Edna died August 21, 1971 in Spokane. She and James are buried in the Lakeside Cemetery, Sandpoint, ID.

Olive Katherine was born August 18, 1887. On December 20, 1910 in Spokane, she married Frank Alfred Kopp, son of Andrew and August W. (Lehmke) Kopp, both of Germany. Frank was born July 3, 1876 in Brunswick Twp, Eau Clair County, WI. He was a construction and shipyard worker. Olive was 4'8" tall; Frank was over 6'. Olive

and Frank had a daughter: Catherine Gifford. Frank died May 28, 1954. Olive died October 3, 1984. Both died in Portland, OR, and are buried in Riverview Abbey Mausoleum there.

George Carlton "Carl" was born May 15, 1889 in Latah, Spokane County, WA. He drove a herd of horses to Canada in 1912. He was a farmer, then a livery and drayage business owner with his brother Elmer. He moved to Dutchess, Alberta and became a farmer and homesteader. On January 3, 1914 in Wardlaw, Alberta he married Lydia Bernice Pierson, daughter of William T. and Alice Alvira (Hill) Pierson. Lydia was born February 28, 1897 in Rincelere, IN. Carl and Lydia had seven children, all but the first born in Dutchess: Hazel Alvira; Chester Edward; Eula Myrle; Alma Mae; Gordon Paul; George Carlton, Jr.; and Margaret Ellen. Carl died February 8, 1970 in Innisfail. Lydia died after 1989.

Chester E. was born July 21, 1890 in Latah, WA. "Chet" married Vera Marie Munson, daughter of Leonard E. and Christiana (Heminover) Munson. Vera was born August 26, 1894 in Owosso, MI. They lived in Sand Point, Kootenai, ID, then later in Long Lake and Reardan, Lincoln County, WA. He was a rancher, silver miner, logger and carpenter. Chet and Vera had five children: Myrtle Vera; Carl Rolland; Ruby Lola; Evelyn; and Charles Leonard. Chet and Vera were divorced. Chet married second July 3, 1930 Hazel Eveline Henry, daughter of Benjamin Franklin and Elma Lillian (McClane) Henry. Hazel was born October 3, 1912 in Sheridan, OR. Chet and Hazel had seven children, the first six born in Portland, OR: Hazel Elma; Edward Henry; George Damon; Dorothy Jean; Nancy Ellen; Katherine Ann; and Gladys Irene.

Elmer Rolland was born August 7, 1891 in Latah, WA. He was a farmer. He married first November 22, 1913 Goldie Alice Sparhawk, daughter of William Wallace and Fannie Myrtle (Day) Sparhawk. Goldie was born August 11, 1897 in Caledonia, IA. Elmer and Goldie had a son: George Arnold. Elmer and Goldie were divorced; Goldie died December 8, 1968 in Boise, ID and is buried in Terrace Lawn Cemetery there. Elmer worked for McCabe Elevators, then Alberta Wheat Pool as an elevator manager. In 1921 Elmer married second Anna (Kjorsivick) Harstead, widow of Ole Harstead and daughter of Olli and Karn (Petterson) Kjorsivick. Anna was born October 26, 1888 in Robin, MN. Anna brought a son Bob Harstead to the marriage. Elmer and Anna had eight children, all but the last born in Dutchess, Alberta: Gabriel Rolland; Marion Doris; Muriel Alberta; Doreen Anna; Donald Plemon; Richard Earl; Greta Gifford; and Kendall Laverne. Anna died October 19, 1955 in Dutchess. Elmer died June 27, 1988 in Coquitlam, BC. They are both buried in Mountain View Cemetery, Calgary.

Mary Alice was born October 8, 1898. She married first on March 19, 1914 Delbert F. Pierson. She married second Mr. Lamping. Mary died July 20, 1969.

Mildred R. was born August 29, 1904. She married Delbert Roise of Sandpoint. They had no issue. Mildred died September 4, 1959 in Portland.

Kate died December 11, 1909 in Lapwai, ID; George died October 20, 1942.

References: George and Kate's Bible, 1888; Olive Kopp's Bible; (228).

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William Ezra [9]

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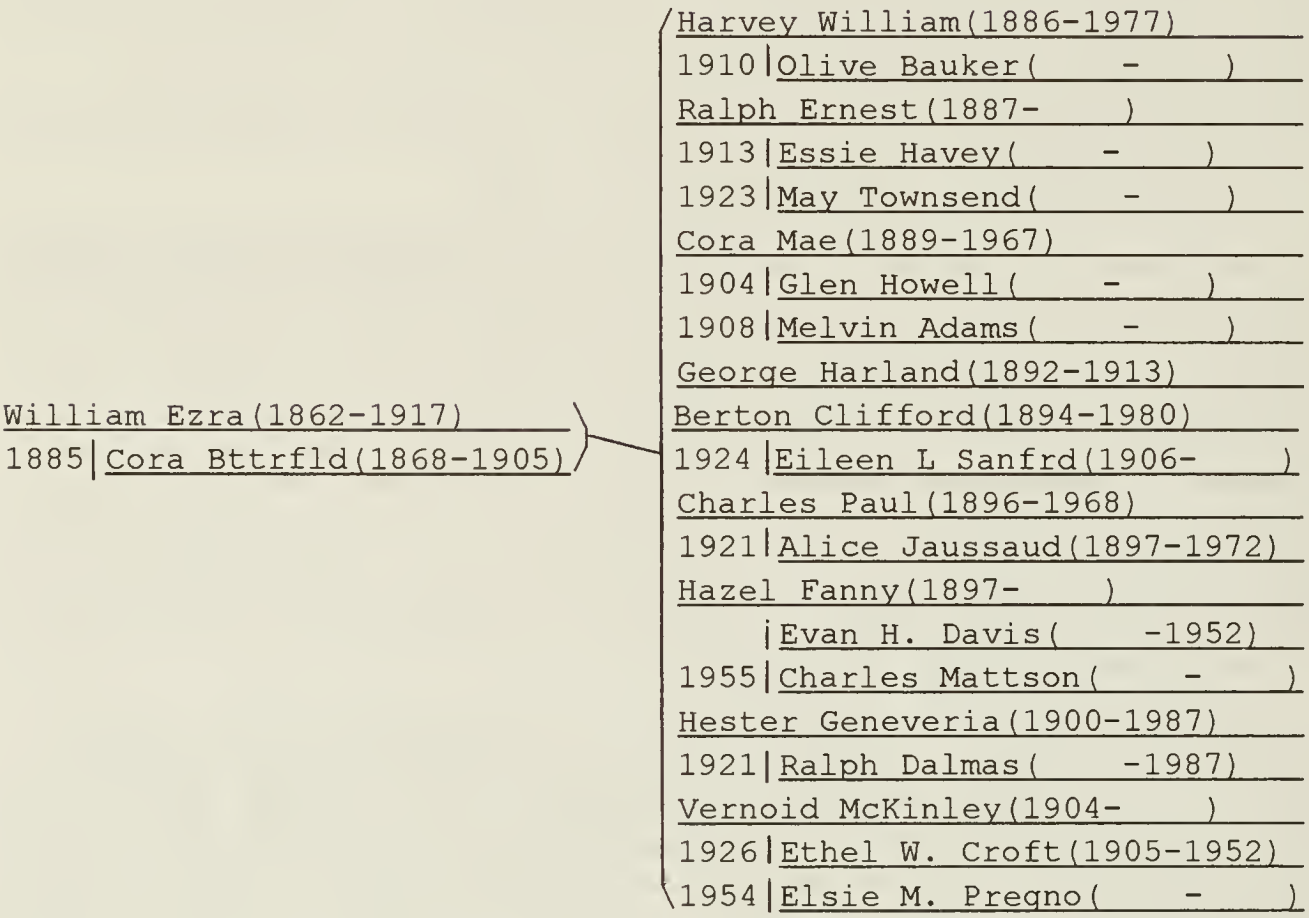

William Ezra Sisson was born December 25, 1862 in Flombeau, WI. On June 16, 1885 in Menomonie, Dunn County, WI, he married Cora Mercy Butterfield, daughter of Thadeous A. and Cleora (Green) Butterfield. Cora was born July 20, 1868 in Lockiel, MT. William was a timberman in Cedar Falls and Wheeler, WI. In 1886/7 they moved to Latah, Spokane County, WA. Later with his two older sons he built a log cabin on a homestead near Kootenai, ID. William and Cora had nine children, the first born in Wheeler, the rest in Kootenai:

Harry William was born February 23, 1886. In 1910 he married Olive Bauker. They had no issue. Harry died June 1, 1977.

Ralph Ernest was born December 22, 1887 in Kootenai, ID. On December 25, 1913 he married Essie Havey. Ralph and Essie had a daughter: Hazle (or Hazel). Ralph married second August 1, 1923 May Townsend. Ralph and May adopted a daughter: Shirley May.

Cora Mae was born November 4, 1889. She married first on December 22, 1904 Glen Howell. She married second November 17, 1908 Melvin Adams. She had no issue. Cora died January 21, 1967.

George Harland was born February 23, 1892 and died unmarried September 27, 1913.

Berton Clifford was born April 24, 1894 in Kootenai, ID. On October 6, 1924 in Baker, MT, he married Eileen Lucille Sanford, daughter of Ernest N. and Minnie E. (Cilley) Sanford. "Lucille" was born September 4, 1906 in Princeton, MN. The family at some time lived in Boise, ID. Berton and Lucille had three children: Clifford Duane; Hazel LaVonne; and Linda Joyce.

Charles Paul was born June 24, 1896 in Kootenai, ID. He joined the Navy at 17 and became a chief commissary steward in Manila. On October 6, 1921 in San Diego, CA, he married Alice Pauline Jaussaud, daughter of Francis A. and Pauline (Arguilez) Jaussaud. Alice was born June 23, 1897 in San Diego. Charles and Alice had a daughter: Gloria June, married Harold Clark. Charles was a Lt. Commander in World War II. They owned a malt store with Elmer McInerney. Charles died May 23, 1968; Alice died October 20, 1972. Both died in San Diego.

Hazel Fanny was born October 16, 1897. She married first Evan H. Davis. Hazel and Evan had a daughter: Phyllis, who married Reuben Selstad. Evan died June 12, 1952. Hazel married second June 3, 1955 Charles H. Mattson.

Hester Geneveria was born March 17, 1900. On May 28, 1921 she married Ralph Dalmas. In 1953 they were lived in San Diego, CA. Hester died January 13, 1987 with no issue. Ralph died January 30, 1987.

Vernoid McKinley was born May 6, 1904. His mother died when he was ten months old. He was adopted in Wisconsin by her brother, Arthur "Bert" Butterfield and took the name of Butterfield. He was an artist and owned an art studio in Minneapolis. He went to southern California with his sister Hester Dalmas. On May 5, 1926 in Glendive, MT, he married Ethel Wilhemina Croft, daughter of William and Jessie (Reynolds) Croft. Ethel was born June 2, 1905. Vernoid and Ethel had three children, surnamed Butterfield: Devon Royce, March 13, 1927; Garry Lee, September 19, 1935; and Cheryl Ann, June 19, 1939. Ethel died in 1952 in Minneapolis. Vernoid married second September 11, 1954 Elsie M. Pregno.

Cora died March 28, 1905 in Paradise, MT; William died February 26, 1917 in Kootenai. Both are buried in Sandpoint, ID.

Reference: (228) pp.92-116.

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Frank John [9]

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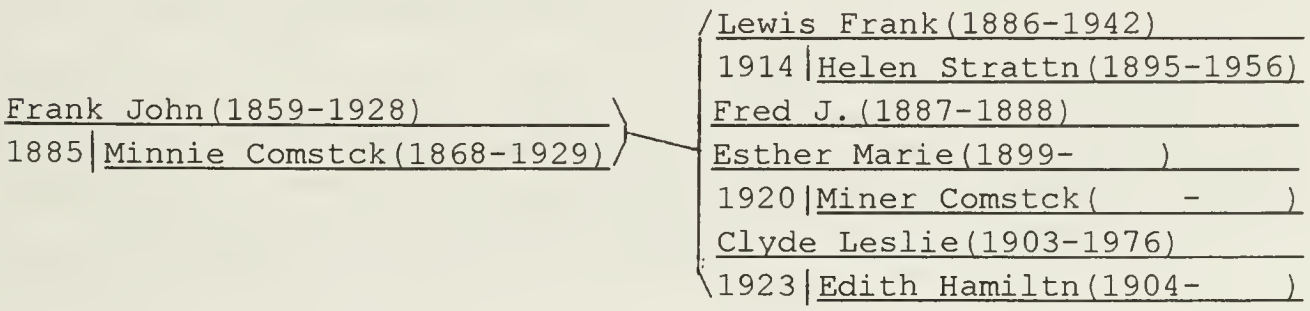

Frank John Sisson was born February 23, 1859 in Pomfret, NY. Circa 1885 in Carroll, NY, he married Minnie A. (or E.) Comstock, daughter of Lymon and Esther Ann (Haight) Comstock. Minnie was born July 12, 1868 in Carroll. Frank and Minnie had four children, all born in Frewsburg, NY:

Lewis Frank was born August 3, 1886 in Frewsburg, NY. On February 7, 1914 he married Helen E. Stratton. Helen was born January 31, 1895 in Busti, NY. Lewis and Helen had three daughters, all born in Frewsburg: Dorothy Allene, married Lewis Stone, had three children; Elsie, married twice; and Clara Olive, married Raymond Q. Nelson, had six children. Lewis died February 16, 1942 in Frewsburg and is buried in Ivory Cemetery there. Helen died October 12, 1956. She is buried in Fentonville Cemetery in Dewillville, NY.

Fred J. was born July 15, 1887 and died April 3, 1888.

Esther Marie was born April 10, 1899. On July 21, 1920 she married Miner Comstock.

Clyde Leslie was born September 8, 1903 in Frewsburg, NY. On April 3, 1923 in Frewsburg he married Edith Ortha Hamilton. Edith was born February 7, 1904. Clyde and Edith had seven children, all born in Frewsburg: Olita Mary, married Harold Rowley, had eleven children; Frank E., died an infant; Donald Clyde, married Kathleen Barrett, had two children; Mavis Allene, married Leon Covey, had six children; Maurice Earl, married Grace Aurilla Sherman, had five children; Lois Esther, married Richard W. Freeman, had four children, [including Wanda Ann (Freeman) Kozlowski]; and Joyce Mae, married Clarence R. Price, had four children. Clyde died July 23, 1976 in Jamestown.

Frank died March 23, 1928 in Frewsburg; Minnie died February (or October) 28, 1929. Both are buried in the Ivory Cemetery, Carroll.

References: Zera Sisson's Bible; (580).

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Charles A. [9]

Richard [1], George [2], Thomas [3], Giles [4], Samuel [5], John [6], George Washington [7], George Washington, Jr. [8] page 463

Charles A. (1878-1921)
1901 | Maud Htchkss (1879-1977)

- Nita Harriet (1903-1978)
  1930 | Gus O Hovorucha (1891-1975)
- Melvin Wilbur (1905-1988)
  1953 | Mildred Gillium (1918-1970)
- Lorenne Ethelind (1909-1982)

Charles A. Sisson was born January 14, 1878 in Boulder, Boulder County, CO. He was a railroad man. On October 10, 1901 he married Maud E. Hotchkiss, daughter of Andrew Monette and Jemima C. (Barnes) Hotchkiss. Maud was born November 3, 1879 in Lake City, CO. Charles and Maud had three children, all born in Boulder:

Nita Harriet was born January 27, 1903. On November 28, 1930 she married Gus O. Hovorucha. Gus was born July 1, 1891 in

Yashniky, Pottard State, Ukranian SSR. They lived in Glendale, CA, and had no children. Gus died September 22, 1975. Nita died August 29?, 1978. They are buried in Forest Lawn Cemetery, Glendale, CA.

Melvin Wilbur was born December 11, 1905. He was a carpenter and wood sculptor. He lived in Sanford, NC. On October 14, 1953 he married Mildred LaMay Gillium. Mildred was born November 20, 1918 in Washington, DC. They lived in Paradise, CA. They had no children. Mildred died in August, 1970. Melvin died March 30, 1988 in San Francisco. Both had their ashes scattered at sea.

Lorenne Ethelind was born March 15, 1909. She was not married and lived most of her life in Riverside, CA. She was an executive secretary at the University of California at Riverside. Lorene died April 9, 1982 in Paradise. Her ashes were scattered at sea.

Charles died September 29, 1921 in Boulder; Maud died March 3, 1977 in Riverside and is buried in Forest Lawn Cemetery.

Reference: (490).

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Henry R. [9]

Richard [1], George [2], Thomas [3], Giles [4], Samuel [5], John [6], George Washington [7], George Washington, Jr. [8] page 463

Henry R.(1879-1953)
1905 | Ellen Goodro(1886-1965)

- Lloyd Henry(1907-1994)
  1930 | Dorothy Cumrine(1910-1969)
- Glenn Marvin(1914-1995)
  1933 | Stella M Dunbar(1918-)
- Anita Louise(1919-)
  1937 | Gerald A Sawdey(1918-1984)

Henry R. Sisson was born October 19, 1879 in Boulder, Boulder County, CO. He was a miner. On June 14, 1905 in Brighton, CO, he married Ellen "Ella" Evangeline Goodro, daughter of Leander J. and Sarah E. (Mutchmore) Goodro. Ella was born March 2, 1886 in Lincoln, NE. Her family moved to Boulder in October, 1894. Henry and Ella had three children, all born in Boulder:

Lloyd Henry was born October 16, 1907 in Boulder, CO. He was a miner, blacksmith, and tool-and-die maker. On April 26, 1930 in Boulder he married Dorothy May Cumrine, daughter of Edward Owen and Grace (Hill) Cumrine. Dorothy was born January 7, 1910 in Rutland, IL; her family moved to Boulder in 1924. Lloyd and Dorothy had two children, both born in Boulder: Lovella Ceel, married Leon Miles Urban, had three children; David Henry, married Joan Carol Theleman, had two children. In 1943 the family moved to California where Lloyd worked at Treasure Island (San Francisco) shipyards. The family lived in Woodacre where Lloyd later built fire trucks for Marin County Fire Department until his retirement in 1970. Lloyd and Dorothy were active in Boy Scouts; Lloyd received the Silver Beaver Award, scouting's highest civilian award. Dorothy died of cancer September 4, 1969 in San Rafael, CA. Lloyd died of heart

failure October 2, 1994 in Livermore, CA. Both are inurned at Mt. Tamalpais Cemetery in San Rafael.

Glenn Marvin was born April 9, 1914 in Boulder, CO. He was a photographer and merchant and owned a shop in Boulder until he retired to Phoenix, AZ. On May 5, 1934 in Boulder he married Stella May Dunbar, daughter of Felix Holt and Geneva Ruth (Rhyno) Dunbar. Stella was born November 26, 1915 in Boulder. Glenn and Stella had two children: Melvin Leroy, April 13, 1935, married Arlene Faye Barber, had two daughters; and Neva Marie, April 24, 1938, married Donald Davis, had four children. Glenn died January 23, 1995 in Phoenix.

Anita Louise was born September 29, 1919. On October 3, 1937 at Eagle Rock near Boulder, she married Gerald Arthur Sawdey, son of Arthur Raymond and Nina Mae (Bixler) Sawdey. Gerald was born April 25, 1918 in Longmont, CO. He was a plasterer. They lived in Wheatridge, CO. Anita and Gerald had two daughters: Connie Sue, married 1) Mr. Doyle, 2) Mr. Bollinger, and 3) Leonard Shields; and Karen Kay, married 1) Mike Lowe, and 2) Robert Dermar. Gerald died July 11, 1984 in Wheatridge and is buried in Ft. Logan Cemetery, Denver.

Henry died June 14, 1953; Ella died July 21, 1965. Both died in Boulder and are buried in Green Mountain Cemetery there.

Reference: (490).

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Frederick Alfred [9]

Richard [1], George [2], Thomas [3], Giles [4], Samuel [5], Samuel, Jr. [6], John [7], Henry Alfred [8] page 464

Frederick Alfred(1852-1918) \
1873 Mary J Smith(1850-1903) / — Alice Mabel(1876-) — Thomas F Hanlon(1873-)

Frederick Alfred Sisson was born June 23, 1852 in New York. He was a mechanic. On January 28, 1873 he married Mary Jane Smith. Mary was born May 16, 1850 in New York, as were both of her parents. The family lived in Dunkirk, NY. Frederick and Mary had a daughter, born in New York:

Alice Mabel "Mia" was born January 28, 1876. She married Thomas Francis Hanlon. Thomas was born June 14, 1873. Alice and Thomas may have lived in Dunkirk. Both died before 1920 without issue.

Mary died March 1, 1903; Frederick died February 15, 1918.

References: (491) 1860 & 1880 4th Ward on Rugges Street.

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George Elial [9]

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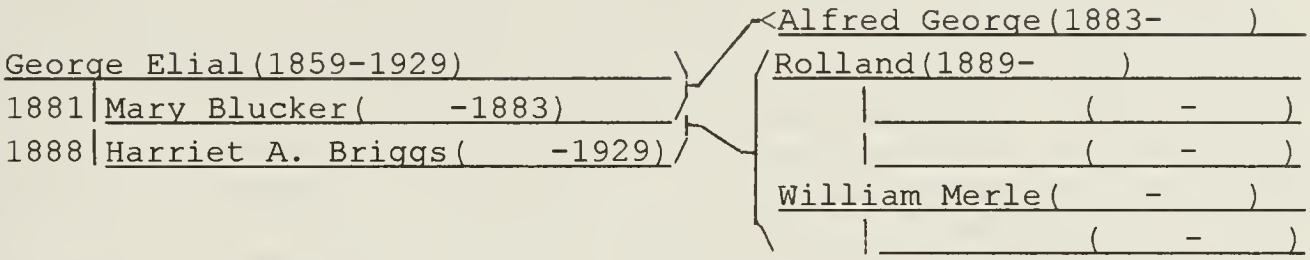

George Elial (or Eliel) Sisson was born December 2, 1859 in New York. He lived in Dunkirk, NY. On October 20, 1881 he married Mary Blucker (or Plucker). George and Mary had a son:

Alfred George was born April 8, 1883.

Mary died the day her son was born. George married second August 8, 1888 Harriet Armstrong Briggs. George and Harriet had two sons:

Rolland was born August 3, 1889. He was married twice but we have no further information.

William Merle was born April 21, 1891. He was married but we do not know his wife's name. She and William had two children: George; and Betty.

Both George and Harriet died in April, 1929.

Reference: (491) 1860.

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Harry Erlon [9]

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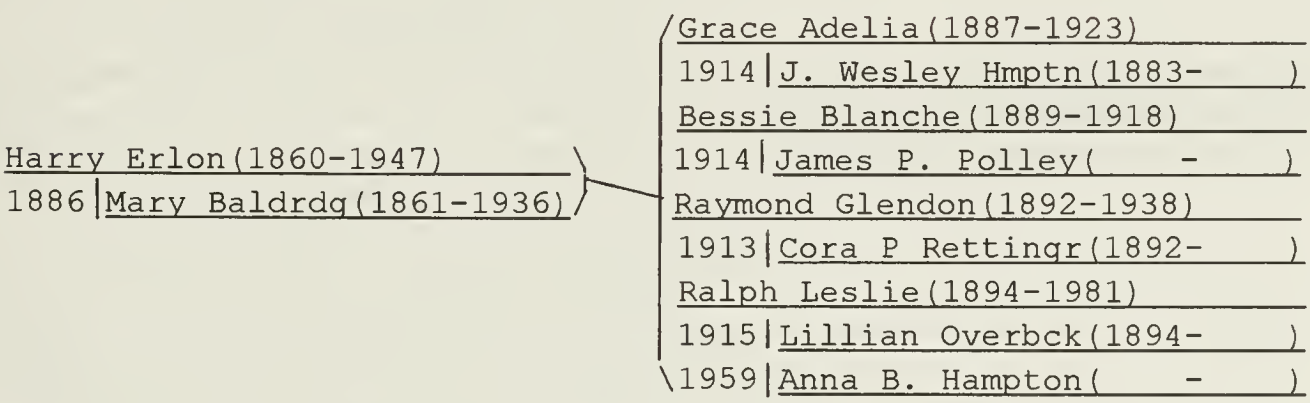

Harry Erlon (or Erlon John) Sisson was born April 17, 1860 in Strawberry Point, Clayton County, IA. In 1864 his family moved to Centralia, IL. He worked for the railroad. On June 8, 1886 he married Mary Delila Baldridge. Mary was born February 17, 1861 in

Marion County, IL. Harry and Mary had four children, all born in Centralia:

Grace Adelia was born March 2, 1887. On June 9, 1914 she married J. Wesley Hampton. Wesley was born August 25, 1883. Grace died January 24, 1923 without issue.

Bessie Blanche was born June 14, 1889. On April 18, 1914 she married James Pavey Polley. Bessie and James had two children: Virginia Grace, August 30, 1915; and James Harold, August 20 to October 4, 1918. Bessie died September 20, 1918.

Raymond Glendon was born July 30, 1892. On November 11, 1913 he married Cora Philia Rettinger. Cora was born March 3, 1892. Raymond died November 22, 1938 with no issue.

Ralph Leslie was born January 26, 1894 in Centralia, IL. He married first on November 4, 1915 Lillian Dorothy Overbeck. Lillian was born December 19, 1894. Ralph and Lillian had a daughter: Dorothy Irene, January 27, 1918. Ralph married second January 15, 1959 in Trenton, TN, Anna Barbara Hempton. Ralph died March 21, 1981 in Centralia.

Mary died June 6, 1936; Harry died December 5, 1947. Both died in Centralia and are buried in Hillcrest Cemetery there.

We have no additional references.

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Frederick [9]

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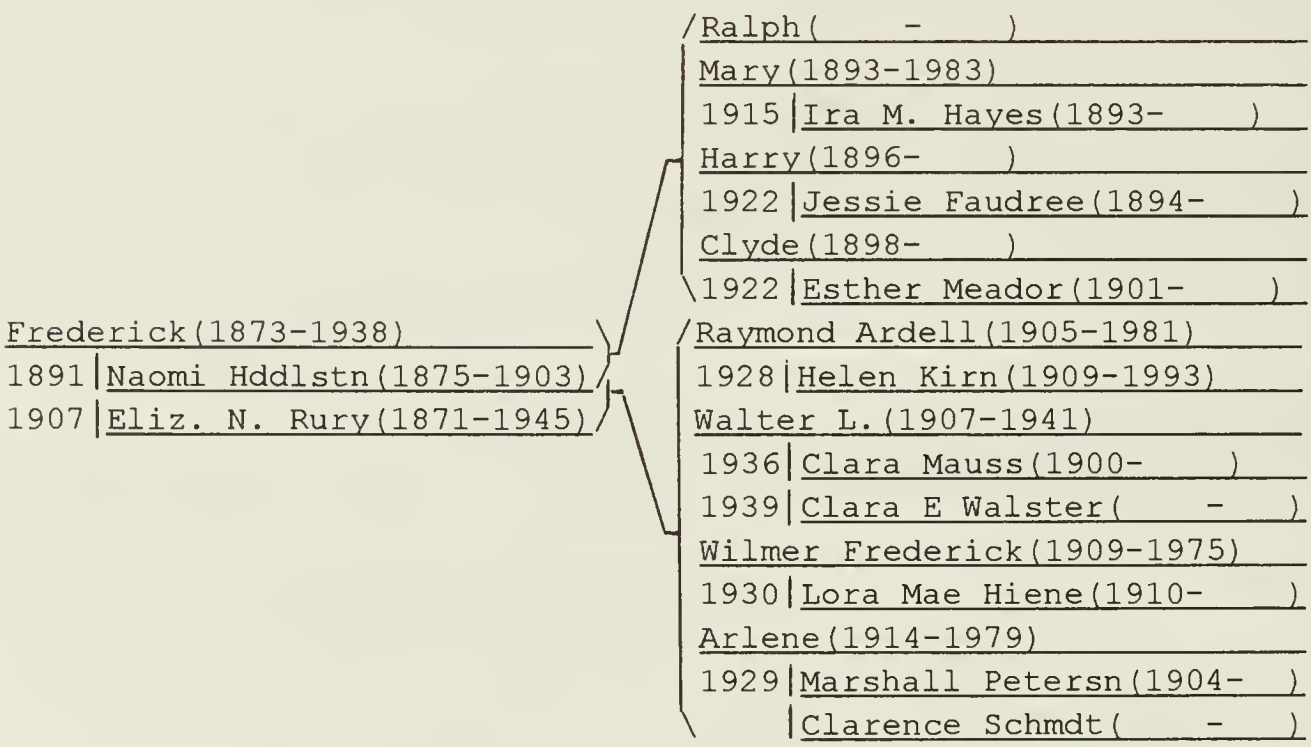

Frederick Sisson was born October 4, 1873 in Centralia, Marion County, IL. On February 25, 1891 he married Naomi (or Neoma) Huddleston, daughter of George Huddleston. Naomi was born September

17, 1875 in Foster, Braken County, KY. Frederick and Naomi had four children, including Ralph who was not mentioned with the other children in the records, all born in Centralia:

Ralph was born about 1892.

Mary was born September 13, 1893. On May 19, 1915 she married Ira M. Hayes. Ira was born December 3, 1893. Mary and Ira had a son: Lyle Edward. Mary died January 21, 1983 in Centralia and is buried in Hillcrest Memorial Park.

Harry was born March 18, 1896 in Centralia, IL. On August (or October) 30, 1922 he married Jessie Faudree. Jessie was born January 16, 1894. Harry and Jessie had five children: Arline May; Fay Lorrene; Betty Viola; Ruby Jessie; and Harold Edwin.

Clyde was born June 21, 1898 in Centralia, Marion County, IL. On January 22, 1922 in Marion County he married Esther Meader. Esther was born January 17, 1901 in Centralia. Clyde and Esther had nine children, all born in Marion County: Lucille Edna, died young; Dorothy, married Mr. Clapper; Billie Dean; Mary Louise, married Mr. Robbins; Naomi Jean, married Mr. Rourke; Charles Sheridan, married; Evelyn Irene, married Mr. Mullins; Julius Francis; and Richard.

Naomi died April 17, 1903 in Centralia and is buried in Elmwood Cemetery there. Frederick married second May 15, 1907 in Edwardsville, Madison County, IL, Mrs. Elizabeth (Nickolson) Rury, daughter of Langsdon Nickolson and widow of Alfred Eugene Rury. [The marriage date may be 1904, or Raymond may have been brought to the marriage by Elizabeth and took the surname Sisson.] Elizabeth was born February 24, 1871 in Belleville, St. Clair County, IL. Frederick and Elizabeth had four children, all born in Illinois:

Raymond Ardell was born November 22, 1905 in Belleville, IL. On August 29, 1928 in St. Louis, MO, he married Helen Kirn (also reported Hirn), daughter of Joseph Charles and Lena (Lechner) Kirn. Helen was born July 24, 1909 in St. Louis. Raymond and Helen had two sons, both born in St. Louis: Raymond Walter, married Ruth Ann Schleicher; and Clyde Everett, married Frances Dolores Williams. Raymond died October 25, 1981 in Lake Ozark, Miller County, MO. Helen died in 1993. Raymond and probably Helen are buried in Blair Memorial Cemetery, Camdenton, MO.

Walter L. was born December 11, 1907 in Belleville. On January 8, 1936 he married Clara Mauss. Clara was born June 27, 1900. Walter married second April 8, 1939 in Belleville, Clara Ethel Walster. Walter died April 26, 1941 in Belleville and is buried in Walnut Hill Cemetery there.

Wilmer Frederick was born May 30, 1909 (or 1910) in Centralia, IL. On March 22, 1930 in Belleville, St. Clair County, IL, he married Lora Mae (or Ada) Heine. Lora was born November 10, 1910. Wilmer and Lora had two sons: Norman, married Gene ( ); and Wilmer, Jr., May 26, 1933. Wilmer died August 16, 1975 in Belleville. He is buried in Walnut Hill Cemetery there.

Arlene was born June 7, 1914 in Patoka, Marion County. On August 18, 1929 in Piggott, Clay County, AR, she married Marshall Anthony Peterson. Marshall was born January 9, 1904. Arlene and Marshall had three children: Florence Jean; Marshall, Jr.; and James. Apparently Arlene married second Clarence E. Schmidt.

Frederick died April 5, 1938 in Belleville and is buried in Elmwood City Cemetery, Centralia. Elizabeth died December 3, 1945 in Belleville. She is buried in Walnut Hill Cemetery.

References: Birth record #200115, and Marriage license #11480 Illinois state file and Death records #417 and #1107, St. Clair County; Family documents and records via (492); (320) 1988 & 1993, birth and marriage; (493); (495) 1880, 1900 & 1910; (581).

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George Ames [9]

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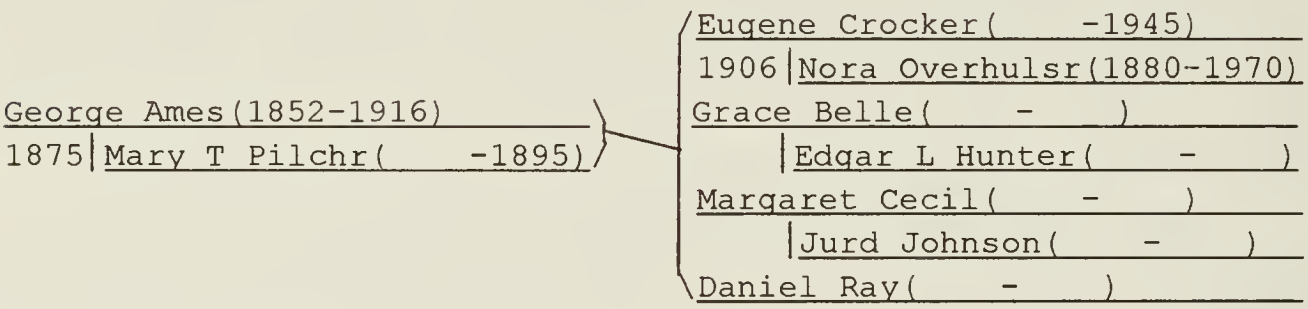

George Ames Sisson was born July 19, 1852 in Ioka, IA. On January 7, 1875 he married Mary Todd Pilcher. George and Mary had four children:

Eugene Crocker was born about 1877. On November 6, 1902 he married Nora Overhulser, daughter of John Wesley and Eliza (Tomkins) Overhulser. Nora was born September 20, 1880. They lived in Kahoka, MO. Eugene and Nora had eight children: Ruby; Helen, married Mr. Bricker; Dorothy, married Mr. Phillips; Carl; Murlin; Wayne; Forrest; and Charles. Eugene died November 26, 1945. Nora died January 29, 1970 and is buried in Kahoka Cemetery.

Grace Belle was born about 1878. She married Edgar Luther Hunter. Grace and Edgar had a daughter: Margaret Cecil.

Margaret Cecil was born about 1880. She married Jurd Johnson. Margaret and Jurd had one child.

Daniel Ray was born about 1882.

Reference: (550).

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Marcellus Crocker [9]

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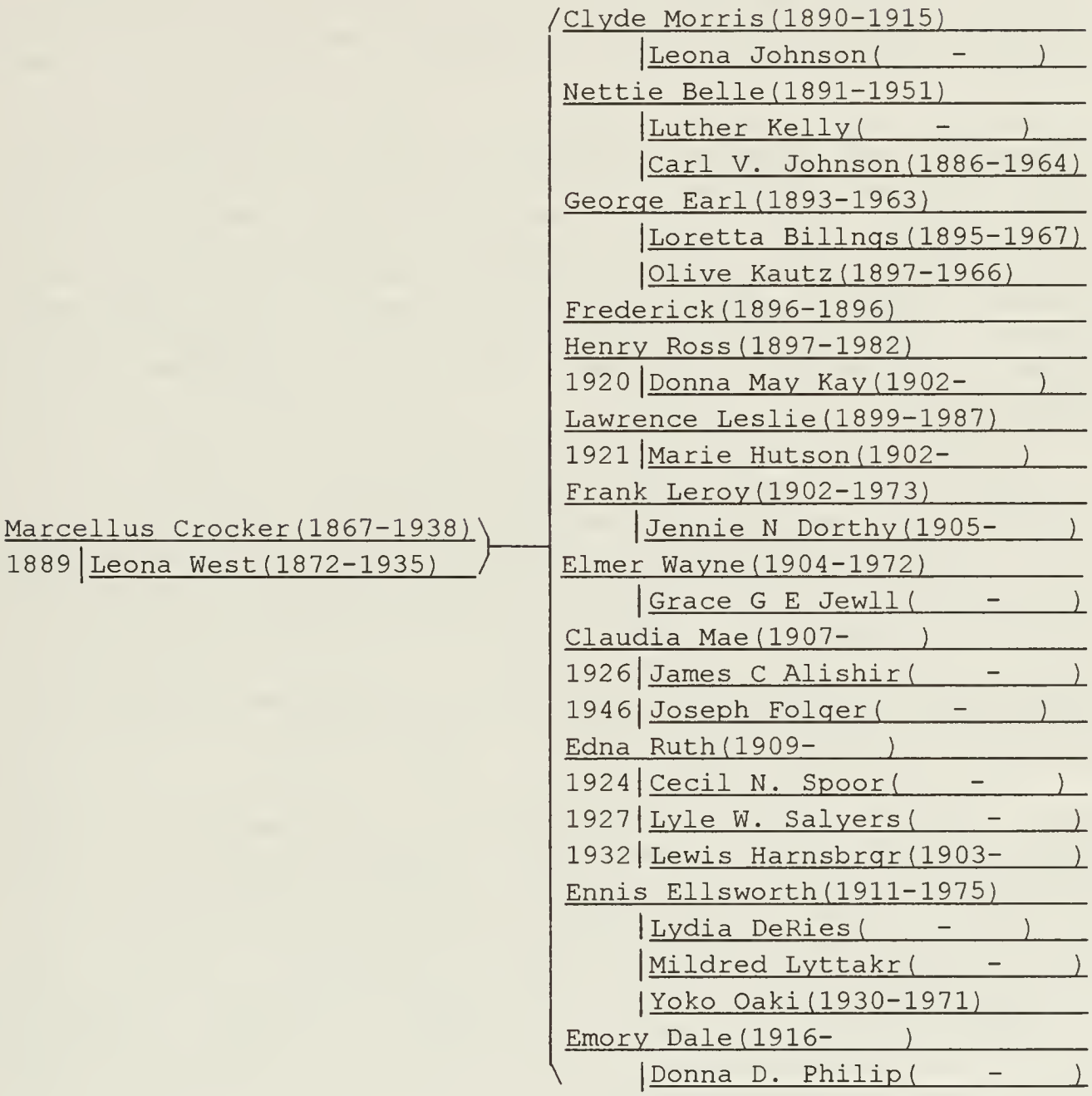

Marcellus Crocker Sisson was born June 22, 1867 in Vevay, IN. He was a teacher, farmer, mail carrier (1903-1917), and machinist helper for 15 years on the Acheson, Topeka and Santa Fe Railroad. He was a Methodist. On November 2, 1889 in Luray, Clark County, MO, he married Leona West, daughter of Isaac and Martha (Roby) West of Chambersburg, MO. They were married by Levi Howell, J.P. Marcellus and Leona had twelve children, all born in Luray:

Clyde Morris was born April 28, 1890 in Luray, MO. Clyde was a barber. He married Leona Johnson. Clyde and Leona had a son: Millard Leslie, July 27, 1913 to February 23, 1970. Clyde died October 10, 1915 in Keokuk, IA. He is buried in Combs Cemetery in Luray.

Nettie Belle was born October 21, 1891. She legally changed her name to Leona Belle Sisson. She married first Luther Kelly, who worked for the Santa Fe Railroad. Nettie and Luther had three children: Lucille; Helen Maxine; and Merle. Nettie and Luther were divorced. Nettie married second Carl Victor Johnson. Carl was born in 1886. He was a machinist. Nettie and Carl had two children: Carl Henry; and Juanita Elizabeth. Nettie died December 16, 1951; Carl died in 1964. Both died in Ft. Madison, IA, and are buried there.

George Earl was born December 10, 1893 in Luray, MO. He was a telegrapher and salesman. He married first Loretta Ann Billings. Loretta was born April 22, 1895. George and Loretta had two children: Ellis Marcellus, September 13, 1912, married Geneve Beatrice Phelps, had a daughter; and Viola Mae, October 10, 1914, married John Caldarella, had six children. George and Loretta were divorced. George married second Olive Kautz. Olive was born February 7, 1897 in Clark County, MO. George and Olive had no children. George died January 23, 1963 in Kansas City, MO. Olive died November 1, 1966. Loretta died October 27, 1967 and is buried in Independence, MO.

Frederick was born March 20 and died April 10, 1896. He is buried in the Bethlehem Cemetery north of Luray.

Henry Ross was born February 26, 1897 in Luray, MO. He was a merchant and antique dealer. On September 10, 1920 he married Donna May Kay, daughter of Robert and Addie (Sewart) Kay. Donna was born January 18, 1902. Henry and Donna had four children, all born in Luray: Sidney Keith, married 1) Geraldine Marie Morris, had a son, married 2) June Pearl (Keith) Erickson; Bessie Louise, married Richard Reuben Roberts, Jr, had three children; Mary Jo, married Laverne Eugene March, had a son; and Craig Nolan, not married. Henry died January 22, 1982.

Lawrence Leslie was born July 5, 1899 in Luray, MO. He was a service station proprietor. On August 6, 1921 he married Marie Hutson, daughter of William and Ida Lena (Hamilton) Hutson. Marie was born June 2, 1902 in Memphis, MO. Lawrence and Marie had three children, all born in Luray: Mildred Leona, married Elzie Roberts, had a son; Lavaughn, married Robert Spowart, had three children; and Richard, married Annette Murray, had two children. Lawrence died September 9, 1987.

Frank Leroy was born August 14, 1902 in Luray, MO. He was a machinist for the Santa Fe Railroad. Frank married Jennie Nelda Dorothy. Jennie was born August 8, 1905. Frank and Jennie had a daughter: Bobby Jean, died young. The family moved to Ft. Madison, IA, in 1938. Frank died July 8, 1973.

Elmer Wayne was born October 8, 1904 in Luray, MO. He married Grace Genevieve Ellen Jewell. Elmer and Grace had a son: Elmer Wayne, Jr., married and had five children. Elmer died August 19, 1972.

Claudia "Candice" Mae was born April 30, 1907. On December 24, 1926 in Kansas City, MO, she married James Clyde Aleshire. They were divorced. Claudia married second July 16, 1946 Joseph Folger. She had no children. Claudia died after 1982.

Edna Ruth was born July 26, 1909. On September 24, 1924 in Ft. Madison, IA, she married Cecil Norman Spoor. Cecil was a train

inspector for the A.T.& S.F. Railroad. Edna and Cecil had a son in Ft. Madison: Cecil Warren. Edna and Cecil were divorced. Edna married second in November, 1927 Lyle Wendell Salyers, a banker. Edna and Lyle had a son born in Quincey, IL: Charles Wendell. Edna and Lyle were divorced in 1930/1. Edna married third November 14, 1932 Lewis Lee Harnsberger. Lewis was born April 2, 1903 in Sunnyside, WA. He was a parts supervisor. Edna and Lewis had two sons: Lewis J.; and Dale Ennis. Edna and Lewis were divorced in 1959/60. Edna died August 15, 1984.

Ennis Ellsworth was born December 26, 1911 in Luray, MO. He married first Lydia DeRies. Ennis and Lydia had two sons: Ennis Ellsworth, Jr., married and had five children; and Robert Lee, married, possibly had five children. Ennis and Lydia were divorced. Ennis married second Mildred Evelyn Lyttaker. Ennis and Mildred had four children: Claudia Mae, married, possibly had five children; Loren Frank, married, possibly had four children; Sylvia Dianne, married, possibly had five children; and Terry Jan, married, possibly had four children. Ennis married third Yoko Oaki in Tokyo, Japan. Yoko was born March 15, 1930. Ennis and Yoko had two sons: James Edward; and Frank Wayne. Yoko died August 27, 1971. She is buried in Luray. Ennis died July 24, 1975.

Emory Dale was born June 25, 1916 in Luray, MO. He married Donna Dell Philip, daughter of Frank and Frances ( ) Philip. Emory and Donna had three children, probably all born in Luray: Frances Dean, married, probably had four children; Alice Janet, married and had three children; and Marlyn Jean, married and had four children.

Leona died November 20, 1935 in Keokuk, IA. Marcellus died of a coronary at 8:05 p.m. April 8, 1938 in the Santa Fe Hospital, Madison, IA. He is buried in Luray.

References: Obituary of Marcellus, April 15, 1938, "Kahoka, Clark County, Courier"; (365); (550); (582) Book 2 p.49; (583) St. Louis, MO.

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Julius Sylvanus [9]

Richard [1], George [2], Thomas [3], Giles [4], John [5], John, Jr. [6], Daniel Higby [7], Wilson Crandall [8] page 473

Julius Sylvanus (1855-1931)
1879 | Alice Viola Trim (1861-1931)

- Nathan Elmer (1882-)
  - (-)
- Lawrence T. C. (1888-)
  - (-)
- Arthur Franklin (1890-1924)
  - 1911 | Myrtle Ashr (-)
- Howard Roosevelt (1906-)

Julius Sylvanus "Van" Sisson was born November 17, 1855 in Ioka, Keokuk County, IA. On January 8, 1879 in Ottawa, KS, he married Alice Viola Trim, daughter of Alvin and Mary Elizabeth

(Gowen) Trim. Alice was born January 8, 1861 in Baldwin, Osage County, KS. Both Julius and Alice attended Baker University in Baldwin. They lived in Baldwin and Maysville, MO. Julius and Alice had four children:

Nathan Elmer was born December 20, 1882. He was married and had two sons: Hull; and Carl. The family was living in Colony, KS, when mentioned in grandparents' obituaries.

Lawrence Trim Clair was born April 21, 1888. He was married and had five daughters: Madge, circa 1910, married Maynard Hatfield; Maxine; Muriel; Minola; and Mildred. The family lived in Manville then Guernsey, WY. This family is also mentioned in the grandparents' obituaries.

Arthur Franklin was born September 23, 1890. His family moved to Maysville, MO, in 1890. In 1911 he married Myrtle Asher. Arthur and Myrtle had two children: Jack; and Alice. Arthur was a surveyor and about 1916 he was county engineer for two years. He was the mayor of Maysville when he was wounded by Newman Estes and died sixteen days later on April 14, 1924 in St. Joseph, MO. He had "planned to move to Wyoming that spring". He is buried in Oak Lawn Cemetery.

Howard Roosevelt was born August 3, 1906. He lived in St. Joseph, Missouri.

Alice died April 7; Julius died April 10, 1931 in St. Joseph, MO. Both died of double pneumonia and are buried in Oak Lawn Cemetery. They were survived by "her brother Frank Trim and sister Fanny Sisson of Kansas City".

References: Obituaries; (550).

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John Willis [9]

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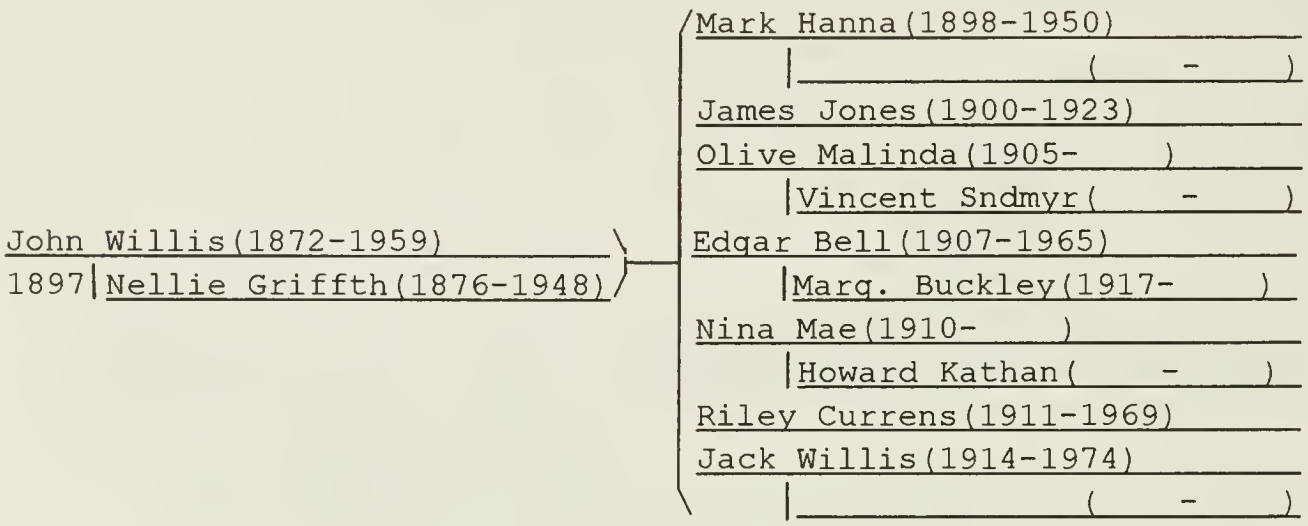

John Willis Sisson was born January 17, 1872 in Harveyville, KS. He was a farmer and raised livestock. On April 7, 1897 he married Nellie Louise Griffith. Nellie was born December 27, 1876

in Ft. Wingate, NM. In 1912 they moved to Geyser, MT. John and Nellie had seven children:

Mark Hanna was born December 2, 1898. Apparently he was married but had no children. He died February 10, 1950.

James Jones was born February 14, 1900. James died January 15, 1923 in a mine cave-in near Lewiston, MT. He was rescued but died the same day. He was survived by his uncle Elmer, aunt Kate and James Sisson (his cousin) of Hobson, MT.

Olive Malinda was born August 7, 1905 in Bradford, KS. She married Vincent Sandmeyer and had two sons: Maurice and William.

Edgar Bell was born July 31, 1907 in Bradford, KS. He married Margaret Florence Buckley. Margaret was born January 3, 1917. The family moved to Geyser and then Stanford, MT. Edgar and Margaret had four children, all born in Stanford: Margaret Linda; Billie Louise; James Buckley; John Willis, died young; and Edgar, also died young, in Stanford where he is buried.

Nina Mae was born January 5, 1910 in Jennings, KS. She married Howard Kathan and had two sons: James and A. Edward.

Riley Currens was born March 14, 1911 and died December 25, 1969. He was not married.

Jack Willis was born August 2, 1914. Apparently he was married but had no children. He died June 9, 1974.

Nellie died September 1, 1948; John died May 20, 1959 in Great Falls, MT. Both are buried in Stanford, MT.

References: James Jones' obituary; (366).

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Elmer Marcellus [9]

Richard [1], George [2], Thomas [3], Giles [4], John [5], John, Jr. [6], Daniel Higby [7], James Jones [8] page 474

Elmer Marcellus(1873-1948) ⟩ ⟨ James Elmer(1914-)
Kate Hogan(-1957) ⟩ 1940 ⟨ Marna Rau(-)

Elmer Marcellus Sisson was born June 26, 1873 in Harveyville, KS. He was a Methodist. He married Kate Hogan. Kate was born November 25, 18__, in Iowa. Elmer and Kate had a son:

James Elmer was born December 9, 1914. In 1940 he married Marna Rau. James and Marna had two daughters, both born in Lewiston, MT: Joan Elaine; and Mary Michael. Elmer died March 14, 1948 in Hobson, MT; Kate died in December, 1957.

Reference: (366).

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Frank Ellsworth [9]

Richard [1], George [2], Thomas [3], Giles [4], John [5], John, Jr. [6], Daniel Higby [7], James Jones [8] page 474

Frank Ellsworth(1884-1962) ⟩ ⟨ Margaret Maxine(1908-)
1907 Irvyl I. Riggin(1885-1935) ⟩ ⟨ Mary Irvyl(1919-1973)
Tallady(-)

Frank Ellsworth Sisson was born June 25, 1884 in Harveyville, KS. On June 21, 1907 in Topeka, KS, he married Irvyl Ireta Riggin, daughter of Millard and Claudia (Craig) Riggin. Irvyl was born September 13, 1885 in Wilmington, KS. Frank and Irvyl had two daughters, both born in Harveyville:

Margaret Maxine was born April 29, 1908. She was not married and in 1998 was living in Wichita, KS.

Mary Irvyl was born February 13, 1919. She married Mr. Tallady. Mary and her husband had two children: Burrell; and Irvyl Mae, who married a Mr. Scott. Mary died March 5, 1973 in Wichita.

Irvyl died February 25, 1935; Frank died April 30, 1962 in Wichita. Both are buried in the Harveyville Cemetery.

References: Letters by Frank; Irvyl's obituary; (366).

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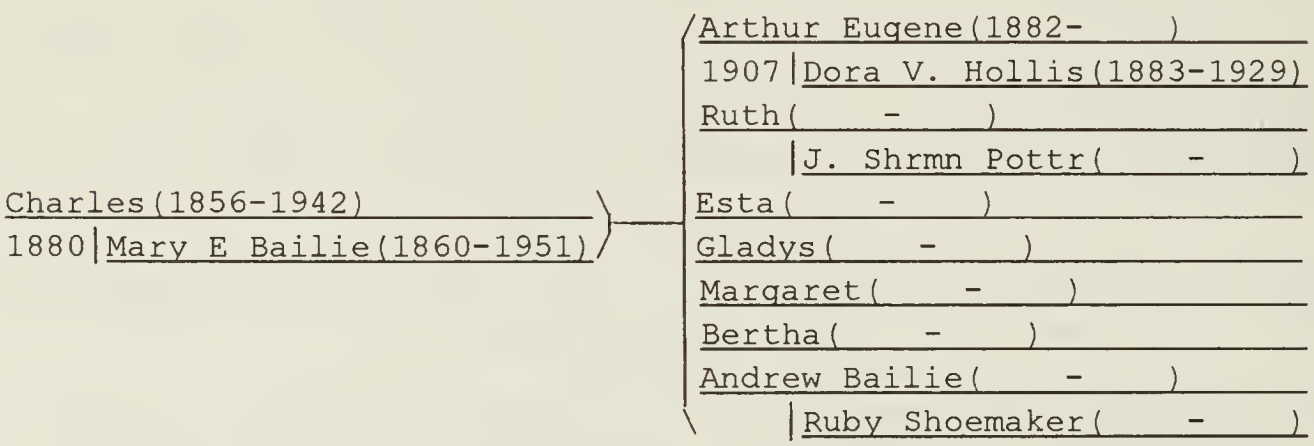
Charles [9]

Richard [1], George [2], Thomas [3], Giles [4], John [5], John, Jr. [6], Zenas L. [7], Daniel Wright [8] page 476



Charles Sisson was born August 29, 1856. At some time he moved from Indiana to Mason, IL. On September 23, 1880 he married Mary Eva Bailie. "Eva" was born April 18, 1860. Charles and Eva had seven children, probably all born in Mason:

Arthur Eugene was born January 4, 1882 in Mason, IL. On May 1, 1907 he married Dora Visena Hollis. Dora was born December 17, 1883. Arthur and Dora had two children: Charles Hollis, April 10, 1908, married Loveta Elizabeth Martin, had four children; and Genevieve, July 18, 1911, married Erick W. Walther, had a son. Dora died March 9, 1929.

Ruth was born about 1884. She married J. Sherman Potter, a Presbyterian minister. Ruth and Sherman had a son: Marshall David, who married twice.

Esta was born about 1886 and died before 1974. She was not married.

Gladys was born about 1888. She was not married.

Margaret was born about 1890. She was an M.D. and not married.

Bertha was born about 1892. She was not married.

Andrew Bailie was born about 1894. He married Ruby Shoemaker. Andrew and Ruby had two sons: Daniel Wright, married, had four children; and John B., married, had two children.

Charles died August 28, 1942; Eva died January 10, 1951. Mary Eva has also been reported as "Sisson, his cousin". This may be the Charles Sisson who is listed in the Chicago City Directory in 1890 and 1894.

We have no additional references.

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Eugene Robert [9]

Richard [1], George [2], Thomas [3], Giles [4], John [5], John, Jr. [6], Zenas L. [7], Daniel Wright [8] page 476

Eugene Robert(-)
May C. Carroll(-)
Alice Eugenia(-)
Hayden(-)
Charles(-)

Eugene Robert Sisson was born June 25, 1858 near Rising Sun, IN. He was a lawyer admitted to the bar in Illinois in 1883. He practiced law in 1886 in Storm Lake, IA; later he became a real estate dealer and financier. He married May C. Carroll, daughter of Charles Carroll of Shawneetown, IL. Eugene and May had three children:

Alice Eugenia may have been born about 1887.
Hayden may have been born about 1890.
Charles may have been born about 1892.

Reference: (584) p. 147.

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Fletcher Marion [9]

Richard [1], George [2], Thomas [3], Giles [4], John [5], John, Jr. [6], Zenas L. [7], Zenas Bassett [8] page 477

Fletcher Marion(1851-1937)
Sarah McTarsny(1853-1912)
1913 Mary S Mahanna(1857-1915)
1917 Rachel M Watsn(-)
Foster Tevis(1875-1878)
Earl Eugene(1877-1878)
Katherine Fletcher(1879-1970)
James MacLean(-)
Ellis Phillps(-)
Warren Bassett(-1949)
Hildreth Elizabeth(1882-1968)
Lester Riddle(-)
Paul Benjamin(1885-1958)
Mary L. Hull(-)
Horace William(1890-1924)

Fletcher Marion Sisson was born November 21, 1851. He was a pastor in the Methodist Episcopal Church in 1882. Fletcher married first Sarah Elizabeth McTarsney. Sarah was born May 25, 1853. At some time the family lived in Garnett, KS. Fletcher and Sarah had six children:

Foster Tevis was born November 18, 1875 and died December 1, 1878.

Earl Eugene was born February 26, 1877 and died December 31, 1878.

Katherine Fletcher was born March 16, 1879. She was an educator with several degrees. She married first James D. MacLean. Katherine and James had a daughter: Jan, who married John E. Burri. Katherine married second on September 19, 1919 Ellis Laurimore Phillips. Katherine and Ellis had a son, Ellis Laurimore, Jr. She was a dean of several colleges and wrote "My Room in the World" in 1964. She lived in New York City and died January 11, 1970.

Warren Bassett was born about 1881. He is reported as a 33rd degree Mason. Warren died December 8, 1949 in Gallia, OH.

Hildreth Elizabeth was born July 27, 1882. She married Lester C. Riddle. Hildreth died in 1968.

Paul Benjamin was born in 1885. He married Mary Lucille Hull. Paul died in 1958.

Horace William was born in 1890 and died in 1924.

Sarah died February 2, 1912. Fletcher married second June 26, 1913 Mary S. Mahanna. Mary was born January 19, 1857. She died July 11, 1915. Fletcher married third September 18, 1917 Rachel M. Watson. Fletcher died September 10, 1937. Six family members are buried in Ridge Cemetery, Fremont, NE.

References: Warren B.'s obituary, "New York Times"; (398); (550).

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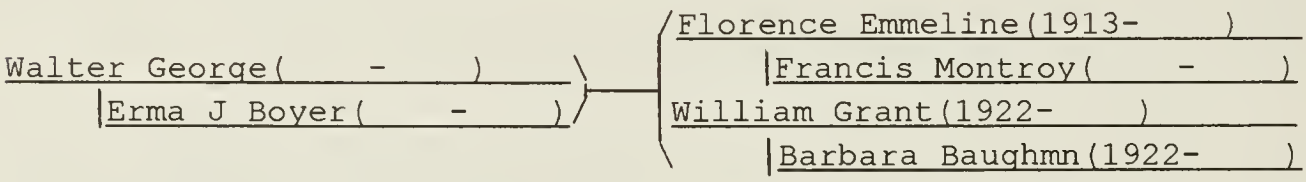
Walter George [9]

Richard [1], George [2], Thomas [3], Giles [4], John [5], John, Jr. [6], Zenas L. [7], William Mapes [8] page 477



Walter George Sisson was born about 1869 in Mason, IL. He was a carriage driver for the Christian leader John Alexander Dowie in Chicago. He went to Zion, IL, with Dowie where he became a tinsmith. He married Erma J. Boyer in Zion. Erma was born in Newberry, York County, PA. Walter and Erma had two children:

Florence Emmeline was born June 24, 1913. She married Francis Louis Montroy. Florence and Francis had three children: Darlene Marie, married John Richard Bohatch, had three children; Geneva Ann, married William Andrew Jokerst, had four children; and Francis Walter, married Patty Sternberg, had two children.

William Grant was born January 6, 1922. On November 24, 1944 he married Barbara Jane Baughman. Barbara was born March 14, 1922. "Grant" and Barbara had four children: Kathryn Louise, had a foster son; Karilyn Jane, married Thomas David Jones, had three children; Kenneth Grant, married Jeri Lynn Lainio, had five children; and Karlton Bradley, married Kathy Fae Tomonovich, had two children.

Reference: (367).

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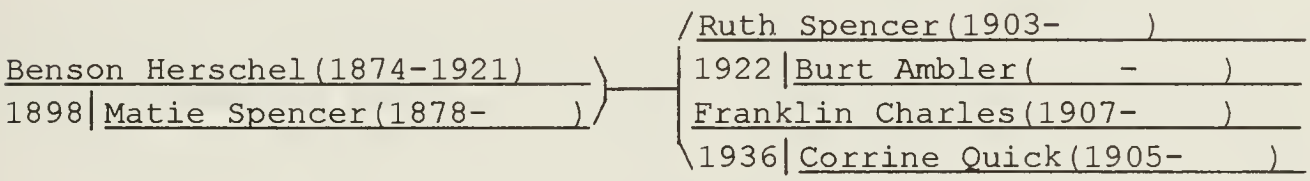
Benson Herschel [9]

Richard [1], George [2], Thomas [3], Giles [4], John [5], John, Jr. [6], Zenas L. [7], Benjamin Franklin [8] page 480



Benson Herschel Sisson was born in 1874. In 1898 he married Matie Spencer. Matie was born in 1878. They moved from Illinois to California. Benson and Matie had two children:

Ruth Spencer was born in 1903. In 1922 she married Burt Ambler from England. Ruth and Burt had one known son: Herbert F.

Franklin Charles was born in 1907. In 1936 he married Corrine Quick. Corrine was born in 1905.

Benson died in 1921.

We have no additional references.

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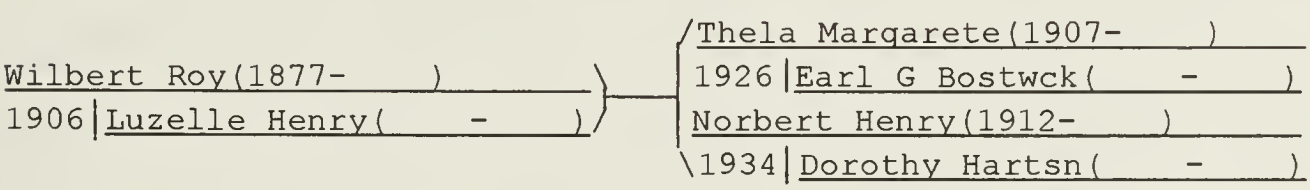
Wilbert Roy [9]

Richard [1], George [2], Thomas [3], Giles [4], John [5], John, Jr. [6], Zenas L. [7], Benjamin Franklin [8] page 480



Wilbert Roy Sisson was born in 1877. In 1906 he married Luzelle May Henry. Wilbert and Luzelle had two children:

Thela Margarete was born in 1907. In 1926 she married Earl G. Bostwick.

Norbert Henry was born in 1912. In 1934 he married Dorothy Hartson. Norbert and Dorothy had a daughter: Barbara Louise, 1935.

We have no additional references.

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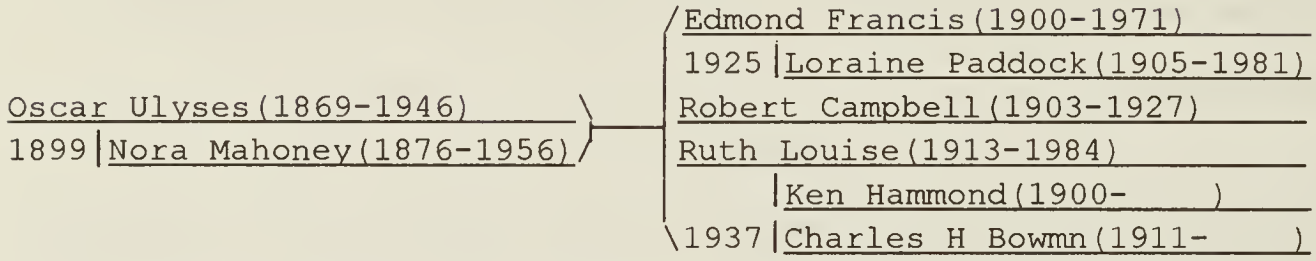
Oscar Ulyses [9]

Richard [1], George [2], Thomas [3], Giles [4], John [5], John, Jr. [6], John, III [7], Samuel T. [8] page 481



Oscar Ulyses Sisson was born August 14, 1869 in Centerville, NE. He moved from Centerville to Schuyler, NE, and in 1892 to Chicago, IL. In November, 1899 he married Nora Mahoney, daughter of Michael Francis and Ruth (Boyd) Mahoney. Nora was born October 24, 1876 in Scheffield, England. Oscar was a druggist and Nora a teacher. Both are listed in the Chicago City Directory from 1892 to 1899. Oscar and Nora had three children:

Edmond Francis was born September 16, 1900 in Chicago, IL. On May 30, 1925 he married Loraine Paddock, daughter of Jerome O. and Mamie (Fredenberg) Paddock. Loraine's parents are listed in the Chicago City Directory, 1892-1896. Loraine was born March 12, 1905 in Chicago. Edmond and Loraine had two sons: John "Jack" Paddock, married 1) Dianne Taylor, had a daughter, divorced, married 2) Patsy van Berkleo Vinson; and Robert Campbell, married Ann White, had four children. Edmond died in 1971; Loraine died in 1981.

Robert Campbell was born June 6, 1903. He was not married and died April 2, 1927 of typhoid fever. He is buried in Mount Olivet Cemetery.

Ruth Louise was born December 25, 1913. She married first Ken Hammond. Ken was born circa 1900. She married second in 1937 Charles Henry Bowman. Charles was born in 1911. Ruth had two children: Mary Virginia, married Bill Muehl; and Michael F., married Mary Margaret Coughlin. Ruth died August 20, 1984.

Oscar died January 2, 1946 in Chicago; Nora died in January, 1956.

References: Census, birth, marriage and death records; Wills; (370).

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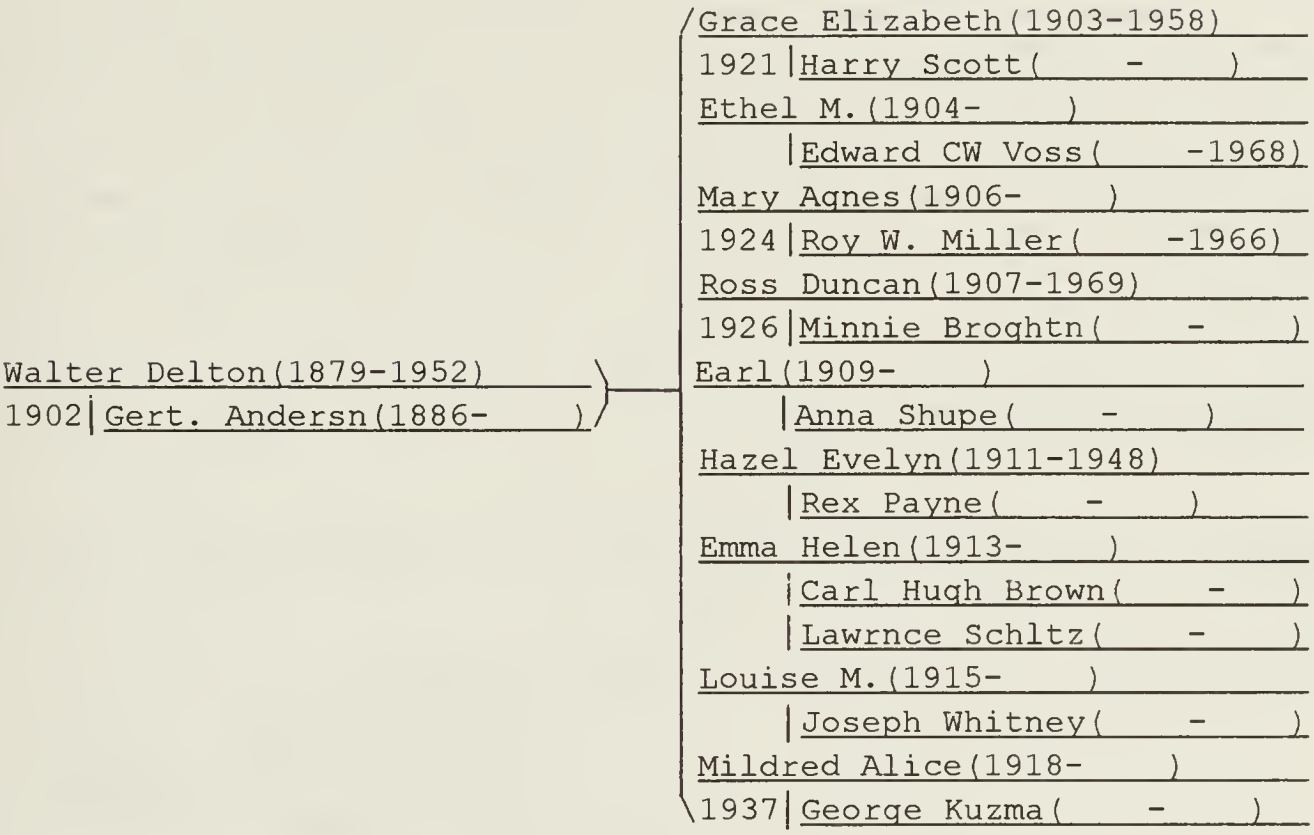
Walter Delton [9]

Richard [1], George [2], Thomas [3], Giles [4], John [5], Giles [6], John [7], James Oscar [8] page 484



Walter Delton Sisson was born October 16, 1879 in Cheshire, OH. He was a farmer. On April 20, 1902 in Marion, OH, he married Gertrude Anderson. Gertrude was born March 2, 1886. Walter and Gertrude had nine children, the first five born in Marion County, OH, the remainder in Erie County, PA:

Grace Elizabeth was born March 3, 1903. In 1921 she married Harry Scott. Grace and Harry had nine children. Grace died September 23, 1958 in Erie County, PA.

Ethel M. was born April 30, 1904. She married Edward C. W. Voss. They had three children. Edward died June 17, 1968.

Mary Agnes was born January 25, 1906. On January 31, 1924 she married Roy Walber Miller. Mary and Roy had three children: Jean Elinor, married Marion Allds, had two children; Dorothy Alice, married three times, had three children; and Robert Lee, married, had four children. Roy died December 30, 1966 in Conneaut, OH.

Ross Duncan was born October 14, 1907. On August 14, 1926 he married Minnie Broughton. Ross and Minnie had three children, probably all born in Erie County, PA: Millicent, married 1) Donald Games, had two children, 2) Robert Phillips, had two children; Ronald, married 1) Virginia Spiterti, 2) Eileen ( ), had two sons; and Marjorie F., married Ernest Brown, had two children. Ross died December 21, 1969 in Ft. Meade, FL.

Earl was born November 19 (or 25), 1909. He married Anna Shup(e). Earl and Anna had four children: Roy Earl, died an infant; Patricia Ann, married Thomas W. Raffensberger, had three children;

James Kenneth, married Nancy Peckham, had six children; and David John, married Emilie Martini, had two children.

Hazel Evelyn was born October 6, 1911. She married Rex Payne. They had two children. Hazel died February 28, 1948 in Erie County, PA.

Emma Helen was born August 18, 1913. She married first Carl Hugh Brown. Emma and Carl had one child. Emma married second Lawrence H. Schultz.

Louise M. was born August 31, 1915. She married Joseph L. Whitney. Louise and Joseph had two children.

Mildred Alice was born August 18 (or 22), 1918. On October 2, 1937 she married George Kuzma. Mildred and George had four children.

Walter died December 14, 1952 in Girard, PA.

References: (504) 1900; (550).

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John Franklin [9]

Richard [1], George [2], Thomas [3], Giles [4], John [5], Giles [6], John [7], James Oscar [8] page 484

John Franklin(1881-1930) | Nettie Hafhll(-1933)

- Edgar Dale(1905-) | Mary B (B) Rupe(-)
- John Carl(1907-1976) | Ruth D. Evans(-1970)
- Fred Clair(1908-) | 1930 Neva G Mulford(1912-)
- Helen Elizabeth(1910-1981) | Bamzel Fife(-)
- Hazel Frances(1914-) | 1932 Perry Ralph(-)
- Wayne Franklin(1919-) | Annabell Rupe(-)
- Grace(1921-) | 1940 Marvin Thomas(-)

John Franklin Sisson was born September 12, 1881 in Cheshire Township, Gallia County, OH [he is listed as "Frank J" in the 1900 census]. He married Nettie Halfhill, daughter of Samuel and Laura (Thomas) Halfhill; granddaughter of Jacob and Abigail (Barrett) Halfhill and Washington and Virginia (Armstrong) Thomas. John and Nettie had seven children, all born in Cheshire:

Edgar Dale was born August 15, 1905. He married Mary B. (Bradbury) Rupe, who brought one son and two daughters to the marriage. Edgar and Mary had no issue.

John Carl was born January 7, 1907. He married Ruth Davis Evans. John and Ruth had no issue. Ruth died April 21, 1970; John died July 19, 1976.

Fred Clair was born August 10, 1908 in Cheshire Twp, Gallia County, OH. On November 22, 1930 he married Neva Gail Mulford, daughter of Elza and Lona (Darst) Mulford. Neva was born February 3, 1912 in Cheshire Twp. Fred and Neva had two children: Phillip F., married 1) Carolyn Kreuger, had four children, 2) Carol Ros; and Frances Ann, married Michael Schukert, had two children.

Helen Elizabeth was born June 28, 1910. She married Bamzel "Bud" Fife. They had no issue. Helen died in January, 1981.

Hazel Frances was born March 13, 1914. In January, 1932 she married Perry Ralph. Hazel and Perry had four children: Carol Irene, married Curtis Althouse; John Edward, married Shirley Porter; Donald Perry, married Mary Jury; and Sandra Kay, married Tyrus Cramer, died 1969.

Wayne Franklin was born September 13, 1919 in Cheshire, OH. He married Annabell Rupe. Wayne and Annabell had four children: Richard, married Evelyn Swisher Blazer, had a daughter; Robert Wayne, married Ira [Iva?] Stewart, had three children; Carolyn, married Robert Hart; Linda, married Richard Bradbury, had two children.

Grace was born August 20, 1921. On December 20, 1940 she married Marvin Thomas. Grace and Marvin had two children: Judy Ann, married Merrill Wilcoxen; and David Lee.

John died November 4, 1930 in Cheshire; Nettie died February 7, 1933.

Reference: (504) 1900.

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James Arthur [9]

Richard [1], George [2], Thomas [3], Giles [4], John [5], Giles [6], John [7], James Oscar [8] page 484

James Arthur(1885-1965) — 1906 Edna Rider(1888-1975)

- Gerald(1906-) — Alwida Robinson(-)
- Elma May(1908-) — 1927 Harold Robinson(-1962)

James Arthur Sisson was born December 26, 1885 in Cheshire, Gallia County, OH [he is called Arthur in the 1900 census]. On January 6, 1906 he married Edna Rider. Edna was born May 30, 1888. James and Edna had two children, both born in Gallia County:

Gerald was born September 3, 1906. He married Alwida Robinson and died a young man.

Elma May was born October 9, 1908. On April 23, 1927 she married Harold Robinson. Elma and Harold had five children. Harold died in 1962.

James died February 23, 1965 in Marion, OH; Edna died July 6, 1975.

Reference: (504) 1900.

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Roy Giles [9]

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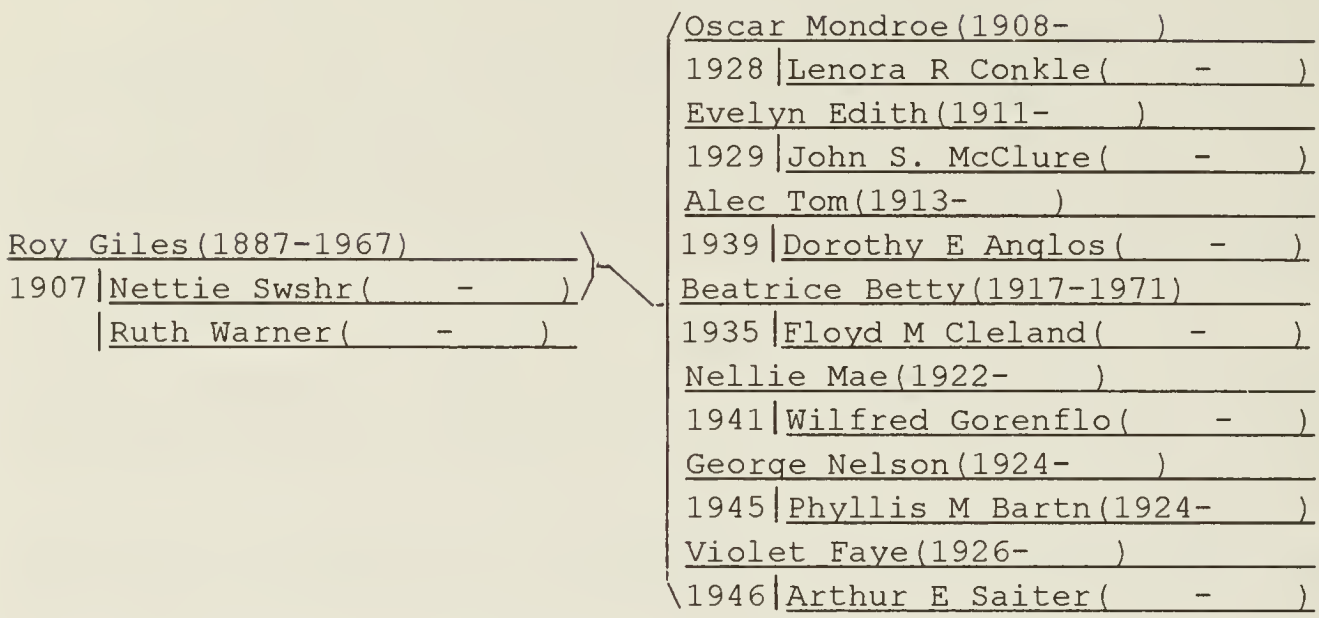

Roy Giles Sisson was born September 24, 1887 in Cheshire, Gallia County, OH. On March 30, 1907 in Galliapolis, OH, he married Nettie Kathleen Swisher. Roy and Nettie had seven children:

Oscar Monroe was born January 27, 1908 in Cheshire, OH. On November 12, 1928 in Marion, OH, he married Lenora Ruth Conkle. Oscar and Lenora had six children, all born in Marion: Vivian Marie, married Mr. Guyton; Oscar Monroe, Jr.; Leroy Nelson; Charles Wellington; Charlotte Ruth; and Carol Sue.

Evelyn Edith was born August 10, 1911 in Franklin Center, PA. On April 10, 1929 in Ohio she married John Spencer McClure. Evelyn and John lived near Marion, Marion County, OH, where they had seven children.

Alec Tom was born September 22, 1913 in Three Brothers, AR. On February 25, 1939 in Marion, OH, he married Dorothy Esther Anglos. Alec and Dorothy had six children, all born in Marion: Shirley Ann, married 1) Mr. Gattshall, 2) Mr. Beecham, had four children; Sally Lou, married Mr. McCoy, had five children; Tom Nelson, married, had three children; William Eldon, married, had three children; Alan Lee, married, had three children; and John Eric, married, had two children.

Beatrice Betty was born November 18, 1917 in Little Rivers County, AR. On April 15, 1935 she married Floyd Morell Cleland. Beatrice and Floyd lived near Marion, where they had five children. Beatrice died December 13, 1971.

Nellie Mae was born January 6, 1922 in Marion. On March 1, 1941 she married Wilfred Henry Gorenflo. Nellie and Wilfred lived near Marion where they had five children.

George Nelson was born April 22, 1924 in Marion, OH. On June 9, 1945 in Columbus, OH, he married Phyllis Maxine Barton. Phyllis was born March 23, 1924 in Richmond, IN. George and Phyllis had six children: Dianne Louise, married Cecil Gary Reiness; Rebecca Lynne,

married Albin Martine Pfeifer; Arden Jay; Philip Dale; Mark Alan; and Scott.

Violet Faye was born February 19, 1926 in Marion. On October 12, 1946 in Marion, she married Arthur Eugene Saiter. Violet and Arthur lived in Marion where they had four children.

Roy married second Ruth Warner. Roy died March 31, 1967 in Marion.

Reference: (504) 1900.

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George Alex [9]

Richard [1], George [2], Thomas [3], Giles [4], John [5], Giles [6], John [7], James Oscar [8] page 484

George Alex(1892-1966) ⎫ ⎧Garnet Fay(1914-)
1914 Florence Davs(1896-1984) ⎭—⎩1954 Ilger Oran Rowe(-)

George Alex Sisson was born March 25, 1892 in Cheshire, Gallia County, OH. On April 25, 1914 he married Florence Davis. Florence was born August 30, 1896. George and Florence had a daughter:

Garnet Fay was born September 30, 1914 in Cheshire. On September 30, 1954 Garnet married Ilger Oran Rowe. Garnet and Ilger had a son.

George died May 1, 1966 in Marion, OH; Florence died in summer, 1984.

Reference: (504) 1900.

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Virgil Henry [9]

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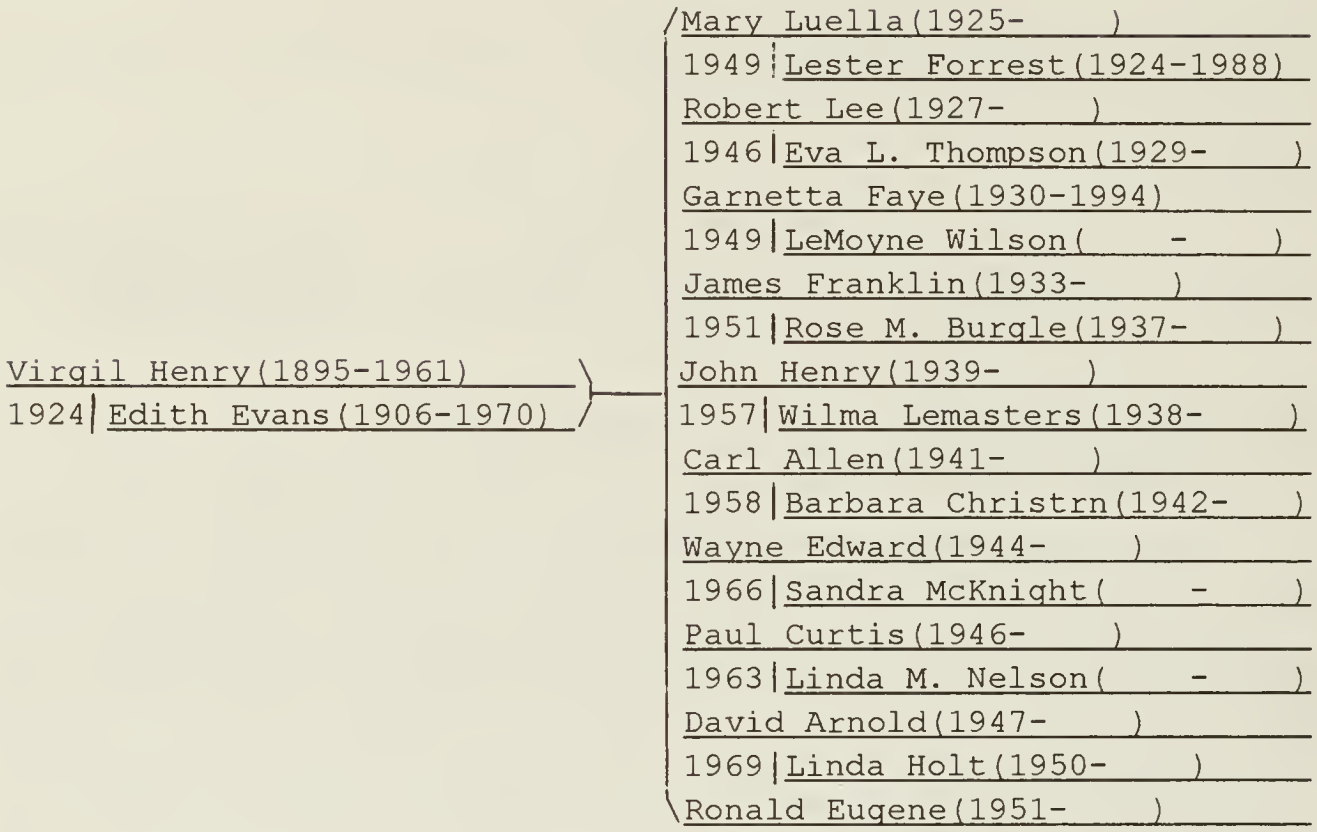

Virgil Henry Sisson was born September 29, 1895 in Cheshire, OH. In 1924 he married Edith Evans. Edith was born in 1906. Virgil and Edith had ten children, all born in Marion, OH:

Mary Luella was born in 1925. In 1949 in Marion she married Lester Forrest. Lester was born in 1924 in Vinton County, OH. Mary and Lester had five children all born in Marion: Gale Ann, married Craig Paul Fletcher; Dale Anna; Janet Lee, married 1) Emery Smith, 2) Emerson Lingo, 3) Michael Haper; Larry Arnold, married 1) Linda Shell, 2) Anna Duncan; and Mary Lynn, married 1) Don Hoy, 2) Gary Patrick. Lester died in 1988 in Marion.

Robert Lee was born in 1927 in Marion, OH. In 1946 he married Eva Leona Thompson. Eva was born in 1929 in Marion. Robert and Eva had five children, all born in Marion: Linda Kay, married John William Brennan, had two daughters; Ruth Ann; Robert Lee, Jr., married Sharon Lee Dune, had a son; Thomas Craig, married 1) Carol Merkins, 2) Susie Sams, had a son; and David Alan, married 1) Kim Marie West, had two sons, 2) Cheryl Heller, had a child.

Garnetta Faye was born in 1930. In 1949 in Marion she married Le Moyne Wilson. Garnetta and Le Moyne had seven children: Richard, married Barbara Murphy; Steven Franklin, married Jeri Anderson; Karen Sue, married 1) Roger French, 2) Alfred Briggs, 3) Duane A. Douce; Donald Eugene, married Terresita Nauta; James Lee, married Pam Morgan; Michael Allen, and Lee Ann, married 1) Gordon Howard, 2) Stanley Martin Dixon. Garnetta died in 1994 in Marion.

James Franklin was born in 1933 in Marion, OH. In 1951 in Richmond, IN, he married Rose Marie Burgle. Rose was born in 1937 in Marion County. James and Rose had three daughters, all born in Marion: Rosemary, married Roger Rose, had two daughters; Elizabeth Pearl; Melody Ann, married Buddy Friley, had three children.

John Henry was born in 1939 in Marion, OH. In 1957 in Count, OH, he married Wilma Jane Lemasters. Wilma was born in 1938 in Harlan County, KY. John and Wilma had five children all born in Marion County: Debra Jane, married Robert Radcliff, Jr., had three children; John Allen, married Sun Cha Choe, had four children; David Lee, married Tamie Crabtree, had two children; Brian Henry, married Kimberly Jean French, had two sons; and Rhonda Kay, married Robert Chapman, Jr., had a son.

Carl Allen was born in 1941 in Marion, OH. In 1958 in Marion County he married Barbara Christran. Barbara was born in 1942 in Marion County. Carl and Barbara had four children all born in Marion County: Pamela Sue; Carl Allen, Jr., married Cheryl Kube, had four children; David Arnold, married Stefany Lobb, had three children; and Connie Lynn.

Wayne Edward was born in 1944 in Marion, OH. In 1966 in Marion, he married Sandra McKnight. Sandra was born in Marion County. Wayne and Sandra had a son: Wayne Edward, Jr.

Paul Curtis was born in 1946 in Marion, OH. In 1963 in Marion he married Linda M. Nelson. Paul and Linda had seven children all born in Marion: Paula Marie; James Paul Henry; Edith Pearl; Mary Catherine; Carol Lynn; Jeffery Curtis; and Deanna Sue.

David Arnold was born in 1947 in Marion, OH. In 1969 in Marion County he married Linda Holt. Linda was born in 1950 in Marion County. David and Linda had two daughters both born in Marion: Kathlene Renee, married Tracy Irvin Fown, had three daughters; and Mechelle, married John Cooper, Jr., had three children.

Ronald Eugene was born in 1951.

Virgil died February 21, 1961; Edith died in 1970, both in Marion.

References:
(504) 1900; (585).

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Wayne Horace [9]

Richard [1], George [2], Thomas [3], Giles [4], John [5], Giles [6], John [7], Alexander Samuel [8] page 485

Wayne Horace(1883-1932)
1911 | Mabel A Lthie(1894-)

Bertha Angeline(1913-)
| James Weir(-)
| William Malcm(-)
Samuel Alexander(1916-)
Robert Joseph(1919-)
Olive Dorreen(1931-)
| Thos. Proudlck(-)

Wayne Horace Sisson was born August 2/21, 1883 in Cheshire, Gallia County, OH. On October 21, 1911 in Calgary, Alberta, Canada he married Mabel Angeline Lithie (or Litke), daughter of Charles and Eva A. (Knowll) Lithie of Canada. Mabel was born March 6, 1894 in Wisconsin Rapids, Wood County, WI. Wayne and Mabel had four children:

Bertha Angeline was born February 6, 1913 in Godsby, Alberta. She married first James Weir and second William Malcom.

Samuel Alexander was born April 23, 1916 in Halkirk, Alberta.

Robert Joseph was born December 8, 1919 in Halkirk.

Olive Dorreen was born April 25, 1931 in Castor, Alberta. She married Thomas Proudlock of Penticton, BC, Canada.

Wayne died October 28, 1932 in Calgary or Castor, Alberta.

Reference: Family records.

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Frank Edgar [9]

Richard [1], George [2], Thomas [3], Giles [4], John [5], Giles [6], John [7], Alexander Samuel [8] page 485

Frank Edgar(1888-1950)
1917|Agnes Ramsdl(-1972)
- Helen Maud(1918-)
  - 1940|Orville V Brehm(1917-)
- Mary Elizabeth(1919-1983)
  - 1940|John J. O'Keefe(1917-1975)
- Dorothy Louise(1923-)
  - |Gilbert L. Gann(1922-1982)
- Edgar Frank(1925-)
  - 1945|Doris McDaniel(1925-)
- Carol Ann(1935-)
  - |Hugh Williamson(1930-)
- Agnes Jean(1940-)
  - 1960|Elton K Kaufman(1939-)

Frank Edgar Sisson was born March 28, 1888 in Ford County, KS. On July 22, 1917 he married Agnes Eva Ramsdale of Wichita, KS. They lived in Kingsdown, Bucklin, Oxford and Kingman, KS. He was a mechanic for International Harvester dealers. Frank and Agnes had six children:

Helen Maud was born May 6, 1918 in Kingsdown. On August 31, 1940 she married Orville Vanus Brehm. Orville was born April 23, 1917. They lived in Dodge City, KS. Helen and Orville had three daughters: Barbara DeAnn, married James Davison, had three children; Kathryn Sue, married Floyd Arthur Rice, had two children; and Marilyn Jane, married 1) John Wesley Campbell 2) Merl Dean Rexford, had one daughter.

Mary Elizabeth was born December 5/6, 1919. On November 2, 1940 she married John James O'Keefe. John was born August 12, 1917. Mary and John had two daughters: Jacqueline Jean, married Harold John Buckland, had two children; and James Edgar, married Gladys

( ). John died July 30, 1975 and is buried in Dodge City. Mary died March 1, 1983 and is buried at Winter Park, FL.

Dorothy Louise was born December 27, 1923. She married Gilbert L. Gann. Gilbert was born March 4, 1922. Dorothy and Gilbert had four children: Patricia Louise, married 1) Malcom C. Fogleman, had two daughters, married 2) Robert L. Lott, had two sons; Trudy Marie, married Walter E. Briggs, divorced; Linda Jean, married Edwin R. Briggs, had two sons; and Steven Gilbert, married Leah Jane Little, had two children. Gilbert died October 18, 1982 and is buried in Highland Cemetery, Winfield.

Edgar Frank was born August 23, 1925. He served in World War II from December, 1943 until April, 1946 receiving the Purple Heart. On August 3, 1946 he married Doris Elizabeth McDaniel in the Slate Valley Baptist Church, Oxford. Doris was born June 17, 1925. Edgar worked in the automotive parts business. Edgar and Doris had four children, all born in Dodge City: Janet Elizabeth; Douglas Edgar, married Sandra Colleen Turner, had three children; Kent Alan, married Karen Jean Hill, had three children; and Ellen Louise, married Raymond C. Johnson, had two children. The family moved to Winfield, KS, in 1960.

Carol Ann was born December 3, 1935. She married Hugh Williamson. Hugh was born August 16, 1930. Carol and Hugh had three daughters: Cynthia Elaine, married David Alan Packard, had a daughter; Wendy Ann; and Barbara Jane.

Agnes Jean was born October 11, 1940. On June 20, 1960 she married Elton Keith Kaufman. Elton was born February 20, 1939. Agnes and Elton had two children: Alan Keith, married Susan Nanete Bland, had a daughter; and Julie Kay.

Frank died January 18, 1950 in Kingman and is buried in Bucklin. Agnes died May 10, 1972 in Dodge City.

Reference: (387); (550).

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Archie Lloyd [9]

Richard [1], George [2], Thomas [3], Giles [4], John [5], Giles [6], John [7], Alexander Samuel [8] page 485

Archie Lloyd(1891-1957) / Dorothy Padgett(-) — Virginia(-) / Nelson Gilbert(-)

Archie Lloyd Sisson was born December 26, 1891 in Ford County, KS. He married Dorothy Padgett of Bucklin, KS. Archie and Dorothy had two children:

Virginia was born about 1916.

Nelson Gilbert was born about 1918.

Archie died January 23, 1957 in Albuquerque, NM. He is buried in Bucklin.

Reference: (550).

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Nelson Joseph [9]

Richard [1], George [2], Thomas [3], Giles [4], John [5], Giles [6], John [7], Alexander Samuel [8] page 485

Nelson Joseph Sisson was born April 23, 1894 in Ford County, KS. He married Edna Hess of Alva, OK. Nelson and Edna had a daughter:

Laveta was born about 1920. She married Bob Vore.

Nelson died in 197_.

Reference: (550).

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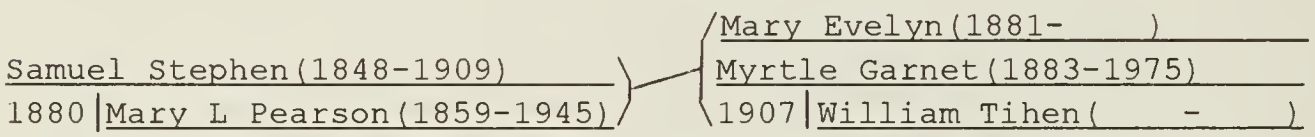
Samuel Stephen [9]

Richard [1], George [2], Thomas [3], Giles [4], John [5], Wilson Crandall [6], Stephen [7], Nelson Banks [8] page 487



Samuel Stephen Sisson was born April 24, 1848 in Porter, OH. He was a lawyer and the first mayor of Harper, KS. On June 5, 1880 in Bushnell, IL, he married Mary Luella Pearson, daughter of John Blunstont and Mary Virginia (Ervin) Pearson. Mary was born May 11, 1859. Samuel and Mary had two daughters, both born in Harper:

Mary Evelyn was born March 1, 1881.

Myrtle Garnet was born August 5, 1883. On March 4, 1907 in Wichita, KS, she married William Antone Tihen. Myrtle and William had two sons: Samuel Sisson; and Joseph Antone, November 20, 1918 married Frances D. Drouhard. Myrtle died November 3, 1975 in Harper.

Samuel died March 3, 1909 in Harper; Mary died August 30, 1945.

Reference: (550).

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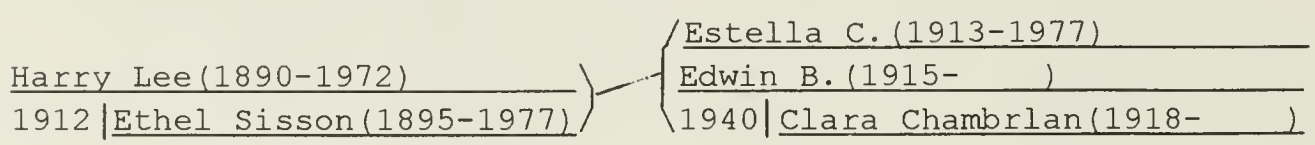
Harry Lee [9]

Richard [1], George [2], Thomas [3], Giles [4], John [5], Aaron [6], Christopher T. [7], Edwin [8] page 490



Harry Lee Sisson was born November 15, 1890 in New York. On November 30, 1912 he married Ethel Viola Sisson, daughter of Benjamin and Cora (Crandall) Sisson. Ethel was born January 17, 1895. The family lived in Wellsbridge, NY. Harry and Ethel had two children:

Estella "Stella" C. was born December 15, 1913. She was not married and died in 1977. She is buried in the Sand Hill Cemetery, NY.

Edwin B. was born September 16, 1915. On August 28, 1940 he married Clara Chamberlain. Clara was born July 29, 1918. Edwin and Clara had two sons: Edwin L.; and Harry James.

Harry died July 8, 1972; Ethel died in 1977 and is buried in Sand Hill Cemetery.

Reference: (199) p.600.

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William Harvey [9]

Richard [1], George [2], Thomas [3], Giles [4], John [5], Aaron [6], Alanson [7], Francis Marion [8] page 494

William Harvey(1867-1932)
1890 Nellie Brnsd(1869-1930)

- Delmar Francis(1891-1954)
  - 1916 Catherine Seamn(1892-)
- Paul(1894-1964)
  - Clara J. Holmes(1893-1934)
  - 1935 Marah Sisson(1899-)

William Harvey Sisson was born July 9, 1867 in Unadilla, NY. He was a general merchant for over 40 years and a partner in "Root and Sisson" and "Majestic Atwater Kent Radio Shop" in Wellsbridge, NY. On June 11, 1890 (also reported 1900) he married Nellie M. Burnside of Otsego, NY. Nellie was born in 1869. William and Nellie had two children:

Delmar (or Delmer) Francis was born March 29, 1891 in Wells Bridge, NY. He graduated from Colgate University in 1913 and from Columbia in 1914. He was a teacher at Suffield School, Connecticut, 1914-1924. In June of 1916 he married Catherine R. Seaman. Catherine was born July 1, 1892. Delmar and Catherine had three daughters, all born in Connecticut: Jeanne E.; Helen Burnside; and Elizabeth. The family moved to Owatonna, MN. Delmar died in 1954 and is buried in Sand Hill Cemetery, Unadilla, NY.

Paul was born September 29, 1894. He was a World War I veteran. He married first Clara J. Holmes. Clara was born September 27, 1893 and died October 17, 1934. Paul married second November 27, 1935 Marah Sisson, daughter of Archer A. and Anna (Dixson) Sisson, see page 639. Marah was born June 26, 1899. Paul died in 1964; Marah died in 1968. He and Clara are buried in Sand Hill Cemetery.

Nellie died August 10, 1930; William died November 4, 1932. Both are buried in Sand Hill Cemetery.

References: (104) p.17; (378); (439) Vol. XVIII, 1934-5.

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Benjamin F. [9]

Richard [1], George [2], Thomas [3], Giles [4], John [5], Aaron [6], Alanson [7], Francis Marion [8] page 494

Benjamin F. (1868-1923) — 1889 — Myrtle Youmns (1871-1949)

- Leo B. (1890-1934) — 1922 — Grace Fairbanks (1904-)
- Ruth (1893-) — 1912 — George Shepherd (-)

Benjamin F. Sisson was born December 11, 1868 in Unadilla, Otsego County, NY. He was a painter and superintendent of Sunday schools in Wellsbridge, NY. They were Baptists. On August 17, 1889 he married Myrtle Youmans. Myrtle was born December 9, 1871. Benjamin and Myrtle had two children:

Leo B. was born November 26, 1890. He was a sergeant in Co. A, 301st, on an ammunition train. On February 1, 1922 he married Grace Fairbanks. Grace was born January 22, 1904. The family lived in Otsego, NY. Leo and Grace had a son: Bennie, married Mary DeMott, had a son. Leo died January 16, 1934 and is buried in Sand Hill Cemetery, Unadilla, NY.

Ruth was born July 3, 1893. In August of 1912 she married George Shepherd. Ruth and George had a son: Arnold, married W. Knauf.

Benjamin died August 6, 1923 and is buried in Sand Hill Cemetery. Myrtle died in 1949.

References: (378); (380) p.125.

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Henry Albert [9]

Richard [1], George [2], Thomas [3], Giles [4], John [5], Aaron [6], Alanson [7], Samuel Mason [8] page 495

Henry Albert (1871-1940) — 1892 — Cora A Smith (1871-1933)

- Nina Almeda (1896-) — 1914 — Lucius Holbrook (1883-1955)
- Lida Alice (1902-) — 1927 — John G Holbrook (1885-1953)
- Berten Samuel (1905-) — 1927 — Josephine Cuyle (1904-1983)

Henry Albert Sisson was born July 21, 1871 in Unadilla, Otsego County, NY. On October 5, 1892 he married Cora Almeda Smith, daughter of Sylvester and Susan (Winsor) Smith. Cora was born February 11, 1871 in Unadilla. Henry and Cora had three children, probably all born in Unadilla:

Nina Almeda was born April 9, 1896. On April 11, 1914 she married Lucius Brown Holbrook. Lucius was born February 8, 1883.

Nina and Lucius had four children: Victoria, married Robert Storm, no issue; Eleanor, married Glenn White; Mason L., married Doris Lamb; and Janet, married 1) Richard Hilliker and 2) Bradley Prentiss. Lucius died September 13, 1955.

Lida Alice was born September 12, 1902. On June 1, 1927 she married John G. Holbrook. John was born May 28, 1885. Lida and John had a son: Maurice. John died February 22, 1953.

Berten Samuel was born August 20, 1904. On May 27, 1927 he married Josephine Lucia Cuyle, daughter of Edward Eugene and Ada Ellen (Sisson) Cuyle, see George Henry Sisson, page 489. Josephine was born September 5, 1904. Both Berten and Josephine are great-great-grandchildren of Aaron Sisson [6]. Berten and Josephine had four children: Alonzo Owen; Breta Cora; Albert Eugene, married Rose Pelone, had a son; and Ilah Mary, married James Walser, had twin girls, divorced. Josephine died April 26, 1983; Bert died January 25, 1988 at Saratoga Spring, NY. Both are buried in Sand Hill Cemetery.

Cora died December 11, 1933; Henry died May 6, 1940. Both are buried in Sand Hill Cemetery near Berten and his wife.

References: Cemetery Records; (509); (518).

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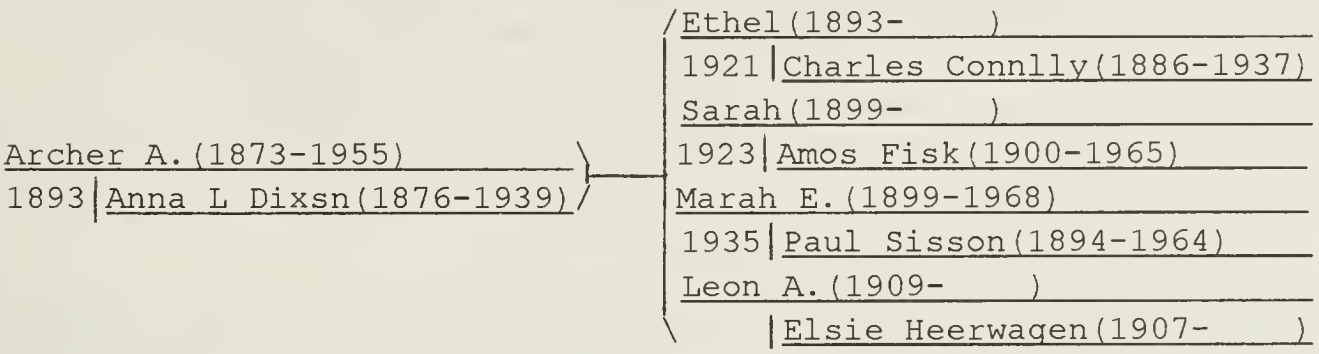
Archer A. [9]

Richard [1], George [2], Thomas [3], Giles [4], John [5], Aaron [6], Alanson [7], Samuel Mason [8] page 495



Archer A. Sisson was born March 13, 1873. On February 22, 1893 he married Anna L. Dixson, daughter of Henry and Mary (Hoag) Dixson. Anna was born February 18, 1876. Archer and Anna had four children, probably all born in Unadilla:

Ethel was born October 30, 1893. On June 7, 1921 she married Charles W. Connelly, son of Leroy and Mary (Shaw) Connelly. Charles is the half-brother of Cora M. Connelly, Archer's adopted first cousin. Charles was born August 28, 1886 and died June 1, 1937. They had no issue.

Sarah was born on June 26, 1899, a twin to Marah. On March 27, 1923 she married Amos Fisk. Amos was born on April 14, 1900. Sarah and Amos lived in Unadilla and had a son: Robert, married Gertrude James. Amos died in March, 1965.

Marah (known to the family as Mary) was born on June 26, 1899. On November 27, 1935 she married Paul Sisson son of William H. and

Nellie M. (Burnside) Sisson, see page 637. Paul was born September 29, 1894; his first wife was Clara J. Holmes, 1893-1934. Paul was a World War I veteran. Marah and Paul had no issue. Paul died in 1964; Marah died in 1968. Both are buried in Sand Hill Cemetery.

Leon A. was born October 24, 1909. He married Elsie Heerwagen. Elsie was born November 9, 1907. Leon and Elsie had three children: Elsie Elizabeth, married Daniel Giles, had three children; Leon, married 1) Priscilla Nutter, had a son, married 2) Betty Jane Ross, had two children; and Jeanette Lee, married John Higley, had a daughter. Leon A. and Elsie have grave markers at Sand Hill Cemetery.

Anna died in 1939; Archer died October 26, 1955 and is buried in Sand Hill Cemetery.

Reference: (379) p.350.

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Frederick James [9]

Richard [1], George [2], Thomas [3], Giles [4], John [5], Aaron [6], Alanson [7], Elbert Alanson [8] page 495

Frederick James (1879-1949)
1912 | Grace McCrmk (1886-1958)

- Marian E. (1913-)
  1938 | Arthur Griffith (1912-)
- Anne M. (1914-)
  | Andy Anderson (-)
- Elbert R. (1916-)
  1942 | Lucille Donahue (1917-)
- Margaret C. (1918-1961)
  1942 | Austin Daigneau (-)
- John McCormick (1920-)
  1949 | Bernice Belair (-)

Frederick James Sisson was born March 31 (or 13), 1879 in Wellsbridge, Otsego County, NY. He graduated from Hamilton College in 1904 and was a teacher, lawyer and Mason. He was a U.S. Congressman (Democrat) 1933-35. On June 13, 1912 he married Grace McCormick. Grace was born April 7, 1886. The family lived in Harts Hill and Whitsboro, NY. Frederick and Grace had five children:

Marian E. was born April 16, 1913. In July, 1938 she married Arthur Griffith. Arthur was born May 30, 1912. Marian and Arthur had a son: Bob.

Anne M. was born October 17, 1914. She married Andy Anderson. They had no issue.

Elbert Richard was born March 19, 1916. On May 21, 1942 he married Lucille Frances Donahue. Lucille was born July 17, 1917. Elbert and Lucille had ten children: Richard Elbert, married Betty Rollins, who brought two sons to the marriage; Bridget; Maura; Frederick; James, married Nancy Reynolds; Mark; Clare, married Robert McFadden; Grace Lucille; Michael; and Joseph.

Margaret C. was born January 29, 1918. On November 9, 1942 she married Austin B. Daigneau. Margaret and Austin had a daughter: Maureen, married Gerald Aube'. Margaret died August 2, 1961.

John McCormick was born April 20, 1920. On May 8, 1949 he married Bernice Belair. John and Bernice had eight children: Hilde; Lydwine; John Eric; Catherine; Angela; Paul Christopher; David John; and Joseph John.

Frederick died October 20, 1949; Grace died January 30, 1958.

References: (439) Vol. 18, 1934-5; (586) Vol. III, 1925.

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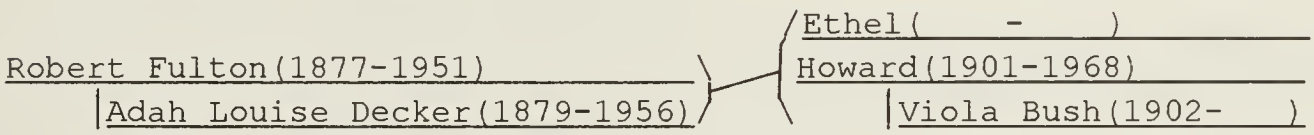
Robert Fulton [9]

Richard [1], George [2], Thomas [3], Giles [4], John [5], Simeon [6], Elisha [7], Levi Whitlock [8] page 497



Robert Fulton Sisson was born December 10, 1877. On January 19, 1900 he married Adah Louise Decker, daughter of Mont and Kate (Patterson) Decker. Adah was born in 1879. The family lived in Armour, SD. Robert and Adah had two children:

Ethel was born about 1900 and died at age 2.

Howard was born December 18, 1901. He married Viola Bush. Viola was born September 27, 1902. Howard died April 3, 1968 and is buried in Lutheran Cemetery, Dalby, MN.

Robert died July 5, 1951; Adah died May 1, 1956.

We have no additional references.

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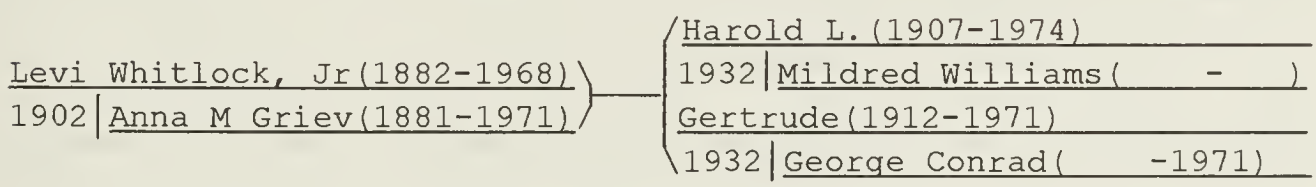
Levi Whitlock, Jr. [9]

Richard [1], George [2], Thomas [3], Giles [4], John [5], Simeon [6], Elisha [7], Levi Whitlock [8] page 497



Levi Whitlock Sisson, Jr. was born March 24, 1882 in Armour, SD. In 1902 he married Anna Mae Grieve. Anna was born January 22, 1881 in Central City, NE. Levi and Anna had two children:

Harold L. was born May 15, 1907 in Davidson, SD. On July 17, 1932 he married Mildred R. Williams. Harold and Mildred had three children: Sherral, married Gary K. Shoemaker, had three children; Stanley, married Jackie Ann Girven, had two daughters; and Darrell

Dean, married Jackie Kay Strickland, had three daughters. Harold died November 24, 1974.

Gertrude was born April 29, 1912 in Twin Falls, ID. In June, 1932 in Twin Falls she married George Conrad. Gertrude and George had two sons: Gerald, married Miss Clough; and Duane. Both Gertrude and George were killed in an auto accident in March, 1971.

Levi died March 31, 1968 in Twin Falls. Anna died March 27, 1971 [same accident?] in Nyssa, OR.

We have no additional references.

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William Arthur [9]

Richard [1], George [2], Thomas [3], Giles [4], John [5], Simeon [6], Nathaniel Potter [7], David [8] page 499

William Arthur(1867-1955)
1890 Kathryn Flyn(1867-1943)

- Lila Miranda(1893-)
- 1936 Harold A Bettex(-)
- David Earl(1899-)
- 1922 Ouida M. Morse(-)

William Arthur Sisson was born January 14, 1867 in Rutland Twp, Meigs County, OH. He was a farmer and stock raiser. On December 2, 1890 in Wray, Yuma County, CO, he married Kathryn Ann Flynn. Kathryn was born December 17, 1867 in Duran, IL. William and Kathryn had two children, both born in Wray:

Lila Miranda was born December 15, 1893. On November 4, 1936 she married Harold Armand Bettex. They had no children.

David Earl was born September 16, 1899. He was a doctor. On June 16, 1922 in Golden, CO, he married Ouida Myrrl Morse. David and Ouida had a son: Earl Morse, married Annie Laurie Foshee, had three daughters.

William went to McMinville, OR, with his brother Frank [Loyal Francis, below] and daughter Mrs. Bettex. Kathryn died July 8, 1943; William died May 25, 1955. Both are buried in Grandview Cemetery in Wray.

We have no additional references.

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Loyal Francis [9]

Richard [1], George [2], Thomas [3], Giles [4], John [5], Simeon [6], Nathaniel Potter [7], David [8] page 499

Loyal Francis(1869-1958)
1896 Mary Spiers(-)

- Myron Leroy(1898-)
- 1924 Jean E. Walker(-1969)
- Clarice Pearl(1900-1901)
- Mary Almyra(1902-)
- 1923 Wayne E Granger(-)
- Estella(-)

Loyal Francis "Frank" Sisson was born September 30, 1869 in Rutland, Meigs County, OH. Some references call him "Lloyd" incorrectly. On October 28, 1896 in Wray, Yuma County, CO, he married Mary Spiers, daughter of John and Kate ( ) Spiers. Frank and Mary had four children, probably all born in Wray:

Myron Leroy was born January 21, 1898. On January 13, 1924 he married Jean E. Walker. The family lived in Terrington, WY. He was the supervisor of the C. F. & I. Mine. Myron and Jean had two sons: John Earl; and Myron Leroy, Jr. Jean died in October, 1969 and is buried in Terrington.

Clarice Pearl was born August 6, 1900 and died March 12, 1901. She is buried in Grandview Cemetery in Wray.

Mary Almyra was born April 26, 1902. On November 3, 1923 in Golden, CO, she married Wayne Emmett Granger. Mary and Wayne had three children: Vance Weyland, married Miss Elia; Myrna Marie, married Mr. Lund; and Mary Lorraine, married Mr. Steinhouse. The family moved to southern California.

Estella was probably born about 1904.

Frank went from McMinville, OR, with his brother William and daughter Estella. Frank died August 10, 1958 in Fortuna, CA.

We have no additional references.

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James Nathaniel [9]

Richard [1], George [2], Thomas [3], Giles [4], John [5], Simeon [6], Nathaniel Potter [7], David [8] page 499

James Nathaniel (1872-1936)
1897 | Nellie Smith (-1963)

- James Nolan (1899-1966)
  1925 | Lynn H. Belton (-1948)
- Kathryn Lucetta (1902-1949)
  1933 | Harry Kilpatrck (-1946)

James Nathaniel Sisson was born July 22, 1872 in Alfred, OH. He was an A.F.A.M. station agent telegrapher in Jackson, OH. He was raised by his maiden aunt Mary E. Williams. On November 3, 1897 in Rutland, OH, he married Nellie Lucetta Smith, daughter of Lee T. and Kate (Hartinger) Smith. The family moved to Ontario, Canada in 1914. James and Nellie had two children, both born in Ohio:

James Nolan was born December 5, 1899 in Jackson. On August 1, 1925 he married Lynn Hazel Belton. They had no children. Lynn died May 24, 1948 in Timmins, Ontario; James died June 14, 1966 in Trenton, Ontario. Both are buried in the Sisson plot at Little Current, Ontario.

Kathryn Lucetta was born February 22, 1902 in Valley Crossing. In January, 1933 she married Harry Kilpatrick. They had no children. Harry died in 1946; Kathryn died December 10, 1949. Both are buried in Park Lawn Cemetery, Sudbury, Ontario.

James died October 10, 1936; Nellie died in the summer of 1963. Both are buried in the family plot at Little Current.

Reference: (511) 1880, Vol. 45, p.38 with his grandfather Benjamin Williams.

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Eldon Thomas [9]

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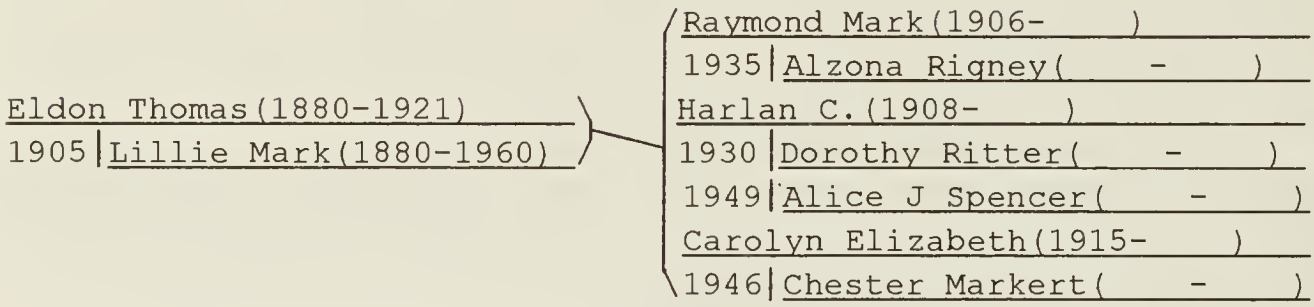

Eldon Thomas Sisson was born July 19, 1880. On April 22, 1905 he married Lillie V. Mark (maiden name also reported Darl). Lillie was born in 1880. Eldon and Lillie had three children:

Raymond Mark was born January 21, 1906. On August 31, 1935 he married Alzona Rigney.

Harlan C. was born August 7, 1908. On December 24, 1930 he married Dorothy Ritter. Harlan and Dorothy had a daughter: Barbara Jean. Harlan and Dorothy were divorced in 1933. Harlan married second in August, 1949 Alice Jane Spencer. Harlan and Alice had a son: Mark Enfield.

Carolyn Elizabeth was born January 31, 1915. On June 22, 1946 she married Chester Markert. Carolyn and Chester had two daughters: Martha Julie; and Nancy Kay.

Eldon died June 26, 1921; Lillie died January 3, 1960. Both are buried in School Lot Cemetery, Carpenter, OH.

We have no additional references.

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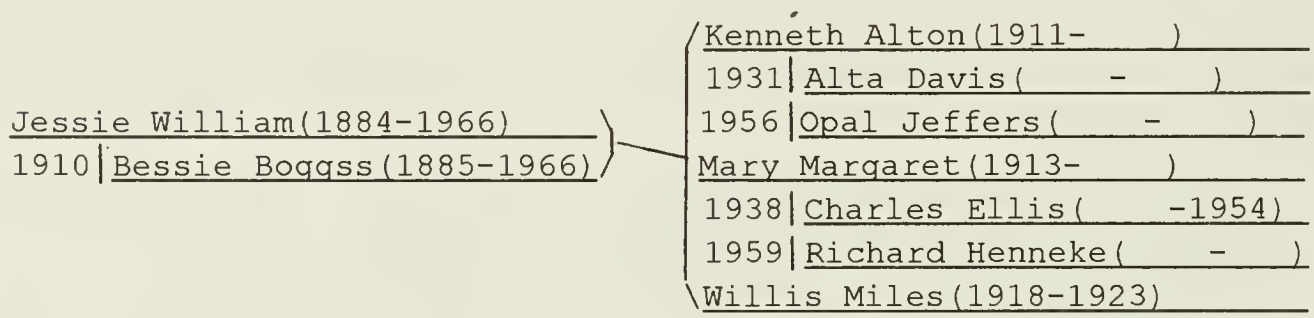
Jessie William [9]

Richard [1], George [2], Thomas [3], Giles [4], John [5], Simeon [6], William J. [7], David Miles [8] page 501



Jessie William Sisson was born May 16, 1884. On September 3, 1910 he married Bessie May Boggess. Bessie was born in 1885. Jessie and Bessie had three children:

Kenneth Alton was born July 13, 1911. In June, 1931 he married Alta Davis. Kenneth and Alta had two sons: Charles Edward, married, had a son; and Robert Lee, married, had a daughter. Kenneth and Alta were divorced. Kenneth married second March 26, 1956 Opal Jeffers. They had no children.

Mary Margaret was born April 16, 1913. On November 5, 1938 she married Charles Ellis. Mary and Charles had a daughter: Paula Kay. Charles died August 3, 1954 in a truck accident. Mary married second June 26, 1959 Richard Henneke.

Willis Miles was born November 1, 1918 and died May 10, 1923.

Both Jessie and Bessie died in 1966.

We have no additional references.

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Leo B. [9]

Richard [1], George [2], Thomas [3], Giles [4], John [5], Simeon [6], Simeon Lewis [7], Charles Franklin [8] page 501

Leo B.(1895-1963)
Gladys Hmltn(1905-1952)

- Myrna June(-)
  - Russell Argabrit(-)
- Ellen Louise(-)
  - Grant Vineyard(-)
- Virginia Lee(-)
  - Stephen Desmond(-)
- Mary Lou(-)
  - (-)
- Charles Robert(-)
- Martha Jean(1932-1941)
- James Bruce(1934-1934)
- John David(-)
  - (-)
- Barbara Anne(-)
  - Thomas Collins(-)
- Stuart Byron(-)
  - (-)

Leo B. Sisson was born in 1895. He married Gladys Hamilton. Gladys was born in 1905. Leo and Gladys had ten children:

Myrna June was born about 1922. She married Russell Argabrite. They had five children.

Ellen Louise was born about 1924. She married Grant Vineyard. They had three children.

Virginia Lee was born about 1926. She married Stephen Desmond. They had two children.

Mary Lou was born about 1928. She married and had two children.

Charles Robert was born about 1930.

Martha Jean was born in 1932 and died in 1941.

James Bruce was born and died in 1934.

John David was born about 1936. He married and had two children.

Barbara Anne was born about 1938. She married Thomas Collins. They had two children.

Stuart Byron was born about 1940. He was married but we have no information on his family.

Gladys died in 1952; Leo died in 1963.

We have no additional references.

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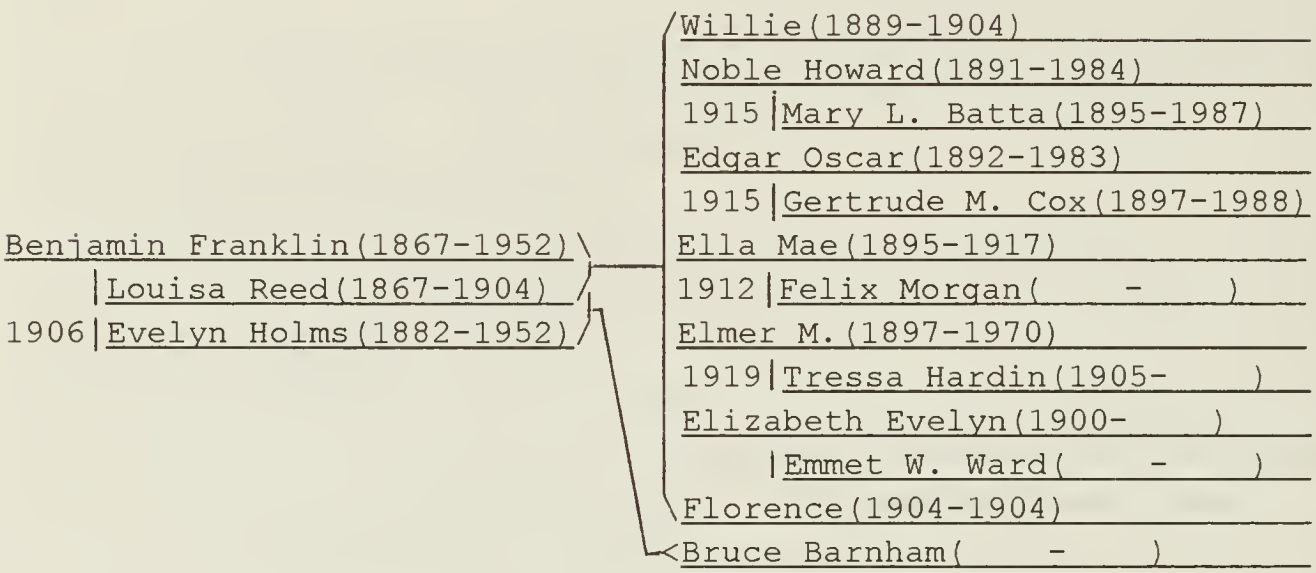
Benjamin Franklin [9]

Richard [1], George [2], Thomas [3], Giles [4], John [5], Benjamin [6], John Crandall [7], William Benjamin [8] page 502



Benjamin Franklin Sisson was born in 1867 in Grantsburg, Crawford County, IN. He was a farmer. He married first Louisa Jane "Lula" Reed. Lula was born December 29, 1867. Benjamin and Lula had seven children:

Willie was born in 1889. He died in 1904.

Noble Howard was born April 14, 1891. On August 8, 1915 in Randolph County, AR, he married Mary Louise "Lula" Batta, daughter of J. P. and Mattie (Hardin) Batta. Noble and Lula had five or six children: Lucile, married Paul McNally, had four children; Howard Leon, married Dorothy ( ), had ten children; Leslie, married Billie Wagoner, had seven children; Nobia Helen, married Henry Youngblood, had five children; Mary, married Troy Faukner, had two children; and another son, Leon "Buster" has also been reported.

Edgar Oscar was born December 19, 1892 in Switzerland County, IN. On October 3, 1915 in Noland, AR, he married Gertrude May Cox, daughter of Samuel Green and Virginia May (Hardin) Cox. Gertrude was born November 6, 1897 in Noland. The family moved from Pocahontas, AR, to Bennington, KS, in 1925. Edgar worked for the Union Pacific Railroad. Edgar and Gertrude had five children, the first three born in Noland, the last two in Bennington: Bennie

David, stillborn; Paul Lafayette; Willie Franklin, married Maxine Evelyn Long, had four children, including Carol June (Sisson) Regehr; Bessie Marie, married Henry Herman Spaeny, Jr., adopted two children; and Robert Edward, married 1) Bernice ( ), had a son, married 2) Delores May (Tunis) McGinnis, widow of Charles McGinnis. Edgar died July 8, 1983; Gertrude died June 18, 1988. Both died in Minneapolis, Ottawa County, KS, and are buried in Bennington Cemetery.

Ella Mae was born in 1895. She married Felix Morgan. Ella and Felix had four daughters: Leoma; Elnora; Eva; and another girl. Ella died in 1917.

Elmer was born in 1897. He was a World War I veteran. He married Tressa Hardin. Elmer and Tressa had two children: Hazel; and Benny, 1922.

Elizabeth Evelyn "Bessie" was born in 1900. She married Emmet Willard "Jack" Ward of Tulsa, OK. Bessie and Jack had five children: Mary; Willis "Bud"; Patty; Ruth, married Mr. Sims; and Danny.

Florence "Flora" was born March 8 and died March 9, 1904 in Randolph County, AR.

Lula died March 12, 1904 of pneumonia and complications of childbirth. She and Florence are buried next to William Benjamin in the Sanders Cemetery, Randolph County, AR. Benjamin married second Evelyn Sudie Holmes. Evelyn was a teacher. Benjamin was a teacher in Davidsonville. They also wrote for the Pocahontas Starr Herald newspaper. Benjamin and Evelyn had a son:

Bruce Barnum may have been born about 1910. He died at age 18 months.

Benjamin and Evelyn both died in 1952 in Randolph County. They are buried in Chesser Cemetery near Noland, AR.

References: "Star Herald" newspaper records; Family Bible records; (387); (587); (588) 1920.

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Joseph Albert [9]

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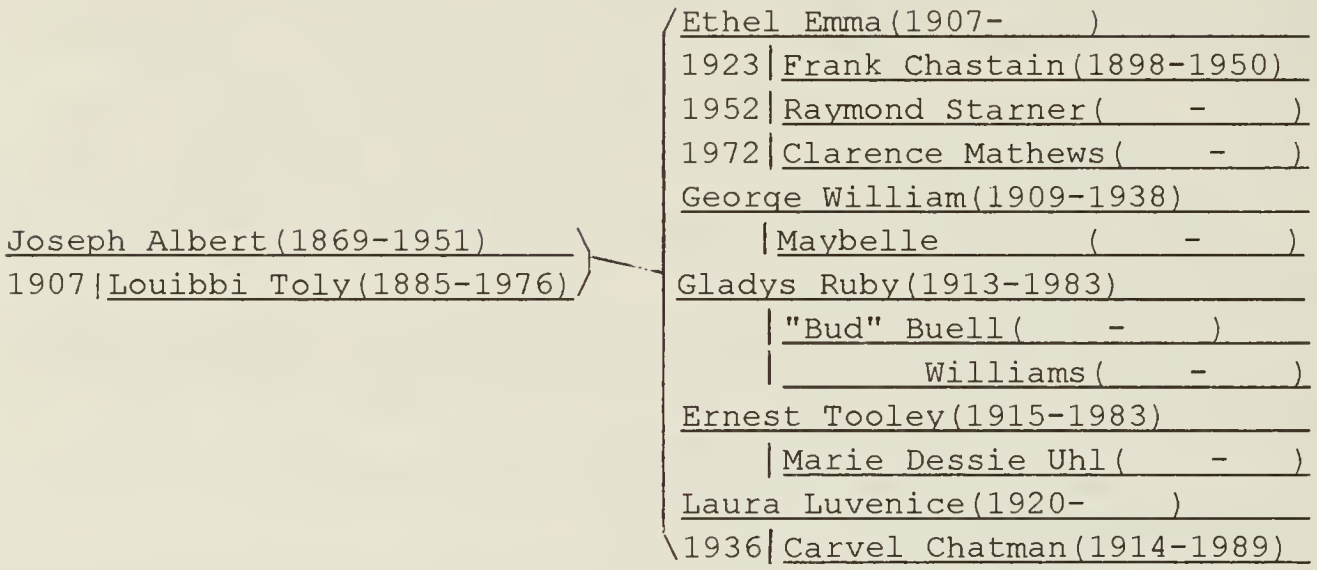

Joseph Albert Sisson was born September 4, 1869 in Leavensworth, Crawford County, IN. On January 13, 1907 in Van Zant, MO, he married Louibbi Tooley, daughter of George William and Lucy A. (Lacy) Tooley. Louibbi was born August 3, 1885 in Mountain Grove, MO. Joseph and Louibbi had five children:

Ethel Emma was born November 10, 1907 in Cabool, MO. She married first in 1923 Frank Chastain. Ethel and Frank had nine children, all born in Eureka, KS: Gladys Irene, 1923; Annie Louise, 1925; Mary Lou, 1927; Arlie, 1929; Clyde Edward, 1930; Irl Owen, 1932; Virginia Ruth, 1935; Everett Leroy, 1937; and Ivan Rogers, 1943-1943. Frank died in 1950. Ethel married second in 1952 Raymond Starner and third in 1972 Clarence Mathews.

George William "Willie" was born August 13, 1909 in Bueller, KS. He married Maybelle ( ). Willie and Maybelle had two children: Dean; and Norma Jean. Willie died in 1938 in Moundridge, KS, and is buried in Bueller.

Gladys Ruby was born March 11, 1913 in Hebron, MO. She married first "Bud" Buell. Gladys and Bud had four children: Homer; Harold; Dorothy; and Joanne. Gladys married second Mr. Williams. They had a son: Jerry. Gladys died September 28, 1983 in an auto accident in Wellington, KS.

Ernest Tooley was born January 14, 1915 in Hebron, MO. He was a high school teacher and principal, and served in the U.S. Navy in World War II. On June 15, 1941 Ernest married Marie Dessie Uhl, daughter of Price Leo and Pearl (Rich) Uhl. Marie was a twin to Bessie, born February 26, 1924 in Poplar Bluff, MO. Ernest and Marie had three children, all born in Poplar Bluff: Barbara Jane, married Eddie Comer, had a daughter; Jerry William, married Wendy Lee Jones, had two sons; Larry Leroy, married 1) Shirley Gunter, had a daughter, divorced, married 2) Theresa Gayle Stevens. Ernest died December 11, 1983 in Little Rock, AR, and is buried in Keo Cemetery, Keo, AR.

Laura Luvenice was born April 26, 1920 in Cabool. On December 24, 1936 in Poplar Bluff, MO, she married Carvel Houston Chatman, son of Bertha ( ) Chatman. Laura and Carvel had six children: Bertha Louise; Wilma Jean; Laura Laverne; Donna Katherine; Carolyn Kay; and Jerry Houston. Carvel died October 23, 1989 in Poplar Bluff and is buried there.

Joseph and Louibbi were divorced in 1930. Joseph died April 30, 1951; Louibbi died August 30, 1976. Both are buried in Black Creek Cemetery, Poplar Bluff.

Reference: (387); (589).

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John Wood [9]

Richard [1], George [2], Thomas [3], Giles [4], John [5], Benjamin [6], John Crandall [7], William Benjamin [8] page 502

John Wood(1871-)
1897 Hattie Whithom(1875-)
1904 Jeannie Crockett(1869-)

Harry(1906-)
Bennie(1910-)
Delma (-)

John Wood Sisson was born in 1871 in Indiana. He married first on November 16, 1897 Hattie B. Whithom. He was 26 and she 22 at the time. He married second on November 13, 1904 Jeannie F. (Crockett) Pace as her third marriage. Jeannie brought Howard, Frankie (female), and Lula Conner from her first marriage, and Mike Pace, born 1901, to the marriage. Jeannie was born in 1869 in Indiana. John and Jeannie had two children:

Harry was born circa 1906; he died prior to 1976 in Louisana without issue.

Bennie was born circa 1910. He married Delma ( ). They had a son: Donald.

John is buried in an unmarked grave near Walnut Ridge, AR. After he died Jeannie married Ira Slayton. She and Ira are buried in Chesser Cemetery, Noland, Randolph County, AR.

Reference: (241); (387); (588) 1910; (601) 1920.

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David Harrison [9]

Richard [1], George [2], Thomas [3], Giles [4], John [5], Benjamin [6], John Crandall [7], William Benjamin [8] page 502

David Harrison(1879-1967)
1900 Nora Mabel Cole(1885-1969)
1929 Loreen Henshaw(-)

Albert Franklin(1901-1984)
1927 Ruth Helm(-)
Leonard(1907-)
Almus H.(1908-1908)
Ann(1910-)
Harold D.(1911-1969)
(-)

David Harrison Sisson was born January 31, 1879 in Decker, Knox County, IN. On March 24, 1900 in Randolph County, AR, he married Nora Mabel Cole. Nora was born February 26, 1885. David and Nora had five children:

Albert Franklin was born November 6, 1901. At some time as a boy he lived in Bennington, KS. He was a government lawyer; he wrote three books including "Sisson Word and Expression Locator". On April 17, 1927 he married Ruth Helm. Albert died in September, 1984 in Mount Rainier, MD.

Leonard was born in 1907 and died young.

Almus H. was born April 6, 1908 and died in May, 1980 in Oregon.

Ann was born in 1910 and died young.

Harold D. was born May 19, 1911. He married and had two children. Harold died January 28, 1969 in Oregon.

David and Nora were divorced. David married second in 1929 Loreen Henshaw. Loreen was born about 1911. David died January 19, 1967 in Maryland. Nora died July 8, 1969 in Washington state.

References: Letters by Albert Franklin Sisson; (387); (587); (589).

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Rolland Stanley [9]

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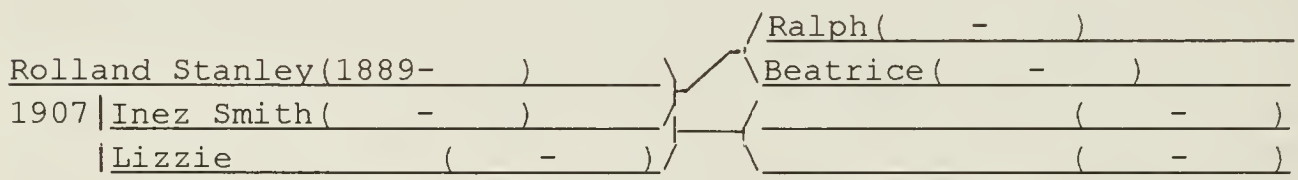

Rolland Stanley Sisson was born on December 1, 1889. He was a machinist in an auto factory in Indianapolis, IN. He married first in 1907 Inez Smith. Rolland and Inez had two children:

Ralph was born about 1911.

Beatrice was born about 1913.

Rolland married second Lizzie ( ). Rolland and Lizzie had two children.

Reference: (590) p.17.

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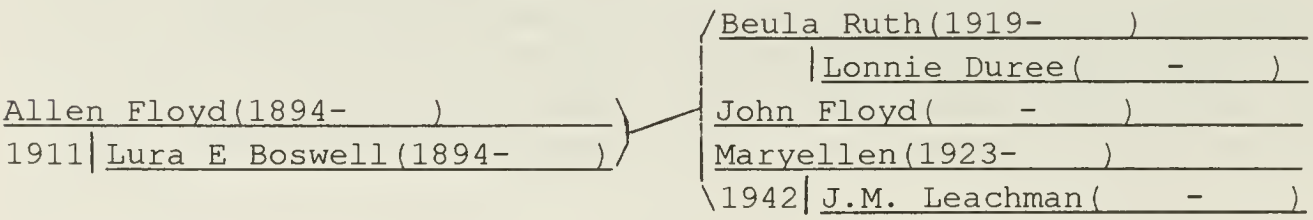
Allen Floyd [9]

Richard [1], George [2], Thomas [3], Giles [4], John [5], Benjamin [6], John Crandall [7], Joshua Stanley [8] page 504



Allen Floyd Sisson was born April 1, 1894 in Princeton, IN. He was a machinist. On August 16, 1911 in Centralia, IL, he married Lura "Edith" Boswell. She was born May 8, 1894 daughter of John and Mary Ellen (Ellis) Boswell. Allen and Edith had three children, all born in San Fernando, CA:

Beula Ruth was born August 31, 1919. She married Lonnie Duree.

John Floyd was born about 1920.

Maryellen was born February 26, 1923. On September 26, 1942 in the First Methodist Church in Hollywood, CA, she married J. M. Leachman, son of Robert Henry and Ethel N. (Bollinger) Leachman. They live in Balboa, CA. Maryellen and J. had two sons: James Michael, married Barbara Rees; and Timothy Allen.

Reference: (108).

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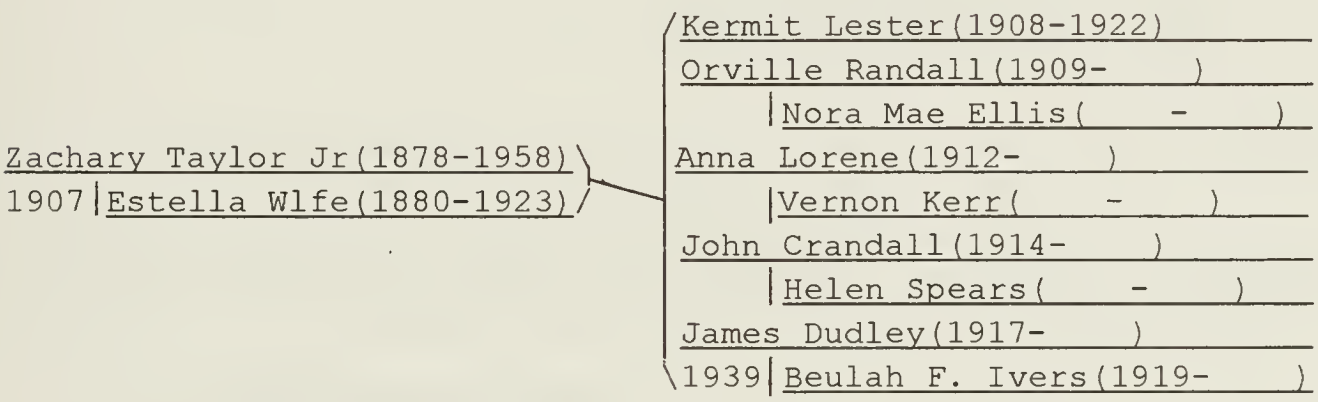
Zachary Taylor, Jr. [9]

Richard [1], George [2], Thomas [3], Giles [4], John [5], Benjamin [6], John Crandall [7], Zachary Taylor [8] page 505



Zachary Taylor Sisson, Jr. was born September 1, 1878 in Cameron, TX. He may have married twice. On March 31, 1907 in St. Francisville, IL, he married Estella Wolfe. Estella was born September 25, 1880 in St. Francisville. The family moved to Houston, TX, in 1919. Zachary and Estella had five children, probably all born in St. Francisville:

Kermit Lester was born July 6, 1908 and died October 6, 1922.

Orville Randall was born December 14, 1909. He married Nora Mae Ellis.

Anna Lorene was born October 14, 1912. She married Vernon Kerr.

John Crandall was born December 24, 1914. He married Helen Spears.

James Dudley was born October 8, 1917 in St. Francisville, IL. In 1919 his family moved to Houston, TX. On February 26, 1939 he married Beulah Fern Ivers. Beulah was born December 29, 1919 in Knox County, IN. James and Beulah moved to Bakersfield, CA, in 1940. They had five children: James David; Mary Fern; Millie Ann, married Raymond Elihue Briggs, had a daughter; Jane Lorene, married Stewart Ogesblie; and Timothy Jim, married Julie Small, had a daughter.

Estella died July 15, 1923; Zachary died August 3, 1958. Both died in Houston. Zachary is buried in San Antonio, TX.

Reference: (573)

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Logan Blaine [9]

Richard [1], George [2], Thomas [3], Giles [4], John [5], Benjamin [6], John Crandall [7], Andrew Cleveland [8] page 507

Logan Blaine(1882-)
Edna Crabtree(-)
- Mary(-)
- Marjorie(-)
- Bertha L.(-)
- Albert Andrew(-)

Logan Blaine Sisson was born in December, 1882 in Indiana. He married Edna Crabtree. At some time the family moved to Pittsburgh, PA. Logan and Edna had four children:

Mary was born about 1908.

Marjorie was born about 1910.

Bertha L. was born about 1912.

Albert Andrew was born about 1914.

Reference: (387).

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Raymond Sylvester [9]

Richard [1], George [2], Thomas [3], Giles [4], John [5], Benjamin [6], John Crandall [7], Andrew Cleveland [8] page 507

Raymond Sylvester(1887-)
1909 Blanche D. Jones(1889-)
- William Andrew(1910-)
- Allen(-)
- Arthur(-)
- Martha May(1917-)
- Mildred Frances(1919-)
  1937 Elmer Jhnsn(-)

Raymond Sylvester Sisson was born on February 27, 1887 in Hazelton, IN. He was a pharmacist and owned a drug store in Decker, IN. In 1909 he married Blanche Dilla Jones, daughter of William L. and May (Baldwin) Jones. Blanche was born June 27, 1889 in Hazelton. Raymond and Blanche had five children, all born in Decker:

William Andrew was born August 6, 1910. He was a druggist. He was unmarried in 1940.

Allen was born about 1912 and died young.

Arthur was born about 1915 and died young.

Martha May was born January 20, 1917. She was unmarried in 1940.

Mildred Frances was born July 19, 1919. In 1937 she married Elmer Johnson of Decker. Mildred and Elmer had a son: Eric Michael.

Reference: (387).

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George Washington [9]

Richard [1], George [2], Thomas [3], Giles [4], John [5], James C. [6], Henry B. [7], George Marion [8] page 510

George Washington(1862-1944)
1890 Mary R Seavr(-1909)

- Francis Marion(1889-1918)
- Cora Estelle(1892-)
  1912 William H Sutton(-)
- Clare Audrey(1893-1993)
- Agnes Ivy(1895-1979)
  1918 Omer Calvn Atha(-)
- Anna May(1897-1995)
  Orbia Baker(-)
- George Henry(1900-1925)
  1924 Effie Satchwell(-)
- Robert Russell(1904-)
  Gladys Lloyd(-)
- Mary Elizabeth(1905-1995)
  1928 Victor Satchwll(-)

George Washington Sisson was born February 22, 1862. On April 23, 1890 he married Mary "Molly" Roth Seaver, daughter of Elsberry and Hester (Sheafer) Seaver. George and Molly had eight children:

Francis Marion was born September 8, 1889. He was not married. He went to Canada and entered the Army there to fight in World War I. He was killed in France in 1918 and is buried in Flanders Field.

Cora Estelle was born May 14, 1892. On February 25, 1912 in Paint Lick Baptist Church she married William Henry Sutton. Lloyd Kemper and Clare Sisson were witnesses to the marriage.

Clare Audrey was born November 28, 1893. She was a school-teacher for 50 years in eastern Kentucky, Warsaw and Boone County, KY. She was an accomplished poet. Clare died July 24, 1993 in Carrollton, KY.

Agnes Ivy was born September 22, 1895. In January, 1918 she married Omer Calvin Atha. Agnes died April 20, 1979.

Anna May was born May 12, 1897. She married Orbia Baker. Orbia had a daughter Faye by a former marriage. Anna died September 26, 1995 in Vevay, IN.

George Henry was born January 30, 1900 in Gallatin County, KY. In 1924 he married Effie Satchwell. George died in April, 1925 in Gallatin County. George and Effie had a son: Bernard. Effie later married Clay Kinney who brought two sons to the marriage: Howard; and Jimmy.

Robert Russell was born February 10, 1904. He married Gladys Lloyd in West Virginia.

Mary Elizabeth was born August 11, 1905 in Gallatin County. "Elizabeth" was raised by her older sisters. She was a teacher for seven years. On September 24, 1928 in Walton, KY, she married

Victor Brown Satchwell. At nine years of age Victor lost the use of his left arm; however he was a successful farmer. He was a school board member in Warsaw and after retirement enjoyed golfing, having a custom-made hook fashioned for his left arm. Elizabeth and Victor had six children including daughter Donnie Dayle who married Carl Flynn [parents of Rhoda Meier, Jeffersonville, IN]. Elizabeth died in 1995.

Molly was paralyzed at the birth of Mary Elizabeth and died in 1909. George died March 23, 1944 in Warsaw.

Reference: (251).

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William Gale [9]

Richard [1], George [2], Thomas [3], William [4], Nathan [5], Elisha [6], William [7], William Henry [8] page 512

William Gale(1852-1923)
1875 | Harriet Dewy(1852-1920)

Frances Arne(1876-1974)
1901 | Charles Willams(1870-1944)
William Gavitt(1878-1952)

William Gale Sisson was born April 19, 1852 in Lyons, Wayne County, NY. He was christened October 5, 1860. He was a farmer and businessman. In 1881 he built and operated a roller process mill in Camillus, NY. He was a town supervisor in Lyons. On June 3, 1875 in the Presbyterian Church in Lyons he married Harriet "Hattie" Arne Dewey (also reported Drury), daughter of Smith A. and E. G. ( ) Dewey. Harriet was born May 16, 1852. William and Harriet had two children, both born in Lyons:

Frances "Fannie" Arne was born August 15, 1876. On December 11, 1901 in the Presbyterian Church in Lyons she married Charles P. Williams. They were married by Rev. William H. Williams. Charles was born February 19, 1870 in Lyons. Frances and Charles had two daughters: Ellen Susan, married 1) David Edward Stalter, no issue, and 2) John B. Gordon Duff, had one son and one daughter; and Clara Knyphen, married Henry O. M. Morewether, had one daughter. Both daughters moved to England and Scotland in 1940. Charles died June 4, 1944 in Lyons. Frances died in 1974 in London, England.

William Gavitt was born January 28, 1878. He was not married. He died November 12, 1952 and is buried in the Rural Cemetery, Lyons.

Harriet died in 1920; William died November 12, 1923. Both are buried in the Drury Lot, Rural Cemetery, Lyons.

References: (195) Vol. 84, p.138; (253);

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Frank Munro [9]

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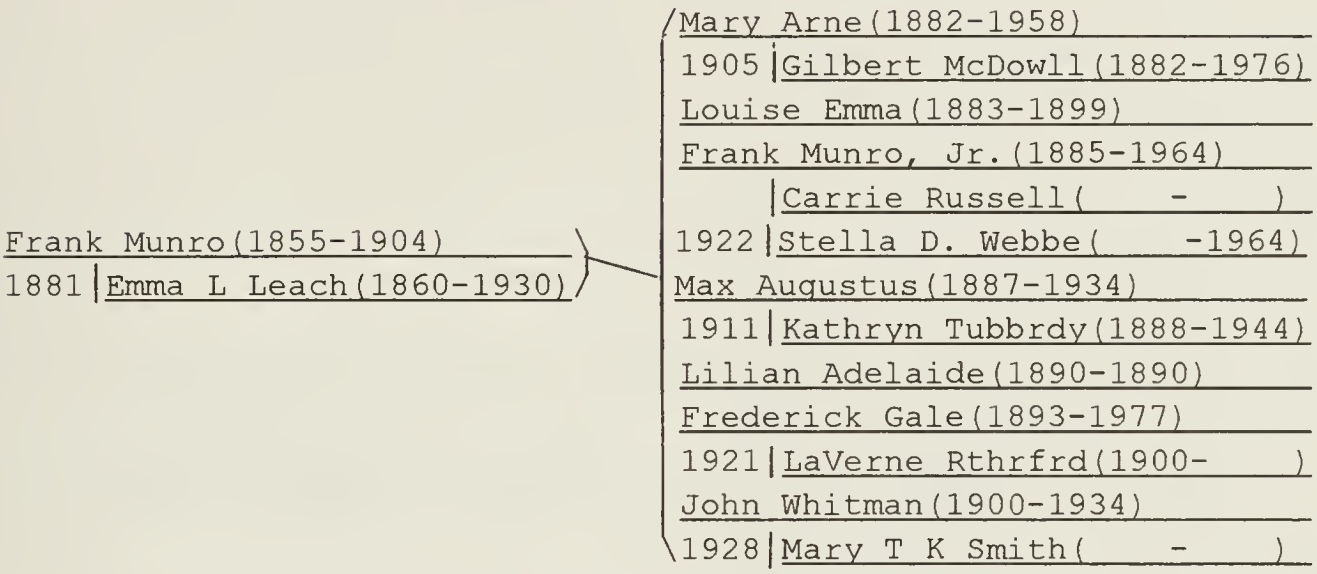

Frank Munro(e) Sisson was born June 27, 1855 (also incorrectly reported as June 21, 1853). He was born in Lyons, Wayne County, NY. He was christened October 5, 1860 in the Presbyterian Church there. He was a physician and surgeon in homeopathy, graduating from Hobart College and Hahnemann Medical College, NYC. On June 3, 1881 in Lyons he married Emma Louise Leach, daughter of Augustus M. and Mary J. (Smith) Leach. They were married in her parents' home by Rev. A. A. Wood. Emma was born September 21, 1860 in Brooklyn, NY. Frank and Emma had seven children, the first three born in Camillus, NY, the fourth and fifth in Williamsport, PA, and the last two in Lyons:

Mary Arne was born April 5, 1882. On September 11, 1905 in Lyons she married Gilbert McDowell, son of Charles and Nancy ( ) McDowell. Gilbert was born in 1882/3 in Alton, NY. Mary and Gilbert had three children: Emma Louise; Gilbert Sisson, married Nona Alice Lee, no issue; and Russell Gale, married Ida Mae Lee, had two sons and one daughter. Mary died April 18, 1958; Gilbert died in 1976, both in Lyons.

Louise Emma was born April 22, 1883 and died December 29, 1899 (or 1889) in Lyons.

Frank Munroe Jr. was born March 21, 1885. He married first Carrie Russell. They were divorced. Frank married second May 7, 1922 in Quincey, MO, Stella Dunkin Webbe. They lived in Danville, IL, in the 1930's. Frank and Stella had an adopted son: Lawrence George Monroe, married 1) Maxine Goodman, had a son, divorced, married 2) Mary Love Gordon, had two children. Frank died April 18, 1964. Stella may have died the same year. Both died in Danville.

Max Augustus was born July 21, 1887. On June 1, 1911 in Rochester, NY, he married Kathryn Justine Tubbridy. Kathryn was born February 7, 1888. Max and Kathryn had three children: Max Augustus, Jr., married Dorothy Mary Stotlar, had two children; Thomas Gale, married Grace Lorraine Patrie, had a son; Marjory Justine, married Jean Ballantyne Curtis, had two children, including

David Ballantyne. The family moved from Mexico, NY, to Colorado in the 1920's. Max died December 29, 1934 in Platteville, CO, possibly of tuberculosis. Kathryn died in 1944 in Palisade, CO.

Lilian Adelaide was born May 11 and died August 17, 1890.

Frederick Gale was born August 29, 1893. On December 28, 1921 in Dowagiac, MI, he married La Verne Huldah Rutherford, daughter of Isaac and Hulda Belle (Means) Rutherford. La Verne was born June 13, 1900 in Dowagiac. Frederick was a high school biology teacher. La Verne was a legal secretary. They moved to Detroit, MI, in 1928. Frederick and La Verne had a son: David Arne, married Janet Adelaide Davis, had two sons born in Rochester, NY. Frederick died December 5, 1977 in Rochester and was buried in June, 1978 in Russian Cemetery in Dowagiac. La Verne died February 18, 1999 in Rochester.

John Whitman was born May 12, 1900. On March 20, 1928 in West Palm Beach, FL he married Mary Thurman Kingsland Smith, daughter of Kingsland Smith. John and Mary had no children. John died August 18, 1934 in St. Augustine, FL.

Frank died August 23, 1904 in Rochester, Monroe County, NY, and is buried in Rural Cemetery, Lyons. Emma died March 11, 1930 in Orlando, FL.

References: (253) [Frank's birthdate incorrectly reported as June 21, 1853]; Marriage certificate; (394).

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William Henry Gardiner [9]

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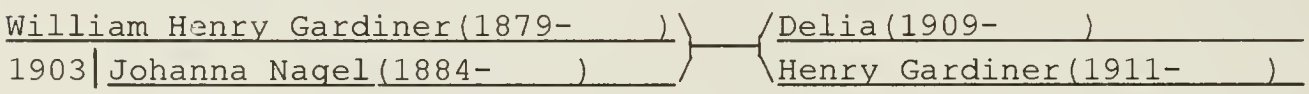

William Henry Gardiner Sisson was born in 1879. On June 20, 1903 he married Johanna Nagel, daughter of Frederick and Theresa (Pult) Nagel. Johanna was born in 1884. William and Johanna had two children, both born in Spokane, WA:

Delia was born September 24, 1909.

Henry Gardiner was born August 26, 1911. In 1981 he was living in Spokane.

Reference: (591).

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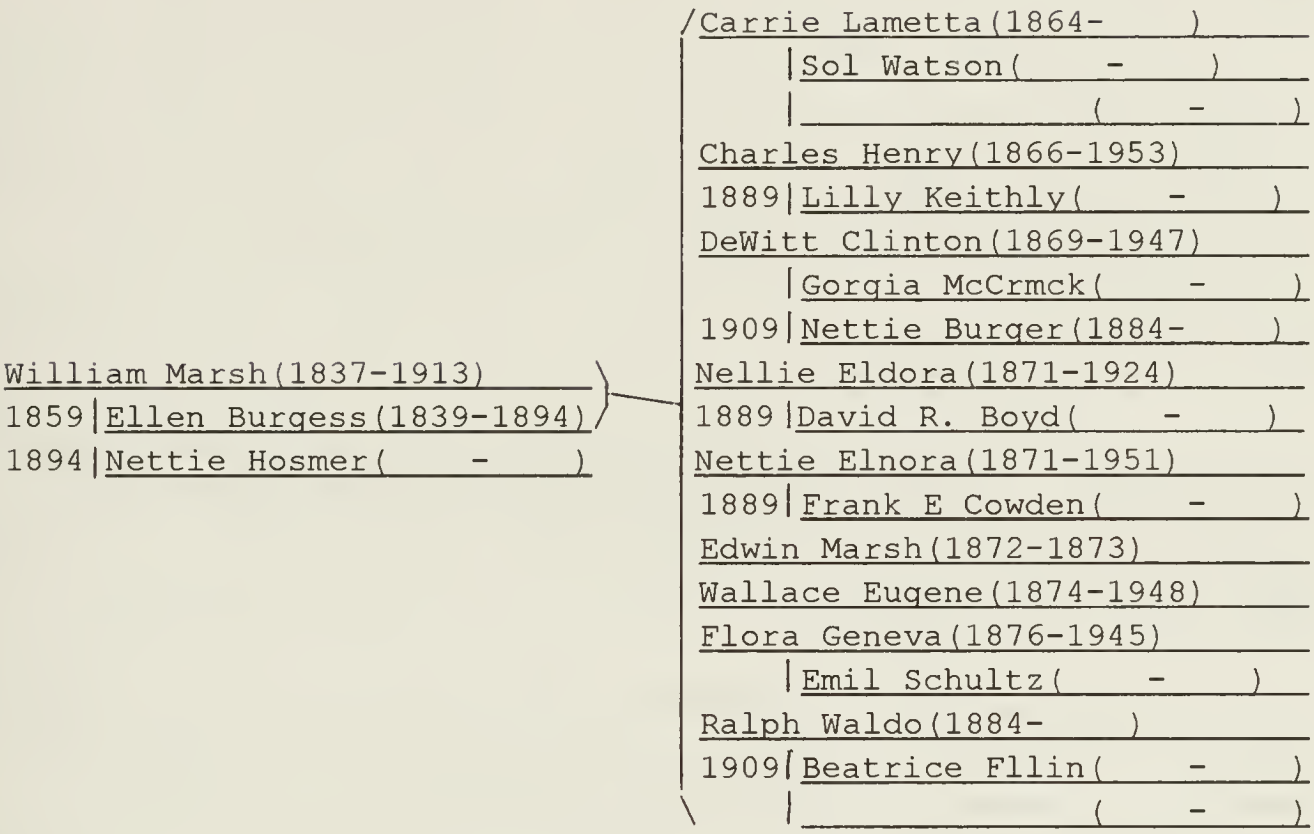
William Marsh [9]

Richard [1], George [2], Thomas [3], William [4], Benejah [5], Jedediah [6], Herman [7], James Harvey [8] page 516



William Marsh Sisson was born October 24, 1837 in Springfield, Clark County, OH. On October 31, 1859 in Quincy, Olmsted County, MN he married Ellen Maria Burgess. Ellen was born October 13, 1839 in Vermont. William and Ellen had nine children, the first seven born in Dodge County, WI:

Carrie Lametta was born December 1, 1864. She married first Sol Watson. She married a second time but we do not know that husband's name.

Charles Henry was born November 25, 1866. On October 30, 1889 he married Lilly Keithly. Charles died March 21, 1953.

DeWitt Clinton was born January 14, 1869. DeWitt was a mountain guide who led the first party to climb Mt. Olympus, WA. In 1897 he helped survey Olympic National Forest. He married first Georgia McCormack. They were divorced. On May 11, 1909 in Tacoma, WA, he married Nettie Burger, daughter of Henry Clay and Emma Florence (Prowek) Burger. Nettie was born January 17, 1884 in Grand Island, NE. The couple owned the Mountain Inn, a backpacking outfit on Lake Crescent Road along the Elwha River in Washington. DeWitt and Nettie had four children, three born in Port Angeles, Clallam County, WA: Lorna E., married Chauncey E. Harlow, had two children; Clinton; Harold Eugene, married Edna Elizabeth Butler, had two daughters [Ref: Olympic Peninsula, WA, "Daily News", October 5, 1988]; and Robert William, married Betty Mae Butler, had two children. DeWitt died January 18, 1947 in Port Angeles. Nettie died about 1985, at "almost 102".

Nellie Eldora was born May 13, 1871 in Leroy, a twin to Nettie Elnora. On October 16, 1889 she married David R. Boyd. Nellie died December 8, 1924 in Ferndale, Whatcom County, WA.

Nettie Elnora was born May 13, 1871 in Leroy. On December 25, 1889 she married Frank Everett Cowden. Nettie died September 15, 1951.

Edwin Marsh was born September 23, 1872 in Leroy. He died in 1873.

Wallace Eugene was born April 26, 1874 in Lomira. He was not married and died October 31, 1848.

Flora Geneva was born September 12, 1876 in Baltimore, MD. She married Emil Schultz. Flora died January 25, 1945.

Ralph Waldo was born June 12, 1884 in Ferndale. He lived in Port Angeles, WA. On July 3, 1909 in Victoria, BC, Canada he married Beatrice Fil(l)ion. Ralph and Beatrice were divorced. Ralph married a second time.

Ellen died April 9, 1894 in Ferndale and is buried in Woodlawn Cemetery there. William married second in 1894, Nettie Hosmer. William died March 14, 1913 in Bellingham, Whatcom County, WA, and is buried in Woodlawn Cemetery in Ferndale.

References: (257); (600).

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Fred Martel [9]

Richard [1], George [2], Thomas [3], William [4], Benejah [5], Jedediah [6], Herman [7], James Harvey [8] page 516

Fred Martel(1863-1938)
1881 | Clara E Deal(1860-1934)

- Edith Belle(1883-1952)
  - 1901 | Arthur W. Smith(-)
- Eugene Harvey(1887-)
  - 1930 | Edna Von Readen(-)
- Fred Bertram(1891-1938)
  - 1915 | Ella K. Smith(1894-1955)
- Marion Lametta(1893-1948)
  - 1921 | John S. Cross(-)
- Edna Laura(1895-)
  - 1919 | Hubert N Knoell(-)
- Howard Arthur(1900-)
  - 1924 | Vesta D. Mullen(-)
- Dora Clara(1904-)
  - 1921 | Claude A Jacksn(-)

Fred Martel Sisson was born April 4, 1863 in Fon du Lac, Dodge County (now Fon du Lac County), WI. On October 11, 1881 in Lawrence, Douglas County, KS, he married Clara Eugenie Deal, daughter of John Harmer and Mary Ann (Smith) Deal. Clara was born December 16, 1860 in Germantown, Philadelphia County, PA. Fred and Clara had seven children:

Edith Belle was born August 6, 1883 in Lawrence. On January 31, 1901 she married Arthur Wilbur Smith. Edith died March 12, 1952.

Eugene Harvey was born April 3, 1887 in Tacoma, WA. On September 6, 1930 he married Edna Hortense Von Readen.

Fred Bertram was born September 14, 1891 in Victor, Mason County, WA. On September 26, 1915 in Victor he married Ella Katherine Smith, daughter of Carl Christian and Hansine P. ( ) Smith. Ella was born March 15, 1894 in Victor. Fred and Ella had two children: Helen Louise, married Lloyd C. Karlson; John Richard, married Lois Card. Fred died May 20, 1938 in Sheldon, Mason County, WA. Ella died November 25, 1955 in Vaught, Pierce County, WA.

Marion Lametta was born December 17, 1893 in Victor. On October 18, 1921 she married John Stuart Cross. Marion died May 25, 1948.

Edna Laura was born September 28, 1895 in Victor. On September 4, 1919 she married Hubert Norton Knoell.

Howard Arthur was born June 10, 1900 in Tacoma, WA. On October 18, 1924 he married Vesta Dunbar Mullen.

Dora Clara was born March 30, 1904 in Tacoma. On December 26, 1921 she married Claude Allan Jackson.

Clara died January 27, 1934; Fred died March 29, 1938. Both died in Victor.

References: Family records in the possession of grandnephews; (257).

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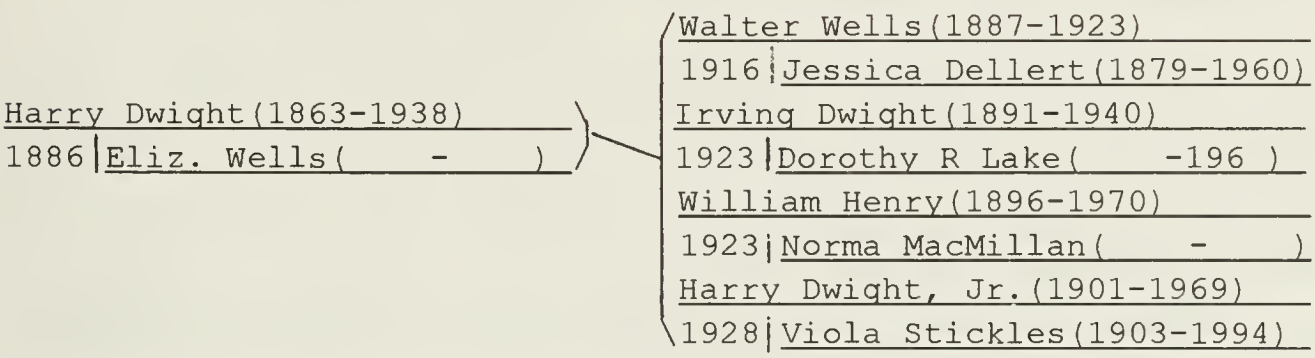
Harry Dwight [9]

Richard [1], George [2], Thomas [3], William [4], Benejah [5], Jedediah [6], Henry [7], Henry Dwight [8] page 518



Harry Dwight Sisson was born January 9, 1863. On February 17, 1886 he married Elizabeth C. Wells, daughter of William and Elizabeth (Van Valkenberg) Wells. Harry was the mayor of Pittsfield, MA. Harry and Elizabeth had four sons, all born in Pittsfield:

Walter Wells was born January 17, 1887. On October 14, 1916 he married Jessica Louise Dellert. Jessica was born in 1879. Walter and Jessica had two sons, both born in Pittsfield: Walter Wells, Jr., married Roberta Bufe', had two sons; John Dwight, married Mary Mathew Ireland; had four children. Walter died August 28, 1923 and is buried in Pittsfield. Jessica died in 1960.

Irving Dwight Sisson was born October 8, 1891. In 1923 in Pittsfield he married Dorothy R. Lake. Irving and Dorothy had four children, all born in Pittsfield: Sally, married Kurt Frisch; Irving Dwight, Jr.; Judith, married 1) William Rice and 2) Jack Hooks; and Mary Lou. Irving died June 19, 1940 and is buried in Pittsfield. Dorothy died in the 1960's.

William Henry was born March 18, 1896. In 1923 he married Norma C. MacMillan of New York City. They had no children. William died in February, 1970.

Harry Dwight Jr. was born August 19, 1901. In 1928 in Pittsfield he married Viola Mary Stickles. Viola was born August 12, 1903. Harry and Viola had three children, all born in Pittsfield: Edward Spaulding, married Kathleen Whiting, had six children; Debora Wing, died young; and Sandra, married William Smith. Harry died January 18, 1969 and is buried in Pittsfield. Viola died March 28, 1994.

Harry, Sr. was a Representative to the Massachusetts State Legislature. He died November 4, 1938 in Pittsfield and is buried there.

Reference: (398).

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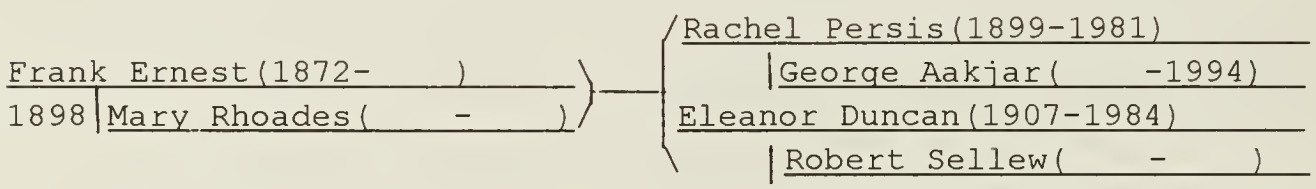
Frank Ernest [9]

Richard [1], George [2], Thomas [3], William [4], Benejah [5], Jedediah [6], Henry [7], Henry Dwight [8] page 518



Frank Ernest Sisson was born June 14, 1872. He had a lumber mill. On October 27, 1898 he married Mary E. Rhoades. Frank and Mary had two daughters:

Rachel Persis was born July 7, 1899. She married George Aakjar in Canaan, CT. They had no children. Rachel died May 29, 1981; George died in April, 1994.

Eleanor Duncan was born January 31, 1907. She married Dr. Robert Sellew. Eleanor and Robert had a son: Robert, Jr, who died in his 20's. Eleanor died in 1984.

Reference: (398).

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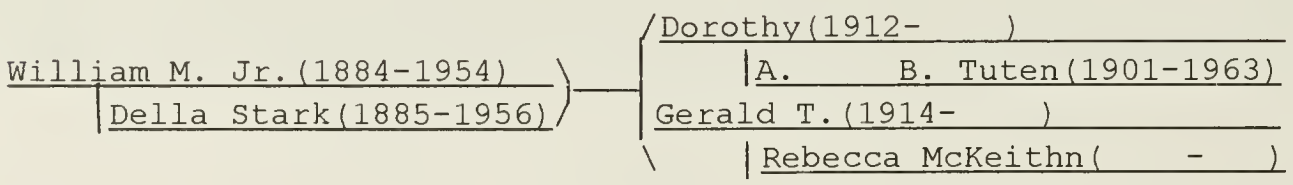
William M., Jr. [9]

Richard [1], George [2], Thomas [3], William [4], Jonathan [5], William [6], Nathan [7], William M. [8] page 519



William M. Sisson, Jr. was born February 15, 1884. He married Della Stark. Della was born in 1885. She and William had two children:

Dorothy was born February 11, 1912. She married A. B. Tuten. He was born in 1901. They had no children. He died in 1963.

Gerald T. was born October 19, 1914. He married Rebecca McKeithan. They lived in Rhode Island. Gerald and Rebecca had three sons: Richard, married Brenda Kowal; had two children; William; and Jon, married and had a daughter.

William died in 1954; Della died in 1956.

Reference: (592).

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Oliver William [9]

Richard [1], George [2], Thomas [3], William [4], Jonathan [5], Jonathan, Jr. [6], Charles Frederick [7], Frederick William [8] page 519

Oliver William(1878-1938)
Mrs Leonora Miller(-)
- James Wesley(1919-)
- George Irving(1923-)
- Raymond Allen(1929-)
- Rolland Oliver(1929-)

Oliver William Sisson was born September 7, 1878 a twin to Bessie Louise. He married Mrs. Leonora Miller. Oliver and Leonora had four sons:

James Wesley was born October 2, 1919.

George Irving was born in March, 1923.

Raymond Allen was born in May, 1929.

Rolland Oliver was born in May, 1929, a twin to Raymond.

Oliver died February 14, 1938.

Reference: (39) Vol. 2, pp.252-8.

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Harold Allen [9]

Richard [1], George [2], Thomas [3], William [4], Jonathan [5], Jonathan, Jr. [6], Charles Frederick [7], Frederick William [8] page 519

Harold Allen(1883-)
1907 Georgia Stillmn(-)
- Elizabeth Stillmn(1909-)
- 1929 Willard Damm(-)
- Sarane Louise(1910-)
- Barbara Palmes(1913-)
- Harold Allen, Jr.(1917-)

Harold Allen Sisson was born July 15, 1883. On December 12, 1907 he married Georgia Sarane Stillman of Essex, CT. Harold and Georgia had four children, the first three born in Essex:

Elizabeth Stillman was born March 14, 1909. On April 20, 1929 she married Willard William Damm.

Sarane Louise was born December 25, 1910.
Barbara Palmes was born May 18, 1913.
Harold Allen, Jr. was born July 29, 1917 in Springfield, MA.

Reference: (39) Vol. 2, pp.252-8.

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William B. [9]

Richard [1], George [2], Thomas [3], Thomas Freeman [4], John [5], Sion [6], John [7], William S. [8] page 520

William B.(1844-1902)
1866 Henrieta Hldrdg(1845-)

- George Wm Barton(1868-)
- 1895 Sarah Bishop(1875-)
- Etta Marla(1875-)
- Edward Randall(1876-1877)

William B. Sisson was born August 13, 1844. He was a mechanic, manufacturer, and salesman. He was in the Civil War 1861-1865 in the 6th and 51st Regiments, Massachusetts Volunteers. On December 31, 1866 he married Henrietta Holdridge, daughter of Randall and Caroline (Reed) Holdridge. Henrietta was born September 2, 1845. They lived in Worcester, MA. William and Henrietta had three children:

George William Barton was born February 16, 1868 in Montville, CT. He was a mechanic, manufacturer, and salesman. On July 17, 1895 he married Sarah Bishop, daughter of Hial and Etta ( ) Bishop of Elgin, New Brunswick. They lived in Worcester, MA. George and Sarah had five children: William Barton; Dorothy Bishop; Randall; Evelyn Berniece; and George.

Etta Marla was born March 22, 1875.

Edward Randall was born August 10, 1876 and died January 22, 1877.

William died December 9, 1902.

We have no additional references.

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Elmer E. [9]

Richard [1], George [2], Thomas [3], Thomas Freeman [4], John [5], Sion [6], George [7], Joseph M. [8] page 522

Elmer E.(1853-1904)
1882 Addie Thurston(1860-)

- J. Arthur(-)
- Howard S.(1887-1973)
- 1912 Marian Jordan(1890-1967)
- Hazel Green(-)
- H. Lloyd(-)
- 1913 Annie Betzner(-)
- Mary(1896-)
- 1914 James Watson(-)

Elmer E. Sisson was born circa 1853 in Alfred, Allegany County, NY. In 1882 in Wellsville, NY, he married Addie "Adda" B. Thurston of Wellsville. [These are ancestors of "Chuck" Sisson, Salem, SC.] Addie was born circa 1860. Elmer and Addie had four children, probably all born in Alfred:

J. Arthur was born about 1884.

Howard S. was born circa 1887. On August 12, 1912 he married Marian L. Jordan, daughter of Eugene C. Jordan. Marian was born February 15, 1890 in West Clarksville, NY. Howard and Marian had two sons: Robert; and Stockton H., married Mary White, had three children. Marian died June 16, 1967 at home in Buffalo, NY. She is buried in the Mount Hope Cemetery in Friendship, NY. She was survived "by two sons, five grandchildren and two great-grandchildren". Howard is not mentioned in her obituary. Ref: Marian's obituary, Allegany County. At some time Howard married second Hazel Green. Howard died August 17, 1973 in Hornell, NY.

H. Lloyd was born about 1889. In 1913 he married Annie A. Betzner.

Mary was born circa 1896. On September 18, 1914 she married James Watson. They lived in Telos, Long Island, NY.

Elmer is reported as having been killed March 14, 1904 but may be the Elmer listed on the 1905 census.

References: (263) p.576; (593) 1905.

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Cola Leon [9]

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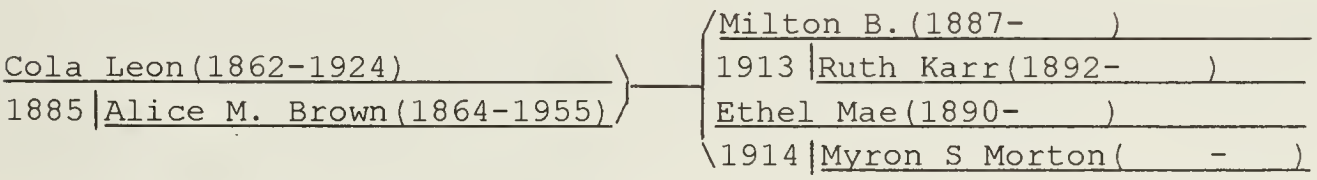

Cola Leon Sisson was born July 30, 1862 in Alfred, Allegheny County, NY. In September, 1885 he married Alice M. Brown. Alice was born in 1864. Cola and Alice had two children:

Milton B. was born circa 1887. On June 24, 1913 he married Ruth Karr, daughter of Fred and Minnie (Wyant) Karr. Ruth was born circa 1892.

Ethel Mae was born in 1890. On October 28, 1914 in Almond, Allegheny County she married Myron S. Morton. She was listed as 28 [23?] when married.

Cola died January 13, 1924 in Wellsville, NY. He is buried in Alfred Cemetery. Alice died in 1955.

References: "Bolivar Breeze" newspaper; (593) 1905.

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John Henry [9]

Richard [1], George [2], Thomas [3], Peleg [4], Peleg, Jr. [5], Timothy [6], Timothy, Jr. [7], Jacob Alonzo [8] page 523

John Henry(1869-1922) \
1887 Grace Lincoln(1872-1922) / — / Beatrice(1890-1957)
\ 1916 Raymond LaRose(-)

John Henry Sisson was born July 22, 1869 in Moreau, NY. On December 11, 1887 in Luzerne, NY, he married Grace Lincoln, daughter of John Scott and Henrietta C. (Woodworth) Lincoln. Grace was born April 15, 1872 in Greenfield, NY. John and Grace had an only child:

Beatrice was born July 4, 1890 in Glens Falls, NY. On June 21, 1916 in Saratoga Springs, NY, she married Raymond Lee LaRose. Beatrice and Raymond had a son: Raymond Lee, Jr. Beatrice died January 10, 1957 in Glens Falls.

On June 15, 1896 John and Grace were divorced. John was living in Grandville, MI, in 1909. Grace died March 22, 1922; John died in July, 1922. Both died in Glens Falls.

Reference: (594).

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Burton Jesse [9]

Richard [1], George [2], Thomas [3], Peleg [4], Peleg, Jr. [5], Timothy [6], Alonzo [7], Jesse [8] page 525

/ Alonzo Williams(1895-)
| Eva (-)
Burton Jesse(1875-1963) \ | Arthur Lewis(1898-1898)
1894 Mary A. Williams(1875-) / | Mary Irene(1902-1962)
| Bowridge(-)
| Esther Elizabeth(1908-1910)
\ Chester(-)

Burton Jesse Sisson was born June 25, 1875. On August 8, 1894 in Adams Center, NY, he married Mary Alice Williams. Mary was born August 20, 1875. Burton and Mary had five children:

Alonzo Williams was born August 25, 1895. He married Eva ( ). They lived in Buffalo, NY. Alonzo and Eva had a daughter: Rena May, married 1) Roger W. Overton, had two children, divorced, married 2) Elmer Boll.

Arthur Lewis was born and died in 1898.

Mary Irene was born June 30, 1902. She married Mr. Bowridge. Mary died in 1962.

Esther Elizabeth was born July 21, 1908. We do not have a death date but she was buried November 1, 1910.

Chester may have been born about 1911.

Burton died February 2, 1963; Mary died after an auto accident.

We have no additional references.

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John William [9]

Richard [1], George [2], Thomas [3], Peleg [4], Peleg, Jr. [5], Gilbert [6], Ichabod Babcock [7], George Maxson [8] page 528

John William(1847-1918)
1872 Anna Maria Smith(1854-1894)
1898 Harriet E. Childs(-)

- Edward Paul(1874-)
- Maria Elizabeth(1875-)
- Anna Josephine(1877-)
- Catherine M.(1880-)
- William Bernard(1882-)
- Susan Frances(1887-)
- John Newcommen(1890-)

John William Sisson was born July 27, 1847 in Westerly, Washington County, RI. He was a GAR veteran and lost a leg. On March 19, 1872 he married Anna Maria Smith, daughter of Caroline F. ( ) Smith. Anna was born June 21, 1854. John and Anna had seven children:

Edward Paul was born March 7, 1874. He was a captain, L.S.S. [life saving station?].

Maria Elizabeth was born June 28, 1875.

Anna Josephine was born November 1, 1877.

Catherine M. was born March 5, 1880.

William Bernard was born September 14, 1882.

Susan Frances was born June 30, 1887.

John Newcom(m)en was born May 19, 1890.

Anna died April 12, 1894. John married second April 21, 1898 Harriet Eliza Childs, a widow. John died married, September 18, 1918 in Westerly where he is buried.

References: (14) Vol. 2, p.149 & Vol 9, p.223 [John is listed as William John].

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Nathan Franklin [9]

Richard [1], George [2], Thomas [3], Peleg [4], Peleg, Jr. [5], Gilbert [6], Ichabod Babcock [7], Benjamin F. [8] page 529

Nathan Franklin(1852-)
1882 Jennie M. Simms(-)

- infant
- Eva(1884-)
- Nathan Leslie(1886-)
- Annie(-)
- Ralph(-)
- Daniel L.(1892-1893)
- Walter(-)
- Ruth Lillian(1898-)

Nathan Franklin Sisson was born October 5, 1852. On March 4, 1882 he married Jennie M. Simms (or Sisson). They were married in Grace Church, Westerly, RI. Nathan and Jennie had eight children:

An infant was born about 1883.
Eva was born July 10, 1884.
Nathan Leslie was born in February, 1886.
Annie was born about 1888.
Ralph was born about 1890.
Daniel L. was born in 1892 and died September 9, 1893.
Walter was born about 1895.
Ruth Lillian was born July 4, 1898.

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Ellery Augustus [9]

Richard [1], George [2], Thomas [3], Peleg [4], Peleg, Jr. [5], Gilbert [6], Ichabod Babcock [7], Ichabod [8] page 530

Ellery Augustus Sisson was born June 7, 1869 in Westerly, RI. While living in Lynn, MA, he married Emma Egger, daughter of Jean and Maggie R. ( ) Egger. They were married December 24, 1889 in Christ Church, Westerly. Emma was born circa 1867 in Westerly. The family lived in Fitchburg, MA. Ellery and Emma had a son born there:

Gilbert Ellery was born January 6, 1891.

Reference: (7) 11:41.

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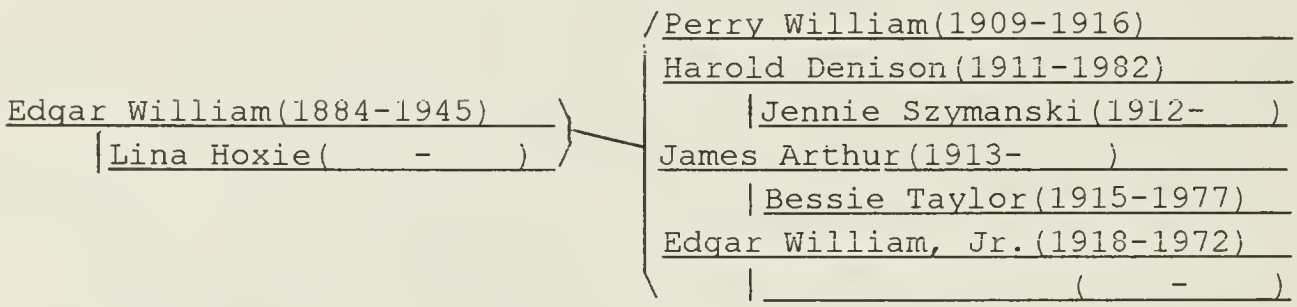
Edgar William [9]

Richard [1], George [2], Thomas [3], Peleg [4], Peleg, Jr. [5], Peleg, III [6], Peleg Denison [7], William Alfred [8] page 533



Edgar William Sisson was born February 17, 1884. He married Lina Hoxie. Edgar and Lina had four sons:

Perry William was born December 26, 1909 and died November 1, 1916.

Harold Denison was born October 7, 1911. He married Jennie Szymanski, daughter of John and Josephine ( ) Szymanski. Jennie was born December 2, 1912. Harold and Jennie had two children:

Harold Denison, Jr., married and had a son; and Pamela, married Mr. Howard. Harold, Sr. died August 9, 1982.

James Arthur was born November 26, 1913. He married Bessie Taylor. Bessie was born June 13, 1915. James and Bessie had a son: Richard T. Bessie died March 18, 1977.

Edgar William Jr. was born January 17, 1918. He was married and had a son: Robert Perry, married and had a son. Edgar, Jr. died January 17, 1972.

Edgar, Sr. died April 12, 1945.

Reference: (412).

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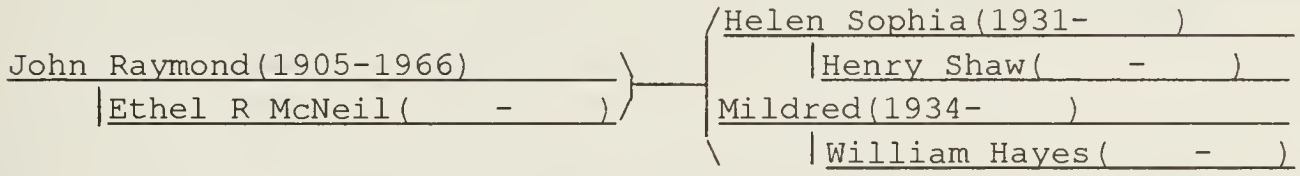
John Raymond [9]

Richard [1], George [2], John [3], Constant [4], Gideon [5], Leonard [6], William B. [7], Burton Leonard [8] page 534



John Raymond Sisson was born in 1905. He was a farmer. He married Ethel (Rouse) McNeil. They lived in Beech Hill, NY. John and Ethel had two daughters:

Helen Sophia was born in 1931. She married Henry Shaw and had one child.

Mildred was born in 1934. She married William Hayes and had two children.

John died in 1966.

We have no additional references.

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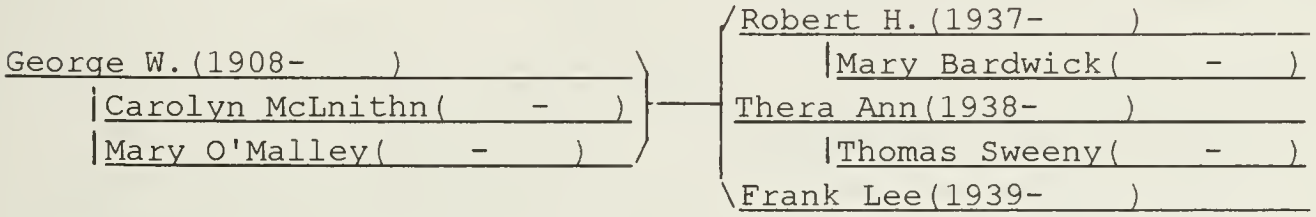
George W. [9]

Richard [1], George [2], John [3], Constant [4], Gideon [5], Leonard [6], William B. [7], Burton Leonard [8] page 534



George W. Sisson was born in 1908. He was a farmer. He married first Carolyn McLenithan, daughter of George McLenithan, and second Mary O'Malley. At some time the family lived in Easton Village, NY. George had three children, we do not know by which wife:

Robert H. was born in 1937. He was a Navy lieutenant. He married Mary Bardwick of Chicago, IL, and had two sons.

Thera Ann was born in 1938. She was a registered nurse. Thera married Thomas Sweeney of Plattsburg, (NY?). Thera and Thomas had four children.

Frank Lee was born in 1939. He was a Viet Nam War veteran.

We have no additional references.

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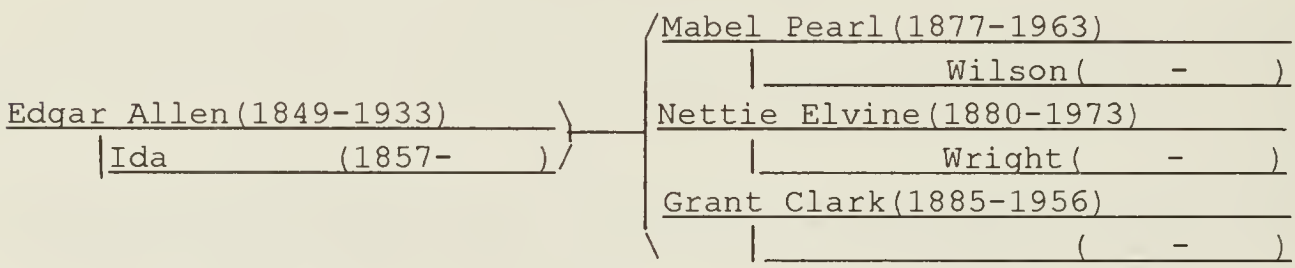
Edgar Allen [9]

Richard [1], George [2], James [3], Barnet [4], Rodman [5], George [6], Rodman [7], Arnold Clark [8] page 535



Edgar Allen Sisson was born October 27, 1849. [Ed. Note: The poet, Edgar Allen Poe died October 7, 1849.] Edgar was a farmer. He married Ida ( ), born in 1857. At some time they moved to Padilla, Skagit County, WA. Edgar and Ida had three children:

Mabel Pearl was born June 9, 1877. She married Mr. Wilson and died in 1963.

Nettie Elvine was born November 30, 1880. She married Mr. Wright and died in 1973.

Grant Clark was born June 23, 1885. He was married and had a son: Darrell Edgar. Grant died in 1956.

Edgar died in 1933.

We have no additional references.

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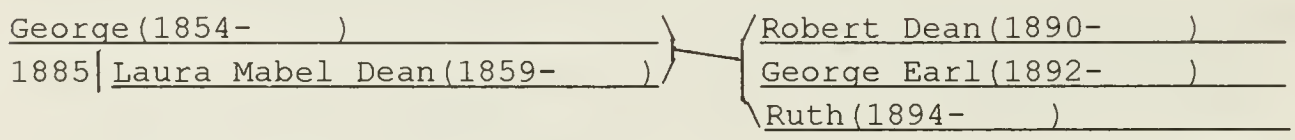
George [9]

Richard [1], George [2], James [3], Barnet [4], Rodman [5], George [6], Rodman [7], Arnold Clark [8] page 535



George Sisson was born February 1, 1854. He was a file clerk in the Third National Bank in Scranton, PA. On May 21, 1885 he married Laura Mabel Dean, daughter of Myron and Almira (Manchester) Dean. Laura was born in 1859. George and Laura had three children, probably all born in Scranton:

Robert Dean was born March 16, 1890.

George Earl was born May 6, 1892.

Ruth was born September 6, 1894.

We have no additional references.

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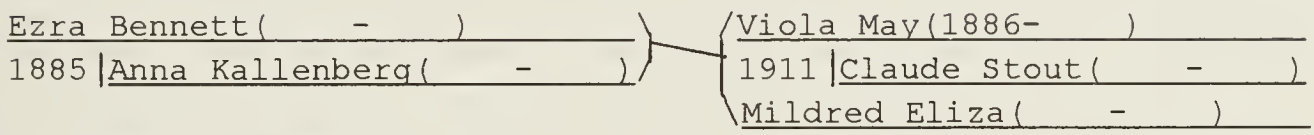
Ezra Bennett [9]

Richard [1], George [2], James [3], Joseph [4], John [5], John, Jr. [6], Bennett [7], David Wing [8] page 536



Ezra Bennett Sisson was born about 1855. Circa 1885 Ezra married Anna Kallenberg. Anna was born about 1857. Ezra and Anna had two daughters born in Sheboygan Falls, WI:

Viola May was born November 14, 1886. On December 26, 1911 she married Claude D. Stout. They lived in Wauwtosa, WI.

Mildred Eliza was born about 1888.

Reference: (27) Vol. III, p.419.

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Noah A. [9]

Richard [1], George [2], James [3], Joseph [4], John [5], John, Jr. [6], Easton [7], Sanford [8] page 537

Noah A. Sisson was born July 15, 1857. On June 20, 1877 he married D. A. Waterbury of Creshany, Oneida County, NY. Noah and his wife had two sons:

Sanford E. was born about 1879.

Henry was born about 1881.

We have no additional references.

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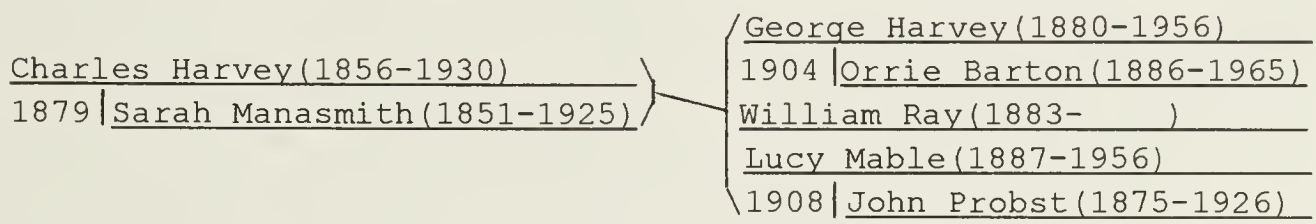
Charles Harvey [9]

Richard [1], George [2], James [3], Joseph [4], John [5], Job [6], Daniel [7], Harvey [8] page 538



Charles Harvey Sisson was born March 28, 1856 in New York. He was a Methodist. On February 19, 1879 in Linn County, IA, he

married Sarah Katherine (Manasmith) Spinden, daughter of George A. and Martha C. (Smith) Manasmith, and widow of Mr. Spinden. Sarah was born May 1, 1851 in McVeytown, Mifflin County, PA. Charles and Sarah had three children born in Shellsburg, Benton County, IA:

George Harvey was born March 12, 1880. On April 19, 1904 in Shellsburg he married Orrie Braytonette Barton. Orrie was born April 9, 1886 in Canton, Benton County. George and Orrie had fourteen children, the last ten born in Pine Bluffs, Laramie County, WY: Vera Pearl, married 1) David Sichwart, 2) Art Brown, 3) Owen Francis Miller, 4) Henry Miller; William Lyle, married Alma Eloise Constable; Elva Irene, married Kenneth Wiemken; A baby died an infant; Clifford Earl, married 1) Betty ( ), 2) Marie Stienmark, 3) Mae Higday; Etta May, married Alfred Constable; Vivian Iva, married 1) Max Raymond Higday, 2) Earl Bishop; Verna Ione, married 1) James Kallas, 2) William Carey Scott; Mildred Minnie, married James A. Decker; George Edwin, married 1) Georgianna Warner, 2) Dorothy Meier; Ora Louise, married Fred Erwin Beach, these are the parents of Larry Beach; Charles Calvin, married Marilyn Rae Walker; Marvin Ray, married 1) Lois Peterson, 2) Elsie Irene Meier; and Wilma Ellen. George died November 18, 1956; Orrie died June 9, 1965; both died in Cheyenne.

William Ray was born November 19, 1883. He was living in Newcastle, CO, at the time of his father's death (1930).

Lucy Mable was born February 5, 1887. On November 25, 1908 in Clarion, Wright County, IA, she married John Adolph Probst. John was born January 23, 1875 in Clinton, Clinton County, IA. Lucy and John had three children: Sarah A.; Grayce L., married Robert Lobdell; and Charles E. John died November 17, 1926; Lucy died May 12, 1956, both in Galt, Wright County.

Sarah died April 16, 1925 in Blaine/Galt; Charles died December 13, 1930 in Pine Bluffs, Laramie County, WY, and is buried there.

References: "Pine Bluffs News", obituary and death certificate; (419); (595) 1870-80-85-95-1900; (596) 1895.

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Charles Sumner [9]

Richard [1], George [2], James [3], Joseph [4], Joseph, Jr. [5], Barnabas [6], Jabez [7], William Henry [8] page 538

Charles Sumner (1857-1899)
1877 | Cornelia Lwtn (1857-)

- Marian S. (1879-)
  - 1905 | Abner Anthony (-)
- Borden Lawton (1881-)
  - 1903 | Mabel Peckham (-)
- Helen Lawton (1883-)
  - 1906 | Henry Curtis (-)

Charles Sumner (or Summer) Sisson was born March 20, 1857 in Portsmouth, RI. He was a farmer, dairyman, poultry raiser and Republican. He owned the 104-acre "Adam Anthony Farm". On November

8, 1877 at St. Mary's Episcopal Church he married Cornelia Lawton, daughter of Borden and Anna G. (Mitchell) Lawton. Cornelia was born in 1857 in Portsmouth. Charles and Cornelia had three children, all born in Portsmouth; (a fourth child, Phebe Gifford, has also been reported; this may be their granddaughter Phebe Gifford Potter):

Marian S. was born June 17, 1879. On June 17, 1905 she married Abner Potter Anthony, son of Henry Anthony. Marian and Abner had a daughter: Phebe Gifford, March 31 (or May 11), 1906.

Borden Lawton was born June 7, 1881. He was a farmer. On November 4, 1903 he married Mabel Rogers Peckham, daughter of John and Sarah (Rogers) Peckham. Borden and Mabel had two daughters, both born in Portsmouth: Helen Lawton; and Frances Rogers.

Helen Lawton was born January 20, 1883 (or 86). On May 11, 1906 she married Henry Anthony Curtis, son of Sheldon and Kate (Anthony) Curtis.

Charles died May 4, 1899 and is buried in the St. Mary's Cemetery in Portsmouth. Cornelia died after Charles.

We have no additional references.

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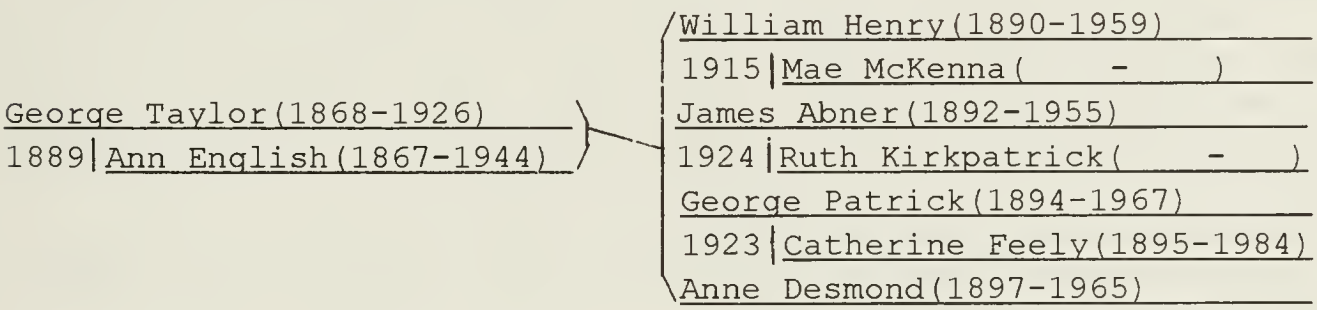
George Taylor [9]

Richard [1], George [2], James [3], Joseph [4], Joseph, Jr. [5], Barnabas [6], Jabez [7], Abner Jones [8] page 539



George Taylor Sisson was born February 8, 1868 in Bristol, RI. On November 29, 1889 he married Ann "Annie" Louise English. Annie was born in 1867 in Tipperary, Ireland. George and Annie had four children:

William Henry was born September 7, 1890. In July, 1915 he married Mae McKenna. William and Mae had four children, probably all born in Rhode Island: William; Mary; Margaret; and Nancy. William died in January, 1959.

James Abner was born October 15, 1892. On November 8, 1924 he married Ruth Kirkpatrick. James and Ruth had no children. James died in January, 1955.

George Patrick was born March 7, 1894 in Bristol, RI. On January 8, 1923 in St. Mary's Church, Providence, RI, he married Catherine Helena "Lena" Feeley. Catherine was born January 4, 1895 in Providence. George and Catherine had five children, all born in Providence: George Thomas, married Mary Stewart, had no children; John Francis, married Madonna Ohnemus, had five children; Rita Mary, married Eugene John McGuinness, had five children; Alfred Taylor,

married Clementine Walusiak, had three children; and Catherine Louise, married George Jordan, had two children. George died November 30, 1967; Catherine died March 9, 1984 in Providence.

Anne Desmond was born February 28, 1897. She was not married. Anne died October 17, 1965.

George died December 1, 1926; Annie died September 19, 1944. Both died in Bristol.

Reference: (537).

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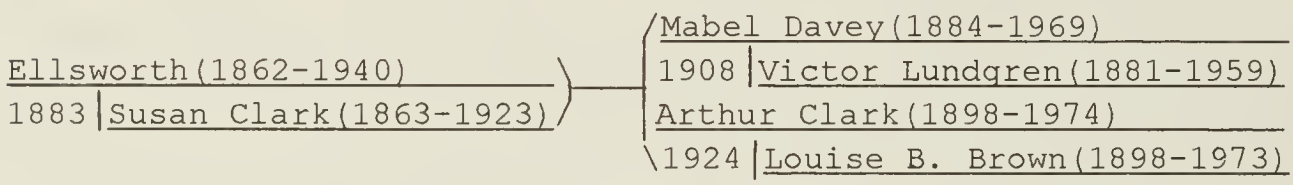
Ellsworth [9]

Richard [1], George [2], James [3], Joseph [4], Joseph, Jr. [5], Barnabas [6], Edmond Sanford [7], Jonathan Anthony [8] page 539



Ellsworth Sisson was born January 28, 1862 in Portsmouth, RI. He was a merchant selling butter, cheese, eggs and fruit at "Cooper and Sisson" in 1890. He was a Republican, Mason and Baptist. On September 18, 1883 he married Susan Stanton Clark(e), born February 1, 1863. Ellsworth and Susan had two children born in Providence:

Mabel Davey was born November 28, 1884. On April 22, 1908 she married Victor Olaf Lundgren. They had a son: Ellsworth Sisson.

Arthur Clark was born November 24, 1898. On January 21, 1924 in Pawtucket, RI, he married Louise Bertha Brown, adopted daughter of Frank H. Brown. Louise was born December 25, 1898 in Providence. Arthur and Louise had three children: Richard; Jonathan Anthony, II, married, had three sons, including Jonathan Anthony, III; and Naomi L., married twice, had no children. Louise died April 18, 1973; Aruthur died February 16, 1974.

Susan died May 29, 1923; Ellsworth died December 3, 1940, both in Cranston, RI.

References: (166) p.2320; (597); (603).

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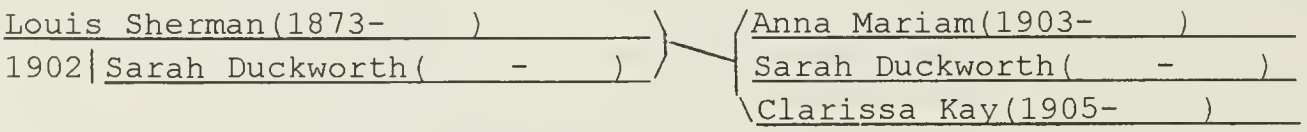
Louis Sherman [9]

Richard [1], George [2], James [3], Joseph [4], James [5], Moses L. [6], William B. [7], William L. [8] page 541



Louis "Louie" Sherman Sisson was born July 25, 1873 in Portsmouth, RI. He was a farmer. On March 30, 1902 he married Sarah Duckworth, daughter of Richard and Miriam (Kay) Duckworth of

Portsmouth. Sarah was born in Bury, England. Louis and Sarah had three daughters, all born in Portsmouth:

Anna Mariam was born January 28, 1903.

Sarah Duckworth was born about 1904.

Clarissa Kay was born October 13, 1905.

We have no additional references.

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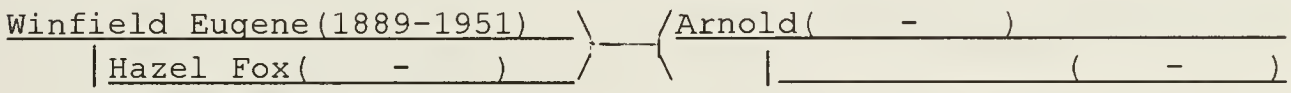
Winfield Eugene [9]

Richard [1], George [2], James [3], Joseph [4], Jabez [5], Sanford [6], Sanford, Jr. [7], Eugene Hubbard [8] page 543



Winfield Eugene Sisson was born December 17, 1889. He married Hazel Fox of Odessa, MI. Winfield and Hazel adopted a son:

Arnold was probably born about 1915 and lived in Belmont and Grand Rapids, MI. Arnold was married but we do not know his wife's name. She and Arnold had three children: Karen; Terry; and Jerry.

Winfield died in November, 1951 in Grand Rapids, MI.

References: (428); (540) p.557.

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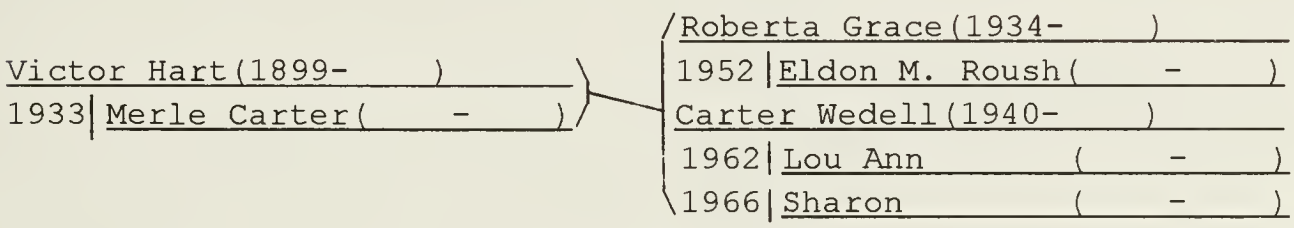
Victor Hart [9]

Richard [1], George [2], James [3], Joseph [4], Jabez [5], Sanford [6], Sanford, Jr. [7], Eugene Hubbard [8] page 543



Victor Hart Sisson was born May 9, 1899. He graduated from Freeport High School in 1918, the only boy in a class of nine, soon after his father died. He and his mother moved to Hastings, Table County, MI. They later returned to Freeport where he became "the youngest Postmaster in the U.S.A." On August 24, 1933 at the Wesleyan Methodist Church in Fairmont, IN, he married Merle L. Carter, a schoolteacher. They lived in Woodland, MI. Victor and Merle had two children:

Roberta Grace was born July 30, 1934. On June 18, 1952 she married Eldon Merle Roush, son of Elmer and Dorothy ( ) Roush. Roberta and Eldon had six children: David Eldon; Denise Elsine; Dana Wesley; Dawne Michelle; Darla Stacy; and Darin Shawn Paul.

Carter Wedell was born September 29, 1940 in Hastings, MI. He served in the Air Force. On December 22, 1962 he married Lou Ann ( ). Carter and Lou Ann were divorced. On July 4, 1966 he married

Sharon Kelly. Carter and Sharon had two children: Kelly Lynn; and Victor Forrest. Carter and Sharon were divorced. Carter married third Shirley Hill.

References: (428); (540) p.557.

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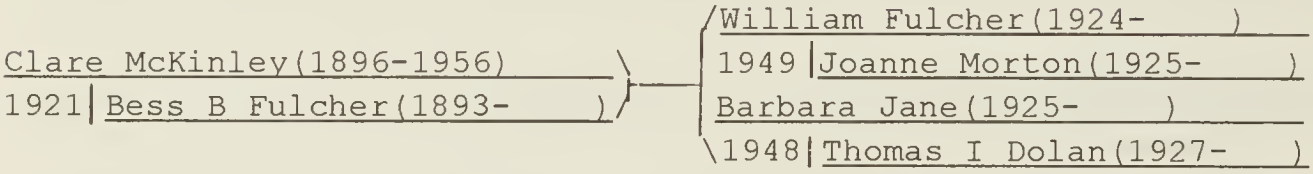
Clare McKinley [9]

Richard [1], George [2], James [3], Joseph [4], Jabez [5], Sanford [6], Sanford, Jr. [7], Foster Augustus [8] page 544



Clare McKinley Sisson was born September 21, 1896 in Freeport, MI. He was president of a paper manufacturing company. On June 18, 1921 he married Bess Brown Fulcher, daughter of John and Orrel (Brown) Fulcher. Bess was born July 17, 1893. Clare and Bess had two children born in Kalamazoo, MI:

William Fulcher was born June 7, 1924. He was an engineer graduating from the University of Michigan. On October 1, 1949 in Kalamazoo he married Joanne Morton, daughter of Owen and Wilma (Basker) Morton. Joanne was born November 15, 1925. At some time the family lived in Three Rivers, MI. William and Joanne had two children: William Fulcher, II; and Margaret Ann.

Barbara Jane was born September 29, 1925. On June 18, 1948 she married Thomas Ironside Dolan. Thomas was born March 31, 1927. They lived in Greenville, MI. Barbara and Thomas had two daughters: Nancy, married Douglas Shrank; and Sarah, married Donald Golding.

Clare died August 20, 1956 in Chicago, IL.

We have no additional references.

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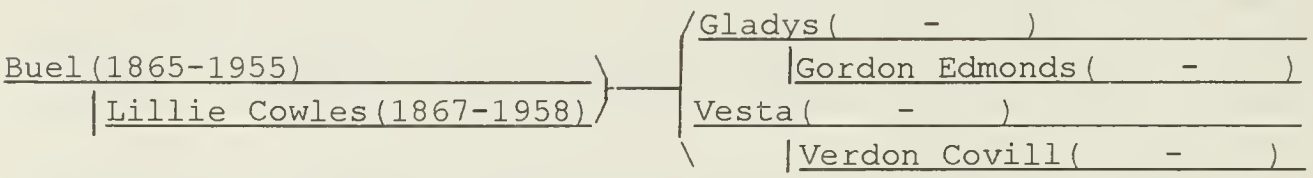
Buel [9]

Richard [1], George [2], James [3], Joseph [4], Jabez [5], Sanford [6], James [7], Henry [8] page 545



Buel Sisson was born in 1865 in Barry County, MI. He owned the Washburn homestead. Buel married Lillie Cowles. Lillie was born in 1867. Buel and Lillie had two daughters:

Gladys was born about 1885. She married Gordon Edmonds. They lived in Grand Rapids, MI. Gladys and Gordon had four children: Stewart; Carl; Loren; and Bonita.

Vesta was born about 1888. She married Verdon Covill. They had a daughter: Barbara.

Buel died in 1955; Lillie died in August, 1958.

We have no additional references.

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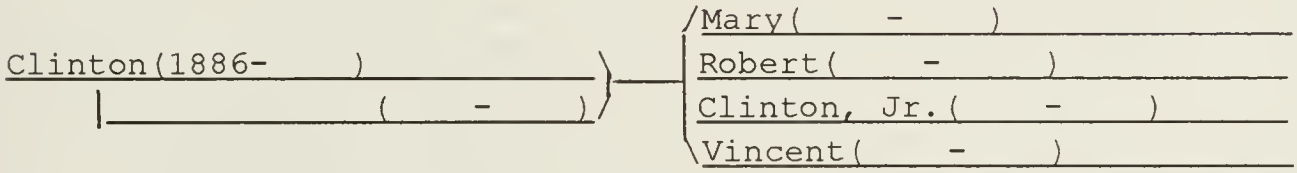
Clinton [9]

Richard [1], George [2], James [3], Joseph [4], Jabez [5], Sanford [6], Lucius P. [7], Lucius Adelbert [8] page 546



Clinton Sisson was born March 22, 1886. He is reported in the Huron County (OH?) records as a daughter. We do not know his wife's name. She and Clinton had four children:

Mary was born about 1910.
Robert was born about 1912.
Clinton, Jr. was born about 1914.
Vincent was born about 1916.

We have no additional references.

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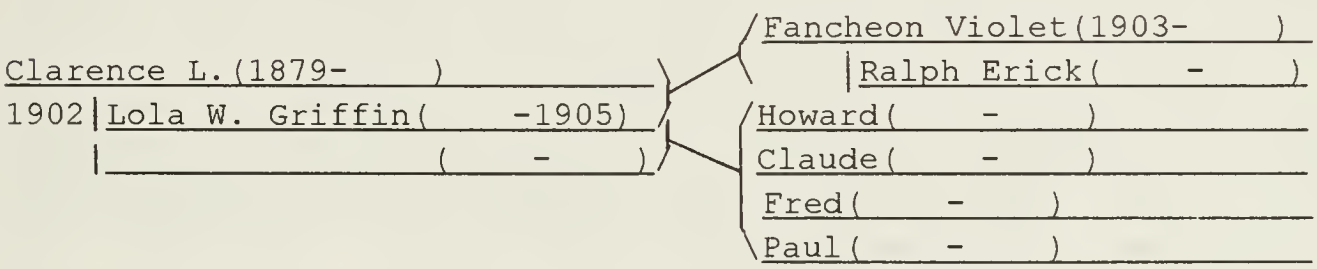
Clarence L. [9]

Richard [1], George [2], James [3], Joseph [4], Jabez [5], Sanford [6], Lucius P. [7], Oscar L. [8] page 547



Clarence L. Sisson was born October 10, 1879 in Fitchville, OH. On December 27, 1902 he married Lola W. Griffin, daughter of Hialmer and Amanda (Knapp) Griffin. Clarence and Lola had a daughter:

Fancheon Violet was born September 29, 1903 in Fitchville, OH. She married Ralph Erick.

Lola died in 1905. Clarence married a second time but we do not know this wife's name. She and Clarence had four sons:

Howard was born about 1910.
Claude was born about 1912.
Fred was born about 1914.

Paul was born about 1916.

We have no additional references.

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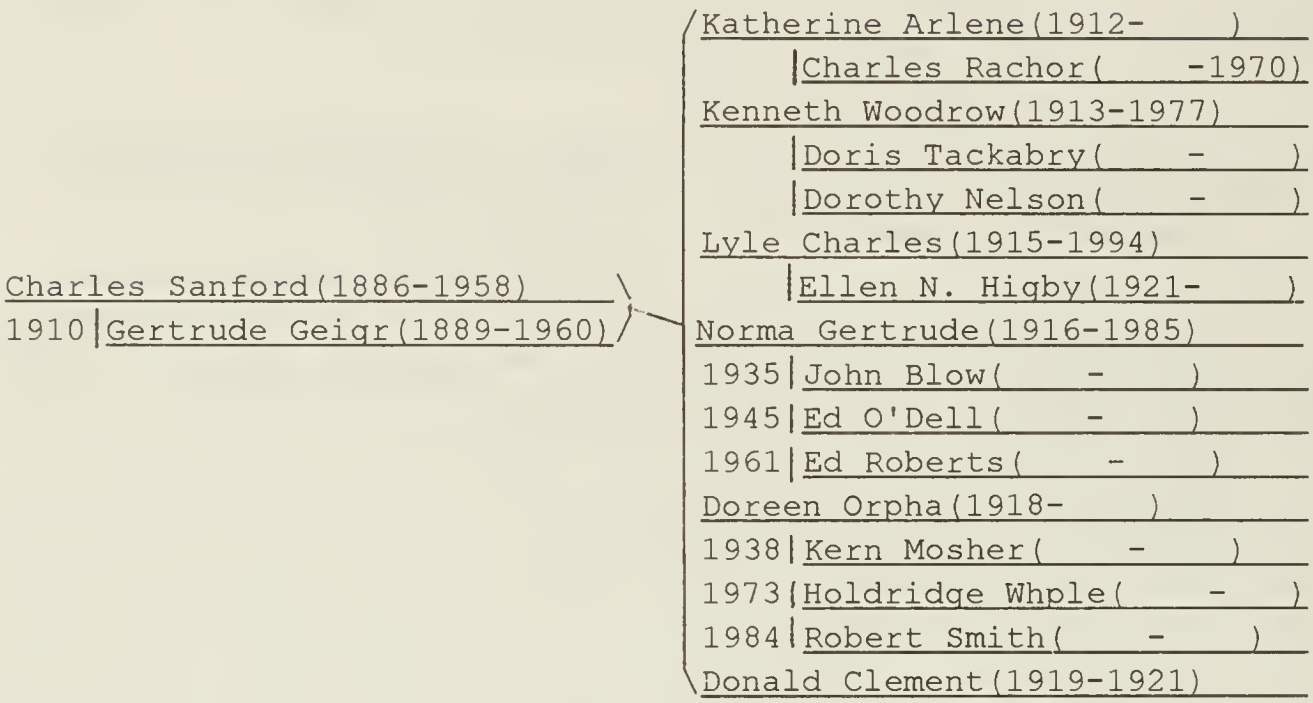
Charles Sanford [9]

Richard [1], George [2], James [3], Joseph [4], Jabez [5], Sanford [6], Foster P. [7], Hudson [8] page 548



Charles Sanford Sisson was born May 24, 1886 in Irving Twp, Barry County, MI. On September 26, 1910 in Barry County he married Gertrude Mabel Geiger, daughter of Andrew and Friedricka (Hagman) Geiger. Gertrude was born August 2, 1889 in Woodland, MI. They were members of the Methodist Church and were Republicans. Charles and Gertrude had six children, probably all born in Hastings, MI:

Katherine Arlene was born February 20, 1912. She married Charles E. Rachor. Katherine and Charles had seven children: Charles Lyle, married Gail Bennett; Michael Garry, married Barbara Eddy; Robert Eric, married Julie Tougiani; Kaaren Ann, married Dennis Roman; David James, married Candice Kozma; John Peter, and Daniel Joseph. Charles died September 4, 1970.

Kenneth Woodrow was born December 28, 1913. On June 23, 1935 Kenneth married first Doris Tackaberry. Kenneth and Doris had three children: Judith Ann, married 1) Neno Guarisco, had three daughters, married 2) Gary Mann; Gertrude Lee, married 1) Carroll Parmeter, had four daughters, married 2) Jerry Wright, had a daughter; and Kenneth Woodrow, Jr., married Carol Wolski. Kenneth, Sr. married second February 20, 1957 Dorothy Nelson. Kenneth died February 25, 1977.

Lyle "Red" Charles was born February 25, 1915. He graduated from White Pigeon High School in White Pigeon, MI. As a young man he played basketball, baseball, football (state all-star), and the violin on Station WOWO in Ft. Wayne, IN. He worked 20 years at the Mac Sim Bar Mill; 15 years at the Hamilton Paper Company, then at

Imperial Carving of Allegan, MI; he retired in 1980. Lyle was an Elk, member of the First Congregational Church, and active in Otsego civic affairs. On August 13, 1938 he married Ellen Norma Higby, daughter of Fellus Gilbert and Christine (Gydesen) Higby. Ellen was born September 7, 1921 in Otsego, MI. Lyle and Ellen had five children, all born in Plainwell, MI: Lyle Fellus, married Barbara Ann Hodapp, had two children; Barbara Ellen, married Peter Miervaldis Jirgens, had three children; Craig Higby, married Lorna Kay Westfield, had two children; Mark; and Christine Louise, married 1) Bret Allen Cobb, had two children, married 2) James Lee McNutt, had a son.

Norma Gertrude was born July 26, 1916. On February 1, 1935 she married first John Blow. Norma and John had a son: James Kenneth (James later took the surname Roberts), married first Marilyn Baker and second Patricia McDonald. On September 1, 1945 Norma married second Ed O'Dell and on April 29, 1961 she married third Ed Roberts. Norma died in June, 1985.

Doreen Orpha was born March 19, 1918. She married first in 1938 Kern Mosher. Doreen and Kern had two children: Ronald Kern, June 1, 1940 married first Sue Parish and second Patricia Kirkpatrick; and Patricia Ann, August 15, 1944 married first Dick Cairns and second Robert Rewalt. On October 12, 1973 Doreen married second Holdridge Whipple and on May 16, 1984 she married third Robert Smith.

Donald Clement was born May 21, 1919 and died March 17, 1921.

Charles spent his working years in the postal service as a carrier in Hastings and Marcellus, and as postmaster in White Pigeon, MI. He was active in civic affairs. Charles died June 25, 1958 in Marcellus and is buried there. Gertrude died in 1960 in Kalamazoo, MI.

References: Family data from Minnie E. Pearce [sister to Charles]; (428); (598).

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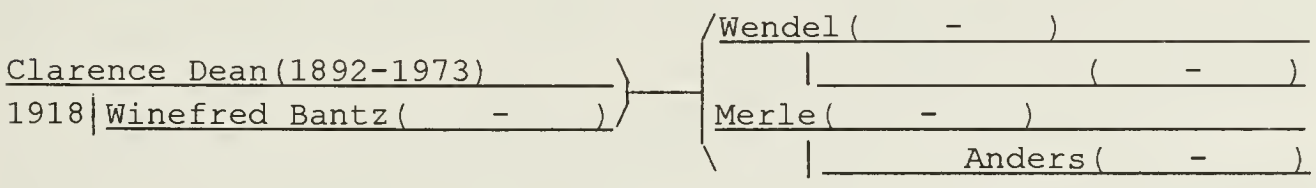
Clarence Dean [9]

Richard [1], George [2], James [3], Joseph [4], Jabez [5], Joseph [6], Rufus King [7], Clarence Marion [8] page 549



Clarence Dean Sisson was born April 15, 1892 in St. George, KS. His family moved to Washington State in 1901. In 1918 he married Winefred Bantz. Clarence and Winefred had two children:

Wendel was probably born about 1920. He had a son: Ronald.

Merle was born about 1923. She married Mr. Anders. He and Merle had three sons: Dirk; Geoffrey; and Kurt.

Clarence died December 11, 1973. He is buried in Lacey, WA.

We have no additional references.

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Charles Peck [9]

Richard [1], James [2], Richard [3], Richard, Jr. [4], Joseph [5], Asa [6], Asa, Jr. [7], Charles [8] page 553

Charles Peck(1890-1947)
1916 | Marg. Gifford(1888-)
— Mary Eyer(1918-)
| John T Barrett(-)
— Hope(1920-)
| James D. Rider(-)

Charles Peck Sisson was born February 9, 1890 in Providence, RI. He attended Brown University and obtained his LLB from Harvard in 1914. He was a city attorney 1919-1922; Attorney General of Rhode Island 1925-1928; in 1929 he was appointed U.S. Assistant Attorney General by President Hoover. On June 17, 1916 he married Margaret Amy Gifford of Providence, daughter of Seth K. and Mary A. ( ) Gifford. Margaret was born in 1888 in Lynn, MA. Charles and Margaret had two daughters, both born in Providence:

Mary Eyer (or Eyre) was born March 30, 1918. She attended Mt. Holyoke College in 1940. She married John Telfer Barrett.

Hope was born in 1920. She married Joseph Davidson Rider.

Charles was a Lt. Colonel, Army Air Corps in Italy and Germany during World War II. Charles died August 2, 1947.

References: (11) Vol. III, pp.118-19; (439) Vol. XVIII, 1934-5.

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William Eyer [9]

Richard [1], James [2], Richard [3], Richard, Jr. [4], Joseph [5], Asa [6], Asa, Jr. [7], Charles [8] page 553

William Eyer(1898-1931)
| Mary W. Hairston(-)
— Elizabeth E.(1926-)
William Eyer, Jr(1928-1931)

William Eyer Sisson was born February 2, 1898 in Providence, RI. He was a physician in Detroit, MI, and San Diego, CA. He married Mary Wilson Hairston. Mary was born in North Carolina. William and Mary had two children:

Elizabeth E. "Betty" was born in 1926.

William Eyer, Jr. was born December 31, 1928 in San Diego. He drowned July 10, 1931 and is buried in Swan Point Cemetery, Providence.

William drowned in a lake near San Diego July 10, 1931 attempting to rescue his small son who had fallen overboard. He is also buried in the family lot, Swan Point Cemetery.

References: Newspaper articles, San Diego and Providence; (11) Vol. III, pp.120,21.

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Charles A. [9]

Richard [1], James [2], Richard [3], Richard [4], Philip [5], Peleg [6], Green Bradford [7], Charles R. [8] page 554

Charles A.(1841-1881) ⟩ 1863 Minerva Sparrow(1839-1909) ⟩ Edward Elmer(1865-1926) ⟨ 1885 Annie L Tiltn(1865-)

Charles A. Sisson was born May 5, 1841 in Rochester, MA. He was a farmer. On November 7, 1863 in New Bedford, MA, he married Minerva M. Sparrow, daughter of Josiah and Priscilla (Ellis) Sparrow. Minerva was born September 14, 1839 in Rochester. Charles and Minerva had only one child:

Edward Elmer was born March 23, 1865 in Rochester. He was a blacksmith. On December 24, 1885 in New Bedford, MA, he married Annie L. Tilton, daughter of James M. and Elizabeth F. ( ) Hamilton. Annie was born about 1865 in Carson, MI. Edward and Annie had four children, all born in Middleboro, MA: Minerva Miller, married Herman Rounds; Elmer Allen; a son; and Bessie Sparrow, married Leroy F. Sweeney. Edward died November 24, 1926 in South Middleboro. Annie died in Middleboro.

Charles died February 27, 1881 in Taunton, MA. Minerva died September 7, 1909 in Middleboro, MA. She is buried in Sparrow lot, Rochester Center Cemetery.

References: (11) Vol. III, pp.122, 137.

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Benjamin Potter [9]

Richard [1], James [2], Richard [3], Richard [4], Philip [5], Peleg [6], Green Bradford [7], Charles R. [8] page 554

Benjamin Potter(1849-1905) ⟩ 1872 Sarah I. Chace(1854-) ⟩ Charles H.(1872-) ⟨ 1892 Annie E. Almy(1871-)

Benjamin Potter Sisson was born November 30, 1849 in Rochester, MA. He was a butcher. On March 25, 1872 in Westport, MA, he married Sarah I. Chace, daughter of George H. and Rachel (Sherman) Chace. Sarah was born in 1854 in Westport. Benjamin and Sarah had an only child:

Charles H. was born September 24, 1872 in Westport. On October 2, 1892 in Tiverton, RI, he married Annie Elizabeth Almy, "age 21", the daughter of Frederick and Melissa B. (Simmons) Almy. Annie was born in Tiverton. Charles and Annie had no children.

Benjamin died July 10, 1905 in New Bedford and is buried in Oak Grove Cemetery there.

Reference: (11) Vol. III, p.122.

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Sanford Greene [9]

Richard [1], James [2], Richard [3], Richard [4], Philip [5], Peleg [6], Green Bradford [7], Andrew Fales [8] page 555

Sanford Greene Sisson was born January 25, 1857 in Mattapoisett, MA. He was a farmer. On May 14, 1881 in Tiverton, RI, he married Sarah Frances Lawton, daughter of Alden M. and Hannah (Corey) Lawton. Sarah was born in 1859. Sanford and Sarah had eleven children, all born in Westport, MA:

Alden Chester was born January 26, 1882. He was a police chief in New Bedford, MA. He married first May 11, 1909 in Middleboro, MA, Estella Florinda Chase. He married second Lucy M. Ashley. Alden had no children. Ref: "New Bedford Standard" newspaper article.

Mary Almy was born in 1883. On February 18, 1903 in New Bedford she married John H. Perry, son of Henry F. and Parmelia J. (Robinson) Perry. John was born about 1876 in Acushnet, MA. He was a carpenter. Mary and John had nine children: Henry F.; Ruth S.; Marjorie B.; Alden; Sarah P.; Elizabeth; Sanford S.; Gertrude; and Phyllis.

Fannie Hope was born May 3, 1885. On May 15, 1909 in Middleboro she married Elmer Russell Tripp, son of George R. and Sarah B. (Briggs) Tripp. Elmer was born about 1883 in Westport. He was a fisherman. [These are ancestors of Richard Sisson Tripp, Westport, MA.] Fannie and Elmer had seven children: Ivan Lawton; Roger, Russell and a stillborn, triplets; Arnold; and Louisa and Evelyn Hope, twins. Fannie died in 1973.

Elizabeth Davis was born February 6, 1887 and died August 27, 1920 at Middleboro. She was not married.

Andrew F. was born September 14, 1888. In 1916 at Middleboro he married Eva May Bernier, daughter of John A. and Florence M. (Gauthier) Bernier. They had no children.

Leroy Sanford was born April 14, 1890. He married Anna V. McNeil. Leroy and Anna had a son, born in Middleboro: Sanford Roderick.

Philip Greene was born December 12, 1892. He was a member of the Middleboro Fire Department. On April 20, 1918 in Wollaston, MA, he married Mrs. Ella Malvina (Thompson) Willette, daughter of John and Julia (Richard) Thompson as her second marriage. Ella was born about 1893 in Middleboro, MA. Philip and Ella had six sons, probably all born in Middleboro: Thomas Rodman, stillborn; Robert Chester; Frederick; and Philip Greene, Jr, Mason Corey, and Edward Perry, the first triplets born in Middleboro for 65 years. Ref: "New Bedford Evening Standard" newspaper clippings, October 24, 1930; May 11, 1931.

Louisa Hannah was born August 20, 1894. On December 9, 1924 in Middleboro she married George Victor Thompson, son of Charles H. and Caroline (Jennett) Thompson. They had no children.

Frederick Cowen was born January 12, 1896 and died January 27, 1907.

Alton Rodman was born March 15, 1899. He was with the Middleboro Fire Department. On August 5, 1921 in Middleboro he married Leah Hildreth Sherman, daughter of Austin W. and Lucy P. (Haven) Sherman. Leah was born about 1900 in Middleboro. Alton and Leah had a daughter born in Middleboro: Elizabeth Davis.

Thomas Lawton was born March 15, 1901 and died April 12, 1906. He is buried at the head of Westport Cemetery.

In 1905 the family moved from Westport to Middleboro. Sanford died May 14, 1930; Sarah died November 14, 1936. Both died in Middleboro.

References: Data from Mrs. Louisa H. (Sisson) Thompson; (11) Vol. III, pp.123-5, 138-42, 146.

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Frank Kendrick [9]

Richard [1], James [2], Richard [3], Richard [4], Philip [5], Peleg [6], Green Bradford [7], Peleg Kendrick [8] page 556

Frank Kendrick (1864-1926) — 1889 — Ida Hale (-)

- Lila J. (1889-)
- Ray Lawton (1891-)
- Carrie I. (1893-)
- 1919 — Bert Owen (1891-)

Frank Kendrick Sisson was born January 28, 1864 in Mattapoisett, MA. He was a "marketman". On May 15, 1889 in Mattapoisett he married Ida Hale, daughter of George and Isabella T. (Gerard) Hale of Marion, MA. Ida was born about 1870 in Albany, NY. Frank and Ida had three children, all born in Mattapoisett:

Lila J. was born November 27, 1889.
Ray Lawton was born January 18, 1891.
Carrie I. was born June 27, 1893. On November 26, 1919 in New Bedford, MA, she married Bert Owen, son of Alfred and Mary (Wood) Owen. Bert was born April 8, 1891 in New Bedford.

Frank died in the Taunton State Hospital April 21, 1926.

Reference: (11) Vol. III, p.128.

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Henry Elmont [9]

Richard [1], James [2], Richard [3], Richard, Jr. [4], Philip [5], Peleg [6], Thomas R. [7], Albert H. [8] page 557

Henry Elmont (1866-)
1894 | Alice D. Hall (1868-)

Robert Elmont (1897-)
1920 | Emma L Connrs (-)
a son (1906-1906)

Henry Elmont Sisson was born in 1866 in Newtonville, MA. He was a tailor in Providence, RI. On June 28, 1894 he married Alice Duff Hall, sister to Emma, wife of his brother Albert. Alice was born in 1868. Henry and Alice had two sons:
Robert Elmont was born August 13, 1897 in Newtonville. On June 19, 1920 in Providence he married Emma Louise Conners.
A son was born July 25, 1906 and died the next day.

Reference: (11) Vol. III, p.143.

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Milton F. [9]

Richard [1], James [2], Richard [3], Richard, Jr. [4], Philip [5], Robert [6], Robert, Jr. [7], Charles F. [8] page 561

Milton F. (1872-)
1891 | Aseneth Pickrng (1872-)

Joseph Winthrop (1891-)
Henry Cabot (1892-)
Marian (1894-)
Sadie Louise (1895-)
1915 | Walter O'Brien (1894-)
Gertrude Frances (1899-)
a son (1902-1902)
Frank Lester (1903-)
Mildred Russell (1908-)
a son (1913-1913)

Milton F. Sisson was born in 1872 in Beverly, MA. He was a shoeworker. On April 23, 1891 in Lynn, MA, he married Aseneth Russell Pickering, daughter of Winthrop and Mary R. ( ) Pickering. Aseneth was born in 1872 in Gloucester, MA. Milton and Aseneth had nine children, all born in Lynn:
Joseph Winthrop was born June 7, 1891 and died young.

Henry Cabot was born December 13, 1892.
Marian was born February 4, 1894.
Sadie Louise was born December 2, 1895. On December 24, 1915 in Lynn she married Walter J. O'Brien, son of Paul and Genevieve (McFarlane) O'Brien. Walter was 21 at the time, born in Boston. He was a shoeworker.
Gertrude Frances was born March 8, 1899.
A son was stillborn February 11, 1902.
Frank Lester was born September 17, 1903.
Mildred Russell was born September 1, 1908.
A son was stillborn November 17, 1913.

References: (11) Vol. IV, pp.41-2; (288).

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Charles H. [9]

Richard [1], James [2], Richard [3], Richard, Jr. [4], Philip [5], Robert [6], Robert, Jr. [7], Charles F. [8] page 561

Charles H.(1879-)
1902|Barbara Stephns(1882-)
- Charles Stephen(1903-)
- 1926|Jennie Langll(1905-)
- Clarence Woodbury(1905-)
- Herbert Leslie(1907-)

Charles H. Sisson was born in 1879 in Beverly, MA. On October 23, 1902 in Lynn, MA, he married Barbara Stephens, daughter of George and Agnes Hadden ( ) Stephens. Barbara was born in 1882 in Scotland. Charles and Barbara had three sons, all born in Lynn:
Charles Stephen was born December 25, 1903. On November 24, 1926 in Lynn he married Jennie I. Langill, daughter of Howard and Annabell (Patrican) Langill. Jennie was 21 at the time, born in Nova Scotia.
Clarence Woodbury was born December 28, 1905.
Herbert Leslie was born January 26, 1907.

References: (11) Vol. IV, pp.43-4; (288).

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Walter Sylvester [9]

Richard [1], James [2], Richard [3], Richard, Jr. [4], Philip [5], Robert [6], Robert, Jr. [7], Robert Sylvester [8] page 562

Walter Sylvester(1874-)
1900|Mary G Davis(-)
- Alfrida Gertrude(1901-)
- 1923|Benson W Dixson(1901-)
- Arthur Howard(1903-)
- |(-)
- Esther Franklin(1906-)
- 1923|Irving C Currir(-)
- Richard Davis(1909-)
- |(-)
- Abbie Jane(1913-)

Walter Sylvester Sisson was born December 28, 1874 in Lynn, MA. On July 2, 1900 in Lynn he married Mary Gertrude Davis, daughter of John E. and Jane Rose ( ) Davis. Mary was born on Cape Breton Island, Nova Scotia. Walter and Mary had five children, all born in Lynn:

Alfrida Gertrude was born November 28, 1901. On July 2, 1923 in Lynn she married Benson William Dixson, son of Edward and Abby (Brown) Dixson. Benson was born in 1901 in Lewiston, ME. He was a machinist.

Arthur Howard was born October 13, 1903. He was married.

Esther Franklin was born May 18, 1906. On March 6, 1923 in Lynn she married Irving C. Currier, son of George C. and Laura (Toy) Currier. Irving was born in Lynn.

Richard Davis was born November 15, 1909. He was married.

Abbie Jane was born in 1913.

References: (11) Vol. IV, pp.45-6; (288); (599).

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Robert Thayer [9]

Richard [1], James [2], Richard [3], Richared, Jr. [4], Philip [5], Robert [6], Robert, Jr. [7], Robert Sylvester [8] page 562

Robert Thayer(1881-)
1903 Louise H Maguire(-)

- Robert Thayer Jr(1905-)
  - Esther (-)
- Edward Alexander(1907-)
  - (-)
- Earl Donald(1909-)
  - (-)
- Parker Lincoln(1911-)
- Paul Kenneth(1915-)

Robert Thayer Sisson was born February 21, 1881 in Lynn, MA. On June 4, 1903 in Lynn he married Louise Howard Maguire, daughter of Edward C. and Ada J. (Smith) Maguire. Louise was born in Worcester, MA. Robert and Louise had five sons, all born in Lynn:

Robert Thayer, Jr. was born January 12, 1905. He married Esther ( ) and they had a son, Robert Thayer, III.

Edward Alexander was born March 1, 1907. He was married.

Earl Donald was born May 20, 1909. He was married.

Parker Lincoln was born February 13, 1911.

Paul Kenneth was born August 1, 1915.

References: (11) Vol. IV, pp.47-8; (288); (599).

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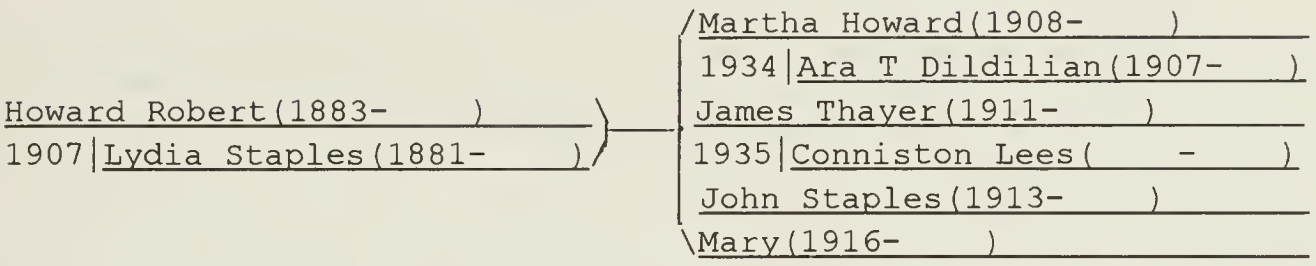
Howard Robert [9]

Richard [1], James [2], Richard [3], Richard, Jr. [4], Philip [5], Robert [6], Robert, Jr. [7], Robert Sylvester [8] page 562



Howard Robert Sisson was born September 1, 1883 in Lynn, MA. On January 5, 1907/8 in Bangor, ME, he married Lydia Susan Staples, daughter of James and Susan (Knowles) Staples. Lydia was born February 22, 1881 in Wellington, ME. Howard and Lydia had four children:

Martha Howard was born November 8, 1908 in Machais, ME. On July 7, 1934 in New York, NY, she married Ara Tsolag Dildilian, son of Tzolag Kirkor and Miriam (Nakkashian) Dildilian of Piraeus, Greece. Ara was born September 16, 1907 in Marsovan, Turkey.

James Thayer was born February 4, 1911 in Bangor. On June 5, 1935 he married Conniston Lees.

John Staples was born June 23, 1913 in East Machais.

Mary was born August 30, 1916 in Island Falls, ME.

References: (11) Vol. IV, pp.49-50; (288); (554); (599).

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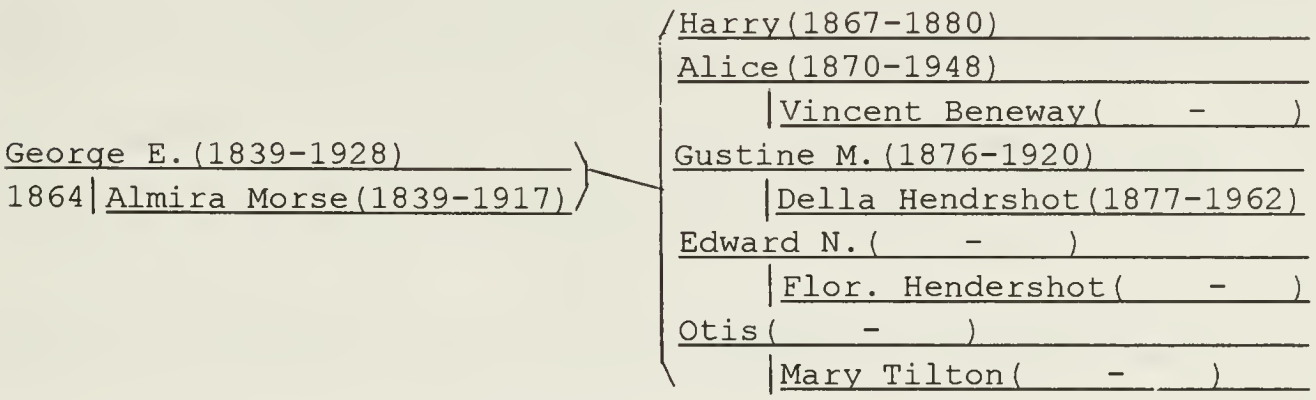
George E. [9]

Richard [1], James [2], Richard [3], Thomas [4], Philip [5], Philip, Jr. [6], Thomas [7], Elery [8] page 563



George E. Sisson was born about 1839 in Michigan. In 1864 he married Almira Morse. Almira was born in 1839. George and Almira had five children:

Harry was born in 1867 and died in 1880.

Alice was born in 1870. She married Vincent Beneway/Benaway. They had no children. Alice died in 1948.

Gustine M. was born in 1876 in Michigan. He married Della Hendershot. Della was born in 1877. Gustine and Della had two sons: Harold, married Freida C. Lutz, had three children; and Samuel, married Helen McIntyre, had three children. Gustine died in 1920; Della died in 1962. Both are buried in Brookside Cemetery.

Edward N. may have been born about 1880 in Michigan. He married Florence Hendershot. Edward and Florence had two children: Harry, married Ava Kettlewell, had three children; and Edna F., married Joseph E. Warner, had five children.

Otis may have been born about 1880 in Michigan. He married Mary Tilton. Otis and Mary had a daughter: Vera, married Vearl Osborne, had four children.

Almira died in 1917; George died in 1928.

References: (293); (451).

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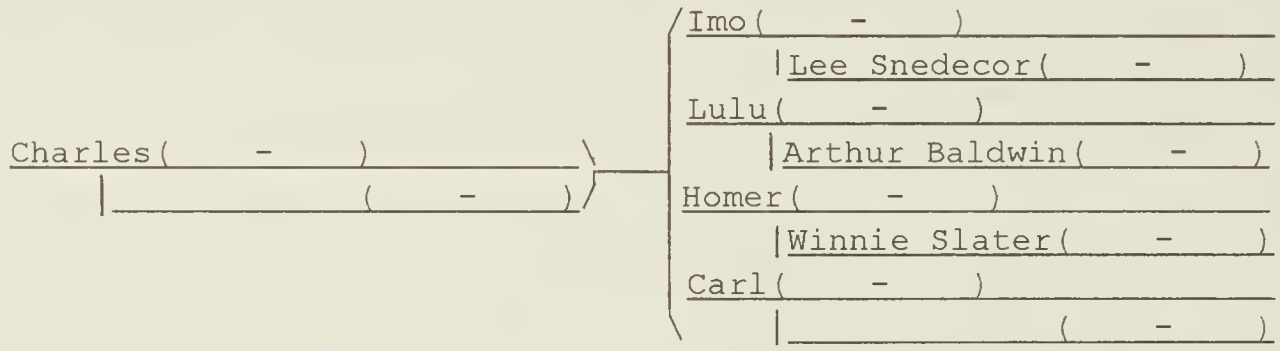
Charles [9]

Richard [1], James [2], Richard [3], Thomas [4], Philip [5], Philip, Jr. [6], Thomas [7], Elery [8] page 563



Charles Sisson was born circa 1840 in Michigan. We do not know his wife's name. She and Charles had four children:

Imo (a daughter) may have been born about 1875. She married Lee Snedecor; they lived in Montana. Imo and Lee had a child: Burto.

Lulu may have been born about 1877. She married Arthur Baldwin. They adopted a daughter.

Homer may have been born about 1880. He married Winnie Slater. Homer and Winnie had three children: Norma; Alvin; and Mary Ellen.

Carl may have been born about 1882. He had a son: Raymond, married Georgia Russell, had a son.

Reference: (451).

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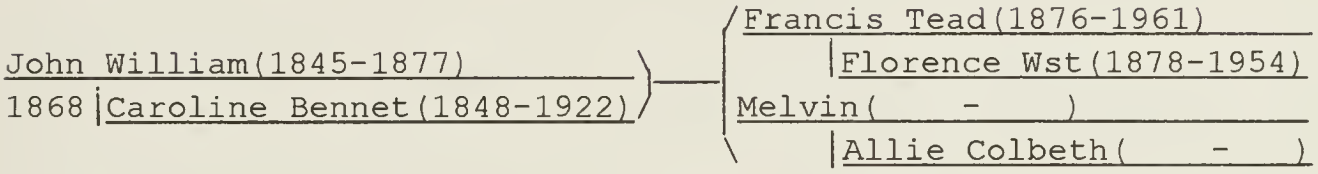
John William [9]

Richard [1], James [2], Richard [3], Thomas [4], Philip [5], Philip, Jr. [6], Thomas [7], Elery [8] page 563



John William Sisson was born in 1845 in Michigan. John was a farmer. On October 14, 1868 he married Caroline I. Bennett of Tecumseh, daughter of Waldon and Mary ( ) Bennett. Caroline was born in 1848. John and Caroline had two children:

Francis Tead was born July 25, 1876 in Tecumseh, MI. He married Florence Laurela "Laura" West. Laura was born in 1878. "Tead" and Laura had five daughters, all born in Adrian, MI: Mildred, married Elwood Knapp, had three children; Irma, married Leslie Ford, had no children; Frances, married Alfred Ames, had two children; Leitha Elva, married Pal Damon, had five children, [including the father of Laurel (Damon) Steffes]; and another daughter who died at birth. Refs: Pal's death notice, "Detroit Free Press"; Leitha's death notice. Laura died in 1954. Tead died February 18, 1961 in Tecumseh. His memorial service was officiated by his grandson Rev. Gary L. Damon. He is buried in Brookside Cemetery, Tecumseh.

Melvin may have been born about 1878. He married Allie Colbeth. They lived in Jackson, MI. Melvin and Allie had three daughters: Esther; Iva Belle; and Leila who married Robert Belcke and had a daughter. Melvin died in the 1920's.

John died September 12, 1877 in Raisin, MI. His tombstone gives his birthyear as 1846, his death certificate misread age 32 as 52. Caroline married second in 1889 in Tecumseh, MI, William P. Smallidge. Caroline died September 8, 1922. John and Caroline are buried in Brookside Cemetery, Tecumseh.

References: John's death notice, "Tecumseh Herald", September 27, 1877 & death certificate; (451); (606).

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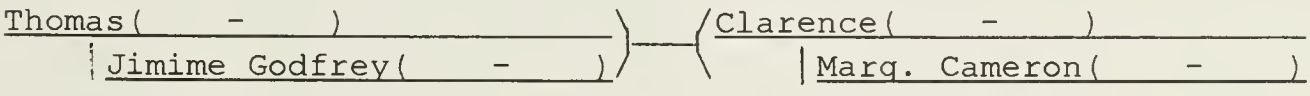
Thomas [9]

Richard [1], James [2], Richard [3], Thomas [4], Philip [5], Philip, Jr. [6], Thomas [7], Elery [8] page 563



Thomas Sisson may have been born about 1850 in Michigan. He married Jimime Godfrey. Thomas and Jimime had a son:

Clarence may have been born about 1875. He married Margaret Cameron. They had a son: Clarence, Jr., married Mary Ann Smith and had a son.

Reference: (451).

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Charles W. [9]

Richard [1], James [2], Richard [3], Thomas [4], Philip [5], Philip, Jr. [6], Holder [7], Allen [8] page 567

Charles W.(1846-)
1873|Amelia Burgess(-)
\Allen B.(1879-)

Charles W. Sisson was born in 1846 in McHenry County, IL. He was a Republican, blacksmith and railroad worker. He was in the 17th Illinois volunteer calvary, under Col. Beveridge for two years, mustering out in February, 1865. He moved to Big Rock, IL, in 1865. On September 16, 1873 Charles married Amelia Burgess, daughter of Boswell Burgess. Amelia was born in New York. Charles and Amelia had a son:

Allen B. was born September 29, 1879 in Illinois.

This may be the Charles Sisson listed in the Chicago City Directory in 1890 and 1894.

Reference: (563).

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Angus Peter McDonnall [9]

Richard [1], James [2], Richard [3], Thomas [4], Philip [5], Philip, Jr. [6], Holder [7], Allen Shepard [8] page 567

Angus P McDonnall(1854-1937)
1881|Emma J. Rix(1859-1930)
/Zora Mary(1883-1962)
1906|Herbert Gooch(-1950)
Cora Marie(1883-1967)
1902|Warren Andrews(-1960)
Ralph Rix(1884-1952)
1916|Hedvig Sttrstrm(-1940)
1943|Estelle Kurtz(-)
Verne Allen(1886-1947)
1910|Flora Curtis(1886-1958)
Angus McDonald(1887-1973)
1913|Sara E. Green(1890-1984)
LeRoy Benson(1889-1981)
1910|Ruth T. Sassman(1892-1983)
Rix Aurel(1892-1961)
1914|Madeline Fllnwdr(-1969)
George Harper(1898-1974)
1929|Lucille N Gravs(-1992)
\Florence Jane(1903-1965)

Angus Peter McDonnall Sisson was born August 29, 1854 in Riley Twp, McHenry County, IL. He was named after his uncle Angus Peter McDonnall, a member of the Canadian Parliment, who married Anna Sisson, a daughter of Holder, see page 393. Angus was called "Cap" Sisson. On December 8, 1881 in Belvidere, IL he married Emma Jane Rix, daughter of Ralph D. and Jane (Harper) Rix. Emma was born May 29, 1859 in Belvidere. He was a cheesemaker, farmer, and operated a livery stable. Angus and Emma had nine children:

Zora Mary was born April 27, 1883 in Greenwood Twp. On December 8, 1906 she married Herbert C. Gooch, a mail carrier for the Garden Prairie Post Office. He was a Methodist. Zora and Herbert adopted a son: Gordon Lyle, March 17, 1915, died December 21, 1969. Herbert died November 13, 1950; Zora died October 17, 1962; both are buried in Garden Prairie Cemetery. Ref: "Marengo Daily Republican" (wedding account).

Cora Marie was born April 27, 1883 a twin to Zora. On September 11, 1902 at Bonus Twp, Boone County, IL, she marred Warren Adelbert Andrews, son of Adelbert and Sarah (Goodyear) Andrews. He was a farmer and tire retailer. Cora was a Presbyterian and active in civic affairs. Cora and Warren had a daughter: Corrine Marie, married George E. Strout. Warren died November 14, 1960 in Belvidere; Cora died March 1, 1967 in Whittier, CA. Both are buried in Belvidere. Ref: "Belvidere Daily Republican" (obituary).

Ralph Rix was born November 21, 1884 in Marengo Twp. He married first April 12, 1916 at Elsmore, KS, Hedvig Alvina Setterstrom, daughter of J.P. Setterstrom. Ralph was a stove salesman. Ralph and Hedvig had two children, both born in Elsmore: Angus Peter, married 1) Louise Kurtz, had a son, divorced, married 2) Edith Voget, had four children; and Carolyn, married Lloyd F. Eby, had five children. Hedvig died September 2, 1940 in Elsmore and is buried there. Ralph married second August 9, 1943 Estelle Kurtz in Iola, KS. Ralph died October 12, 1952 in Belvidere, and is buried in Elsmore.

Verne Allen was born January 25, 1886 in Marengo Twp. He was a farmer. On January 1, 1910 in Marengo he married Flora Curtis, daughter of Frank and Angie (King) Curtis. Flora was born July 10, 1886 in Marengo. Verne and Flora had four children: Clarence Curtis, married Verna Swain, had four children; Vera Angie, married Conrad Hage, had two children; Eugene Angus, married Jean Adelle Cain, had two children; and Mark Allen, married Carol Poyer, had three children. Verne died July 1, 1947 in Garden Prairie, IL; his obituary appeared in the "Belvidede Daily Republican". Flora died March 17, 1958. Both are buried in Garden Prairie Cemetery.

Angus McDonald was born September 7, 1887 in Marengo Twp. On March 28, 1913 he married Sarah Elizabeth Green, daughter of Thomas and Ann (Davidson) Green. Sarah was born October 9, 1890. Early in their married life Angus and Sarah moved from Garden Prairie to Belvidere, where they operated a grocery store and meat market for 24 years. Angus was a 32nd-degree Mason, a Methodist and was active in civic affairs. Angus and Sarah had three children, all born in Belvidere: Maynard Dale, died young; Beth Lorraine, married Walter Brewer, Jr., had two children; and Stuart Dale, married 1) Betty Rampelberg, divorced, married 2) Billie Ruth King Williamson, had

one son. Angus died April 8, 1973; Sarah died June 23, 1984. Both are buried in Belvidere Cemetery.

LeRoy Benson was born June 5, 1889 in Bonus Twp. He was a farmer. On December 21, 1910 in the First Presbyterian Church, Eldorado, KS, he married Ruth Thayer Sassman, daughter of William Ready and Alberta (Locke) Sassman. Ruth was born July 30, 1892. LeRoy and Ruth operated a farm at Munsville, NY. They had two children, both born in Smithfield Twp, Madison County, NY: Elnor Emma, married Robert Gibson Furnival, had two children; and Wayne Roland, married Gladys Mary Robinson, had a daughter. LeRoy died June 21, 1981; Ruth died January 14, 1983. Both died in Fayetteville and are buried in the cemetery there.

Rix Aurel was born August 20, 1892 in Bonus Twp. He was a Mason, Presbyterian, grocer and was superintendent of Boone and DeKalb County Homes. On June 25, 1914 in Eldorado, KS, he married Madeline India Fullenwider. Rix and Madeline had three children: Cameron Angus, married Laverna Gile, had two children; Ruth Louise, married Albert Grunwaldt, had three children; and Marjorie Rixenne, married Jack W. Reining, had two daughters. Rix died July 26, 1961 in DeKalb; Madeline died September 30, 1969. Both are buried in Belvidere Cemetery.

George Harper was born November 24, 1898 in Bonus Twp. On June 30, 1929 in Chicago, IL, he married Lucille N. Graves, daughter of Thaddeus and Elnetta (Rice) Graves. She was a teacher and bookkeeper. George was in the Army during World War I, stationed stateside. He was a bank bookkeeper, county treasurer and worked for the Revenue Department of the State of Illinois. He was administrative assistant for Boone County Schools. He was a Mason and she a member of Eastern Star and American Legion. They were Presbyterians. George died February 12, 1974; Lucille died February 12, 1992; both are buried in the Belvidere Cemetery. Ref: ibid. April 22, 1964 (article on service to schools).

Florence Jane was born May 9, 1903 in Bonus Twp. She worked in the Sisson Grocery. She was a member of Eastern Star. In 1947 she moved to Livermore, CA, where she was secretary in the Veterans Hospital. Florence died February 15, 1965 in California and is buried in the Belvidere Cemetery. Ref: Florence's obituary.

Emma died January 3, 1930; Angus died April 21, 1937; both died in Belvidere and are buried in the cemetery there.

Reference: (566).

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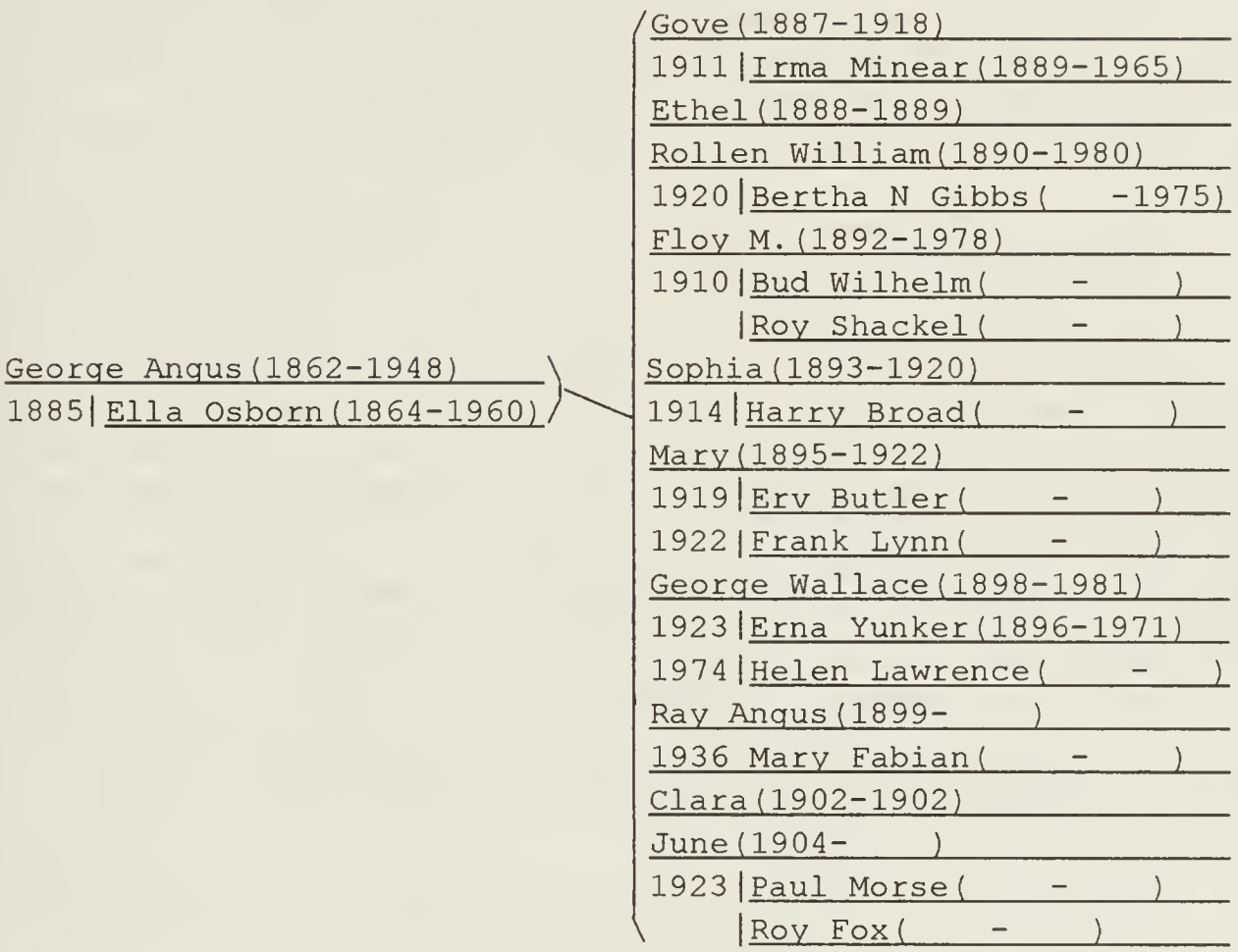
George Angus [9]

Richard [1], James [2], Richard [3], Thomas [4], Philip [5], Philip, Jr. [6], Holder [7], William Wallace [8] page 569



George Angus Sisson was born December 6, 1862 in Cedar Valley, now Washburn, Blackhawk County, IA. He moved to Salem, MO, where he was a farmer and Presbyterian. On December 21, 1885 in Waterloo, IA, he married Ella Elizabeth Osborn, daughter of William and Sophia (Dobney) Osborn of Salem. Ella was born January 24, 1864 in Washburn. She graduated from Cedar Falls State Teachers College, teaching in public schools before her marriage. George and Ella had ten children:

Gove was born January 3, 1887 in Gove, Gove County, KS. He was a farmer in Iowa. On March 15, 1911 he married Irma C. Minear, daughter of George and Louisa (Dunseth) Minear. Irma was born December 10, 1889 in Forest, IL. She graduated from Tilford Collegiate Academy in 1908 and taught for three years in Benton County schools. Gove and Irma had two sons: Cecil George, married Ruth Lorene Privett; Gerald Oliver, married Manda Fish. Gove died December 30, 1918 in Vinton, IA. Irma married William Anderson as her third husband. She died in September, 1965 and is buried in Evergreen Cemetery.

Ethel was born December 9, 1888 and died January 29, 1889.

Rollen William was born February 16, 1890. On February 13, 1920 in Waterloo, IA, he married Bertha Newton Gibbs. Rollen and

Bertha had a son: Theodore Ray, married Martha ( ). Bertha died June 29, 1975; Rollen died October 12, 1980.

Floy M. was born March 14, 1892. On December 21, 1910 in Waterloo, she married Bud Wilhelm. Floy and Bud had two sons: Vern E; and Wayne. In 1960 she was Mrs. Roy Shackel of Minneapolis (Ref: Ella's obituary). Floy died February 28, 1978 in Minneapolis, MN.

Sophia was born November 5, 1893. On December 7, 1914 in La Porte City, IA, she married Harry Broad. Sophia and Harry had a son: Harold. Sophia died February 9, 1920.

Mary was born December 16, 1895. On April 8, 1919 she married Erv Butler. On May 6, 1922 she married Frank Lynn. Mary died May 27, 1922 in La Porte City.

George Wallace was born March 16, 1898 in Washburn. He was an auto mechanic, street-car conductor, a dairy farmer in Greenwood, WI, and Methodist. On November 3, 1923 in Neillsville, Clark County, WI, he married Erna Dora Yunker, daughter of Henry William and Johanna (Angerstein) Yunker. Erna was born October 10, 1896 in Walworth, Walworth County, WI. The family lived in Eaton, WI. George and Erna had two sons: William Wallace, married Shirley Marcele Hecht, had one daughter; and Glenn Edward, married Beverly Quast, had three children, divorced. Erna died February 27, 1971 in Neillsville and is buried in Greenwood. George married second November 20, 1974 in Pierce, IL, Helen Mortimer Lawrence. George died May 27, 1981 in Neillsville and is also buried in Greenwood City Cemetery.

Ray Angus was born September (or October) 18, 1899 in Washburn, Blackhawk County, IA. On March 30, 1936 he married Mary Fabian. Ray and Mary had a son: Allen.

Clara was born September 29 and died November 15, 1902 in La Porte City.

June was born June 18, 1904 in La Porte City. On October 3, 1923 she married Paul Morse. June and Paul had three children: Beatrice; Dorothy; and Eugene. In 1981 she was Mrs. Roy Fox of Paris, IL.

The family moved to Stanley, Chippawa County, WI, in 1926. George died June 28, 1948; Ella died February 19, 1960. Both died in Stanley and are buried there.

References: Obituaries of George, Ella, George Wallace, and Erna (Yunker); (293); (567).

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Frank Ellis [9]

Richard [1], James [2], Richard [3], Thomas [4], Philip [5], Philip, Jr. [6], Holder [7], William Wallace [8] page 569

Frank Ellis(1865-1948)
1900 Ella A. Snow(1875-1955)

Murland Benjamin(1901-1957)
1924 Anna Marie (1905-1990)
Theron Leroy(1903-1973)
1936 Iva Hicks(-)
Ralph Fletcher(1908-1958)
1931 Cheryl Showaltr(1912-1989)

Frank Ellis Sisson was born September 16, 1865 in Cedar Valley, now Washburn, IA. He moved to Salem, MO. On April 4, 1900 he married Ella Amanda Snow of Salem, sister of Martha, Leroy's wife, below. Ella was born in 1875. Frank and Ella had three sons, probably all born in McGregor, IA:

Murland Benjamin was born February 7, 1901. On June 18, 1924 in Washburn, IA, he married Anna Marie ( ). Anna was born in May, 1905. Murland and Anna had four children: Neal Everet, married Adele Judith ( ); Ord Clark, married Beverlee ( ), adopted seven children; Gene Lee, married Muriel Althea Hayes, had a family; and Ethel May, married Vernon Shepard, had three children. Murland died in April, 1957; Anna died in March, 1990. Both died in Placerville, CA.

Theron Leroy was born June 6, 1903. On October 18, 1936 he married Iva Hicks. Theron died April 11, 1973 in San Jose, CA.

Ralph Fletcher was born August 19, 1908 in McGregor, IA. On October 3, 1931 in Gaylesburg, IL, he married Cheryl Isabel Showalter, daughter of John Godfrey and Laura (Schroeder) Showalter. Cheryl was born December 1, 1912 in Hampton, IA. Ralph and Cheryl had seven children: Lowell Ellis, married Constance June Smith, had three children; James Allen, married Doris M. Young, had four children; Paul Eugene, married Beverly Jean Rinker, had three children; Duane Lynn, married Patricia Ann Hyle, had two children; Sharla Jean, married Stephen Boros, had two children; Laura Lee; and Kathleen Susan, married David Schollman, had two children.

Frank died August 31, 1948 at the home of son Ralph in Waterloo, IA, and is buried in La Porte City. Ella died in 1955 in Cedar Valley.

References: (293); (567); (568).

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Leroy Wallace [9]

Richard [1], James [2], Richard [3], Thomas [4], Philip [5], Philip, Jr. [6], Holder [7], William Wallace [8] page 569

Leroy Wallace(1877-1962) m. 1902 Martha M Snw(1880-1954)
- Thelma(-)
- Harold Leroy(1907-) m. 1934 Helen Boeddeker(1912-)
- Dorothy(-)

Leroy Wallace Sisson was born June 6, 1877 in Washburn, IA. He was a machinist for 21 years at the Viking Pump Company. He was a Presbyterian. On October 8, 1902 in La Porte City, IA, he married Martha Malvina Snow. "Mattie" was born March 31, 1880 in York, NE, sister to Ella, Frank's wife, above. They lived in McGregor, IA. Leroy and Mattie had three children:

Thelma may have been born about 1904 and probably died young. [We do not know the order of the two daughters.]

Harold Leroy was born March 2, 1907 in Waterloo, IA. He was a dentist. He also researched some of his family's history. On August 8, 1934 he married Helen Irene Boeddeker, daughter of Anthony

August and Clara Maude (Walker) Boeddeker. Helen was born March 22, 1912 in Niota, IL. She was a teacher. Harold and Helen had four children, all born in Waterloo: Phyllis Marie, married Dr. John Lawrence Kestel, Jr., had three sons; Mary Helen, married Stephen Frederick True, had four children; Virginia Ruth, married Robert Arthur Allen, had two children; and Joseph Harold, married Jennifer Lynn Larsen, had two children. Harold died April 23, 1979 in Waterloo; Helen died October 28, 1986 in Enid, OK. Both are buried in LaPorte.

Dorothy may have been born about 1910. She was later Sister Mary Louise of Visitation Covenant, Richmond, VA.

Mattie died February 8, 1954 in Cedar Falls, IA. Leroy then resided with his son; he died June 5, 1962 in Waterloo. Both are buried in the West View Cemetery, La Porte City.

References: Leroy's obituary; (293); (567).

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Lloyd Ray [9]

Richard [1], James [2], Richard [3], Thomas [4], Philip [5], Philip, Jr. [6], Holder [7], William Wallace [8] page 569

Lloyd Ray(1882-1961)
1905 Elizabeth Frush(1885-1970)
- Hazel Marie(1908-)
- Opal Lucille(1912-)

Lloyd Ray Sisson was born October 8, 1882 in Washburn, IA. On November 8, 1905 he married Elizabeth Frush. Elizabeth was born November 6, 1885 in Downs, KS. Lloyd and Elizabeth had two daughters:

Hazel Marie was born August 8, 1908.

Opal Lucille was born December 7, 1912.

Lloyd died April 15, 1961; Elizabeth died February 3, 1970. Both died in Portland, OR.

Reference: (568).

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Moses Herbert [9]

Richard [1], James [2], James, Jr. [3], Lewis [4], Job [5], John Ford [6], Job [7], John Ford [8] page 575

Moses Herbert(1866-)
1894 Agnes A Kenyon(1866-)
- Rodman K.(-)
- Leroy Calvin(1897-)
  1924 Mary G Jepson(1896-)
- Herbert L.(-)
  1927 Greta Rosier(-)
- Kenneth W.(-)

Moses Herbert Sisson (also called Herbert M.) was born July 18, 1866 in Chilmark. On September 20, 1894 in New Bedford he

married Agnes A. Kenyon, daughter of Millard H. and Hannah A. (Bennett) Kenyon. Agnes was born in 1866 in New Bedford. Moses and Agnes had four children:

Rodman K. was probably born in 1896.

Leroy Calvin was born in 1897 in Chelsea, MA. On August 4, 1924 in New Bedford he married Mary Georgianna Jepson, daughter of John W. and Georgianna (Knapp) Jepson. Mary was born in 1896 in Danbury, CT.

Herbert L. was probably born about 1900. In 1927 he married Greta Rosier.

Kenneth W. was probably born about 1903.

Reference: (11) Vol. III, p.126.

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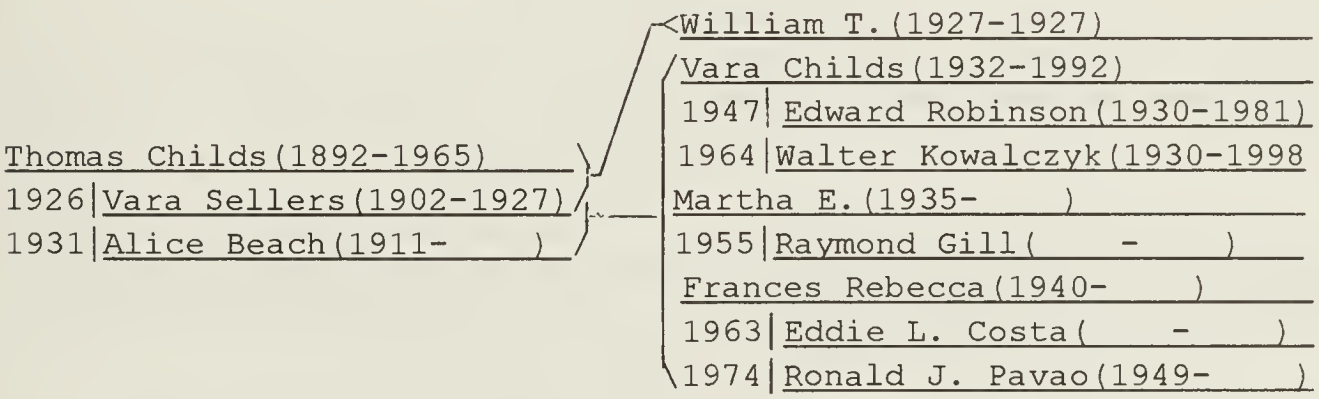
Thomas Childs [9]

Richard [1], James [2], James, Jr. [3], Lewis [4], Job [5], John Ford [6], Job [7], George William [8] page 576



Thomas Childs Sisson was born July 14, 1892 in New Bedford, MA. He married first on June 12, 1926 at Southport, SC, Vara Clyde Sellers, daughter of Elisha Sellers. Vara was born December 5, 1902 in Supply, NC. Thomas and Vara had one child:

William T. was stillborn May 11, 1927 in New Bedford.

Vara died May 11, 1927. Thomas married second July 26, 1931 Alice Evelyn Beach, daughter of Albert Edward and Emma Phylinda (Sampson) Beach. Alice was born January 31, 1911 in New Bedford. Thomas and Alice had three daughters:

Vara Childs was born May 8, 1932 in Fall River, MA. She married first on July 19, 1947 in Fall River, Edward Charles Robinson, son of Leslie and Gladys (Rutter) Robinson. Edward was born October 20, 1930. Vara and Edward had four children: Lawrence Edward, married 1) Karen Shaker and 2) Kathleen Fata; Diana Ruth; Susan Ramona, married Kenneth R. DuBreuil; and Evelyn Louise. Vara and Edward were divorced February 14, 1958; he died March 26, 1981 in Tiverton, RI. Vara married second on January 31, 1964 in Columbia, CT, Walter Frank Kowalczyk, son of Valarian and Antonina (Smyt) Kowalczyk. Walter was born January 27, 1930 in New Bedford. Vara and Walter had two children: James Alexander; and Cynthia Anne. Vara died January 19, 1992; Walter died November 27, 1998. Both died in New Bedford and are buried in Rural Cemetery there.

Martha Elizabeth was born January 5, 1935 in Acushnet, MA. On May 27, 1955 in Indiana she married Raymond Emerson Gill, son of Richard Polly and Winifred Louise (Bunn) Gill. Martha and Raymond had three children: Raymond Emerson, Jr., married Gail Bull; Debra Ellen; and Lori Ann, married Willy James Starr.

Frances Rebecca was born March 19, 1940 in New Bedford. On November 15, 1963 in Tiverton, she married first Edward Lawrence Costa. Frances and Edward had two children: Eddie; and Darlene Lizabeth, married Daniel Cadieux. Frances married second June 21, 1974 Ronald James Pavao. Ronald was born March 28, 1949. Frances and Ronald had a son: Chad Douglas.

Thomas retired from the Coast Guard; he served in both World War I and II. He died April 25, 1965 in New Bedford.

References: Daughter Vara's family Bible and birth and marriage certificates; (11) Vol. III p.127; (462); (570).

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Lewis Hamilton [9]

Richard [1], James [2], Jonathan [3], William [4], Nathaniel [5], James [6], George Wing [7], Rufus Lasher [8] page 580

Lewis Hamilton(1887-1953) 1914 Marg. Parker(1891-1965)

- Mary Louise(-) — George C Skinner(-)
- Margery Wing(-) — Richard B Runyan(-)
- Gloria(1921-1925)
- Sarah Jane(1924-1928)

Lewis Hamilton Sisson was born October 14, 1887. He attended Dartmouth College and Clarkston College. In 1914 he married Margaret Winfield Parker. Margaret was born in 1891. Lewis and Margaret had four daughters:

Mary Louise was born about 1915. She married Dr. George Calvin Skinner and had three daughters.

Margery Wing was born about 1917. She married Richard B. Runyan. They lived in New Jersey and had four daughters.

Gloria was born June 2, 1921 and died April 18, 1925 in Cincinnati, OH.

Sarah Jane was born in 1924 and died May 16, 1928 in Cincinnati.

The family lived in Cincinnati from 1925 to 1952. Lewis was Vice President and on the Board of Directors for the Racquette River Paper Co. Lewis died November 26, 1953 in Potsdam, NY. Margaret died November 9, 1965 in Middletown, OH. Both are buried in Potsdam.

References: (11) Vol. III p.130; (181) Vol. 3.

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Rufus Lasher, Jr. [9]

Richard [1], James [2], Jonathan [3], William [4], Nathaniel [5], James [6], George Wing [7], Rufus Lasher [8] page 580

Rufus Lasher, Jr.(1890-) — 1916 — Dorothy I. Castle(-)
- Virginia Castle(-)
- Rufus Dale(-)
- John McNicoll(-)

Rufus Lasher Sisson, Jr. was born September 11, 1890 in Potsdam, NY. In 1916 he married Dorothy I. Castle. Rufus and Dorothy had three children:

Virginia Castle was born about 1917.
Rufus Dale was born about 1919.
John McNicoll was born about 1921.

References: (11) Vol. III p.131; (181) Vol. 3.

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Walter Coffin [9]

Richard [1], James [2], Jonathan [3], William [4], Nathaniel [5], James [6], George Wing [7], Rufus Lasher [8] page 580

Walter Coffin(1894-) — 1924 — Ruth A. Griffith(-)
- Carol Ingersoll(-)
- Polly(-)
- Joseph Emery(-)
- Walter Coffin Jr(-)

Walter Coffin Sisson was born September 5, 1894 in Potsdam, NY. He was a Captain in the U. S. Army with the Allied European Forces in France, in W.W. I. In 1924 he married Ruth A. Griffith. Walter and Ruth had four children:

Carol Ingersoll was born about 1925.
Polly was born about 1928.
Joseph Emery was born about 1931.
Walter Coffin, Jr, was born about 1934.

References: (11) Vol. III p.133; (181) Vol. 3.

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Stanley Howes [9]

Richard [1], James [2], Jonathan [3], William [4], Nathaniel [5], James [6], George Wing [7], George Wing, Jr. [8] page 581

Stanley Howes(1894-) — 1919 — Esther Merritt(-)
- David Merritt(-)
- Ann Merritt(-)
- Meredith(-)

Stanley Howes Sisson was born September 2, 1894. On September 13, 1919 he married Esther Merritt. Stanley and Esther had three children:

David Merritt was born about 1918.
Ann Merritt was born about 1921.
Meredith was born about 1924.

References: September, 1939 newspaper article, re: Jersey Cattle Club; (11) Vol. III, p.114.

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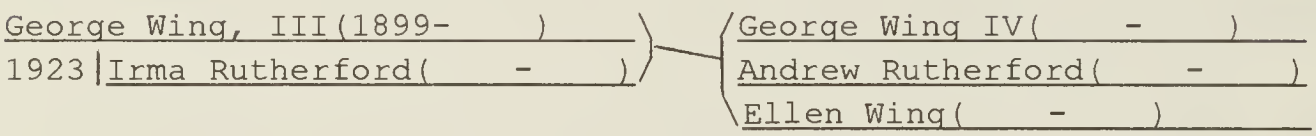
George Wing, III [9]

Richard [1], James [2], Jonathan [3], William [4], Nathaniel [5], James [6], George Wing [7], George Wing, Jr. [8] page 581



George Wing Sisson, III was born October 23, 1899/1900. A brother of the same name was born in 1892 and died in 1893. George was a jersey cattle farmer in Pottsdam, NY. On April 7, 1923 he married Irma Elliot Rutherford, daughter of William Rutherford, of Ogdenburg, St. Lawrence County, NY. George and Irma had three children:

George Wing, IV was born about 1924 and died young.
Andrew Rutherford was born about 1926.
Ellen Wing was born about 1929.

References: September, 1939 newspaper article, re: Jersey Cattle Club; (11) Vol. III, p.115; (50) p.2304.

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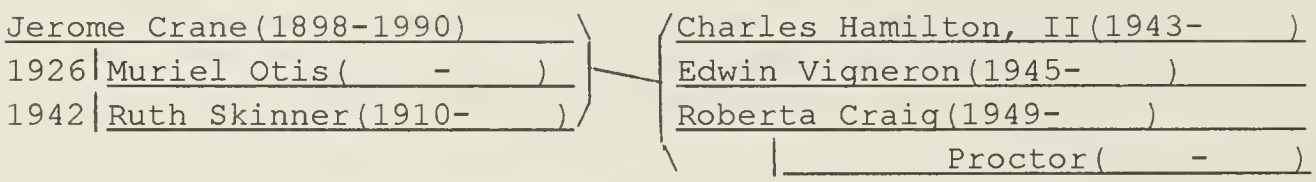
Jerome Crane [9]

Richard [1], James [2], Jonathan [3], William [4], Nathaniel [5], James [6], George Wing [7], Charles Hamilton [8] page 582



Jerome Crane Sisson was born October 15, 1898 in Tupper Lake, NY. He had degrees from Clarkson College, Potsdam, NY, and Boston University. He was a mathematics and science teacher, a Christian Scientist, Mason and active in scouting. On August 15, 1926 he married Muriel Otis. Jerome and Muriel had no issue. He married second on June 14, 1942 Ruth Vigneron Skinner, daughter of Edwin and Carolyn (Craig) Skinner. Ruth was born June 25, 1910. Jerome and Ruth had three children:

Charles Hamilton, II, was born September 9, 1943 in Eugene, OR.

Edwin Vigneron was born January 27, 1945 in Marysville, CA.

Roberta Craig was born March 14, 1949 in Needham, MA. She married Mr. Proctor and lived in Riverside, CA.

At some time the family lived in Sandwich, MA. Jerome died April 17, 1990 in Chestnut Hill, MA.

References: Jeromes obituary; (50) Fall 1990, pp.4832-3.

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Edward Allan [9]

Richard [1], James [2], Jonathan [3], Jonathan, Jr. [4], Silvanus [5], Uriah [6], Allan [7], George Hamilton [8] page 585

Edward Allan(1869-1939) = 1896 Irene Orr(1869-1958)
- Dorothy(1898-)
- Margaret(1901-) = 1935 Edwrd L Chrstie(1901-1963)

Edward Allan Sisson was born August 13, 1869 in Chicago, Cook County, IL. On October 1, 1896 in Chicago, he married Irene Orr, daughter of Robert Walker and Anna Maria (Forgey) Orr. Irene was born July 4, 1869 in Cincinnati, OH. Edward and Irene had two daughters:

Dorothy was born May 3, 1898.

Margaret was born February 8, 1901. On September 2, 1935 she married Edward Lawrence Christie, son of Charles Richard and Henrietta (DeNoyelles) Christie. Edward was born January 1, 1901. Margaret and Edward had no children. Edward died October 9, 1963.

Edward died November 13, 1939; Irene died July 30, 1958, both in Cincinnati.

We have no additional references.

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Franklin Brayton [9]

Richard [1], James [2], Jonathan [3], Jonathan, Jr. [4], David [5], Abner [6], Jonathan F. [7], Benjamin F. [8] page 585

Franklin Brayton(1899-) = 1918 Hazel B. Westgate(-)
- Charles B.(1920-)
- Beryl L.(1922-)

Franklin Brayton Sisson was born January 19, 1899 in Fall River, MA. He was a carpenter. On October 17, 1918 in Fall River he married Hazel B. Westgate, daughter of Charles A. M. and Annie M. (Davis) Westgate. Hazel was born about 1898 in Fall River. Franklin and Hazel had two children, both born in Fall River:

Charles B. was born June 9, 1920.

Beryl L. was born August 19, 1922.

Reference: (11) Vol. III p.134.

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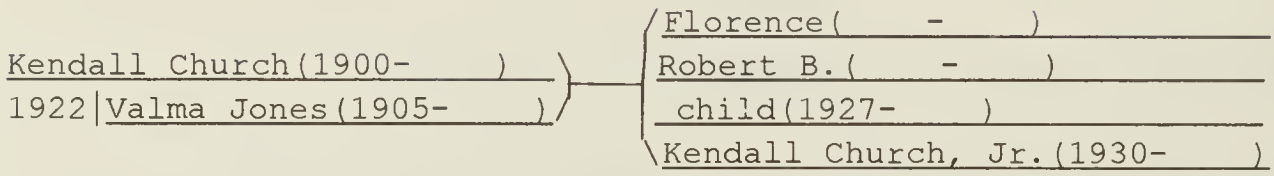
Kendall Church [9]

Richard [1], James [2], Jonathan [3], Jonathan, Jr. [4], David [5], Abner [6], David A. [7], William A. [8] page 587



Kendall Church Sisson was born December 10, 1900 in Providence, RI. On November 29, 1922 in New Bedford, MA, he married Valma Jones, daughter of Thomas S. and Emma M. (Wright) Jones. Valma was born in 1905 in North Adams, MA. Kendall and Valma had four children, all born in Dartmouth, MA:

Florence may have been born about 1924.
Robert B. may have been born about 1926.
A child was born October 24, 1927.
Kendall Church, Jr. was born September 24, 1930.

Reference: (11) Vol. III p.129.

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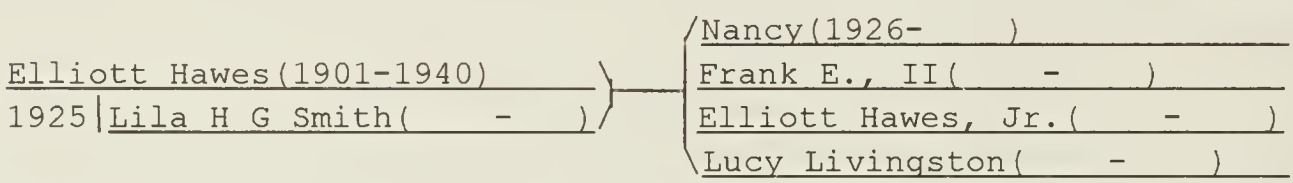
Elliott Hawes [9]

Richard [1], James [2], Jonathan [3], Jonathan, Jr. [4], David [5], John H. [6], Frank W. [7], Frank E. [8] page 588



Elliott Hawes Sisson was born December 8, 1901 in New Bedford, MA. He attended Worcester Academy and Norwich University. He was an engineer for Stone and Webster, Inc. On July 6, 1925 in New Bedford he married Lila Hazel Goslin Smith, daughter of William and Mary A. (Pollard) Goslin, adopted daughter of Ralph Smith. Lila was born in New Bedford. In 1932 the family was living in Mt. Carmel, PA. Elliott and Lila had four children:

Nancy was born February 11, 1926 in New Bedford.
Frank E., II, may have been born about 1928.
Elliott Hawes, Jr, may have been born about 1930.
Lucy Livingston may have been born about 1933.

Elliott died December 19, 1940 in New London, CT.

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